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CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND TEACHER SUPPORT SPECIALIST

GEORGIA AND CALIFORNIA CERTIFICATIONS

ENGLISH 6TH-12TH

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES 6TH-12TH

MIDDLE GRADES 4TH-8TH LANGUAGE ARTS

READING ENDORSEMENT AND READING SPECIALIST P-12TH

ESOL ENDORSEMENT

CHILD LABOR COORDINATOR

EDUCATION

2017

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Athens, GA

WORKFORCE EDUCATION

2005

SPECIALIST (6 YEAR), COLUMBUS STATE UNIVERSITY

Columbus, GA

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

1997

MASTER OF EDUCATION, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Athens, GA

LANGUAGE EDUCATION

1984

BACHELOR OF ARTS, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Athens, GA

ENGLISH

EXPERIENCE

2021

SET/ STUDIO TEACHER, THE HILL PRODUCTION

Fifth, Sixth, and Tenth All Subjects

Augusta, Georgia

2021

SET/ STUDIO TEACHER, THE LIZZIE BORDEN TAPES PRODUCTION

Kindergarten and Third Grade All Subjects

Atlanta, Georgia

2020

SET/ STUDIO TEACHER, PEACE IN THE VALLEY PRODUCTION

6th All Subjects

Atlanta, Georgia

2019-2020

ESOL TEACHER, SANDY QUAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

10th, 11th, and 12th Reading Specialist

Shenzhen, China

2008 – 2019

MENTOR TEACHER, COILE MIDDLE SCHOOL

6th, 7th, and 8th Reading Specialist

Athens, GA

2007 – 2008

MENTOR TEACHER, NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL

Secondary Language Arts

Covington, GA

2005 – 2007

MENTOR TEACHER, WEAVER MIDDLE SCHOOL

8th Language Arts

Macon, GA

2000 – 2002

ADJUNCT, GEORGIA MILITARY COLLEGE

Freshman English

Warner Robins, GA

1989 – 2005

MENTOR TEACHER, HOUSTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Secondary Language Arts
Warner Robins, GA

1988 – 1989

TEACHER, CHATTOOGA COUNTY HIGH

Secondary Language Arts
Summerville, GA

1980 – 1981

TEACHER, BBC LANGUAGE SCHOOL

Adult English
Cairo, Egypt

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Incorporated data to individualize student Reading instruction
- Spearheaded and delivered professional learning (Reading instruction) to faculty members
- Developed, coordinated, and implemented New Teacher Meetings on a school wide level
- Trained to administer diagnostic testing for English Second Language (ESL) students
- Participated in diagnostic testing of English Second Language students
- Acted as a Mentor/ Supervisory Teacher to other teachers
- Interacted and communicated with students, peers, parents, and community members
- Provided home bound services to students unable to attend school
- Tracked and charted progress of Special Education (EXC), Response to Intervention (RTI), and English as a Second Language (ESL) students
- Incorporated technology for whole class, small group, and individual student instruction
- Tracked and charted academic progress of students with a diverse demographic range
- Utilized technology for whole class, small group, and individual student instruction
- Incorporated a range of multimedia technology such as Google Classroom, Google Drive, IlluminatEd, NWEA Assessments, WIDA, AVID, Go Guardian, You Tube, CNN Student News, Google Translates, News ELA, and Moby Max to support, enrich, and monitor student learning

- Performed as a team member on the School Leadership team
- Maintained attendance, curriculum planning, lessons, and grading records through the school district's technology platforms
- Met routinely and worked collaboratively to design curriculum and activities
- Wrote and edited handouts, flyers, emails and pamphlets distributed to families and the community
- Worked collaboratively to incorporate the school and district's spelling bee competition
- Attended professional learning and professional development workshops on a routine basis
- Monitored, delivered, and assessed educational objectives for the school's diverse learners
- Taught three years within the International Baccalaureate Framework

ATTRIBUTES AND AWARDS

- Teacher of the Year
- English Department Chair
- Teacher of the Quarter
- Who's Who Among American High School Teachers
- Teacher of the Month
- Teacher Support Specialist