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Education

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas

Bachelor of Arts in English Overall GPA: 3.284/4.0

Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas

Master of Education, M.Ed., Curriculum and Instruction

Secondary Graduate Certification

University of Missouri, Columbus, MO

Graduate Certification, English

Graduation: May 2010

Graduation: December 2008

Completion: May 2022

Work Experience

Burnet High School, Burnet Consolidated Independent School District August 2020-Present English II, Honors English II, Honors English II, Dual Credit English

- Facilitated the learning of curriculum mandated by the state as appropriate for sophomores
- Prepared students to take, and pass, the STAAR EOC exam, as well as everyday teaching responsibilities
- Use of Skyward, Eduphoria, Google Classroom, etc.

Marble Falls High School, Marble Falls Independent School District August 2013-August 2020 English II, English as a Second Language I & II, Pre-AP English II, AP Literature & Composition

- Facilitated the learning of curriculum mandated by the state as appropriate for sophomores
- Prepared seniors for the AP Literature & Composition exam with rigorous curriculum, tutorials, and test prep sessions
- Prepared students to take, and pass, the STAAR EOC exam, as well as everyday teaching responsibilities
- Use of Skyward, Eduphoria, TELPAS, ESL certification
- NHS sponsor, Diamond Dolls sponsor
- 3 APSI workshops, Gretchen Bernabei training, Curriculum Alignment Project, summer school, Humanities Texas workshop, Kelly Gallagher/Penny Kittle training
- SAT/ACT proctor, STAAR tutorials, ACE tutor
- Served (still serving) on the grading committee to create a district wide grading policy to best serve our students and our goals as a district
- Led Hurricane Harvey relief efforts (collecting and sorting donations, setting up field trip to deliver supplies, delivering supplies to affected area)
- English Department Chair, three years
- Finalist for HEB Excellence in Education award, 2018

Crane High School, Crane Independent School District

August 2011-August 2013

English I, English I Honors, EOC Remediation class

- Facilitated the learning of curriculum mandated by the state as appropriate for high school freshmen
- Prepared students to take, and pass, the STAAR EOC exam, as well as everyday teaching responsibilities
- Use of Gradebook and Epsilen/Project Share.
- Initial 30 hours of GT certification
- 2 years as assistant One Act Play director. 2 years UIL Ready Writing coach
- Took students on an educational field trip to Boston, Salem, Lexington, etc. with WorldStrides (6-13)

Bay City High School, Bay City Independent School District

August 2009-August 2011

English II & English II Concepts Teacher

- Facilitated the learning of curriculum mandated by the state as appropriate for high school sophomores
- Prepared students to take, and pass, the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills
- Held students accountable for their assignments and grades, as well as behavior
- Implemented classroom management, made lesson plans, and created worksheets, quizzes and exams
- Sophomore team leader: leading a team, creating assignments/projects, choosing appropriate tests
- Use of CSCOPE, DMAC, Eduphoria, Lynx. ESL, TELPAS, and SIOP training

Nye Academic Center, Bright Athletic Complex, TAMU

April 2009-June 2009

Writing Specialist, Athletic Tutor

Tutored athletes in the writing process including word choice, proofreading and editing

- Held student athletes accountable for their work and grades that they turned into me
- Set up private tutoring sessions to help student athletes complete their writing projects as a finished, polished product

Awards

- Legacy Teacher Award, 2016
- Superintendent Spotlight, 2013
- HEB Excellence in Education award finalist, 2018

<u>Professional Associations</u> Texas Classroom Teachers' Association, Kappa Delta Pi

Further Qualifications

Aggie School Volunteers

August 2006-December 2008

Volunteer

- Worked with elementary students on their reading abilities
- Facilitated the Read Naturally program with students
- Worked with struggling readers on improving their knowledge of letters and letter sounds

Youth Adventure Program (YAP Gifted and Talented Camp)

July 2007

Camp counselor

- Transported kids to and from activities
- Attended activities with campers
- Facilitated games and interactions between scheduled activities
- Dealt with middle and high school students and their interactions