Objective

To acquire a fulfilling English Language Arts teacher position.

Education

Bachelor of Arts in English received from Michigan State University in May 2014

• English major on secondary education track, minor in sociology

Master of Arts in K-12 Administration pursued through Michigan State University

• Completed 28 credits as of January 2018, expect to receive by May 2018

Teaching Experience

Full-time English Teacher at Northrop High School in Fort Wayne, IN August 2015-Present

- Lead teacher in English 9,11, and 12 (Academic, Honors, and Integrated Services) classroom
 - Collaborated with experienced teachers to compose unit and lesson plans as a part of the School Continuous Improvement Plan (SCIP)
 - o Immersed into building culture by participating in a student vs. staff basketball game and the charity Donkeyball Game, the Poetry Club, and the World Cultures Club
 - o Implemented instructional practices that reflect Indiana's College & Career Ready Standards
 - o Proctored Istep and SRI Testing.
- Lead teacher in CIE: Program of Study classroom
 - Implemented lesson plans developed by Junior Achievement using traditional instructional strategies
 - Composed project-based learning opportunities to supplement student understanding of concepts related to career exploration and job acquisition

Lead teacher in English 9 Credit Recovery Class during summer school within the district (June 2016 – July 2016 & June 2017 – July 2017

 Utilized Compass Learning in a blended classroom environment to facilitate credit recovery opportunities for at-risk students in the Fort Wayne Community School District

Student Teaching Internship at Southfield High School in Southfield, MI August 2014 - May 2015

- Lead teacher in Advanced Placement Composition & Literature Classroom
 - Modeled close-reading strategies for difficult texts
 - o Bolstered discourse specific lexicon through daily lessons on literary terms and devices
- Baseball Coach
 - o Influenced structure of practice and enhanced team fundamentals through introduction of new drills
 - o Assigned roles and delegated tasks based upon objective appraisal of skill
 - o Utilized coaching as a platform to better integrate myself into the school community
- Assistant teacher in Newspaper Classroom
 - o Assisted as a proofreader and editor in a project based, student driven classroom space
 - o Demonstrated how to concisely compose informative stories for a broad audience

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Fort Wayne, IN contact information available upon request.

Service Learning Mentor at Gardner Middle School in Lansing, MI September 2012 – December 2012

Tutored in a Read 180 Classroom

Leadership Experience

Michigan State Student Union Building Management Intern in East Lansing, MI April 2014 – September 2014

- Modeled customer service expectations to custodial and food service staff members to ensure that all visitors had a positive experience
- Formulated and implemented building security measures
- Entrusted to transport bank from cash registers to management office

Certification

- Highly qualified (BA) in English Language Arts Education
- Certified in Sociology Education
- Certified in Educational Technology though Michigan State University
- College Board Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition
- American Red Cross Adult/Pediatric First Aid and CPR, December 2017
- Society for the Prevention of Teen Suicide, July 2015

Professional Organizations

- National Council of Teachers of English
- Indiana State Teacher Association
- National Educator's Association
- Modern Language Association

Professional Development

- MiStar, August 2014
- College Board Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition, December 2014
- Apple TV application in a modern classroom, November 2014
- English Learner Writer's Project: Closing the Gap for Levels 3 & 4, February 2016

Technological Literacies

- Microsoft Office Suite, LibreOffice Suite
- Google Drive, Zoho Docs, Dropbox, Evernote, OneDrive/Office 365
- Weebly, Wix, Wordpress, Blogspot, Schoology, Pinterest, Tumblr, Piktochart

References

- Emily Keirns, English Language Learner Manager in Fort Wayne Community Schools emily.keirns@fwcs.k12.in.us
- Melissa Hirsch, English Department Lead at Northrop High School melissa.hirsch@fwcs.k12.in.us
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