Delaware GK-12 Fellowship: A Learning Experience for Teachers, Scientists, and Students



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Goals

Relate science subject matter to an area of interest for high school students

Gain a better understanding of the challenges of science education

Improve communication skills and ability to present scientific ideas to a general audience

Accomplishments

- Developed Problem Based Learning (PBL) strategies to help students think critically
- Created and revised engaging activities and Transfer Tasks
- Implemented "Cell Poster Project" to reinforce cellular organelles

Cell Poster Project





Cell Poster Project





Meiosis Lab







Perspectives

Deep appreciation for educators and the complexities of teaching high school students

Keeping students engaged is difficult and requires perseverance

Observing a student overcome an obstacle in his/her learning is extremely rewarding