

Resume

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Education

2001	National Board Certification, Middle School Generalist
1976-present	University of Delaware and others, 60+ credits beyond Masters
1974-1976	University of Delaware, Masters in Reading Education
1966-1970	University of Delaware, B.S. in Elementary Education with Honors

Administrative Experience

2009-2010	Reading Consultant for the Capital School District
2003-2009	Reading First State Coordinator, DDOE

Teaching Experience

1995-2003	Frederick Douglass Elementary School, Fifth Grade Teacher Seaford, DE (all subjects)
1993-1995	West Seaford Elementary School, Grades 1-3, SPARK (gifted education) and Chapter One Teacher (math remediation) Seaford, DE
1988-1993	West Park Place Elementary School, Chapter One Reading Teacher Newark, DE (grades 1-3)
1986-1988	Maclary Elementary School, Reading Resource Teacher Newark, DE (grades K-3)
1984-1986	University of Delaware, Language Arts Block Supervisor Newark, DE (Junior Education Majors)
1980-1981	Christiana High School, Remedial Reading Teacher Newark, DE (grade 9)
1976-1980	Jennie Smith Elementary School, Reading Resource Teacher Newark, DE (grades K-5)
1973-1976	Christiana-Salem Elementary School, Third Grade Teacher Newark, DE (all subjects)
1970-1972	Melvin Krebs Elementary School, Grades 3-5, Elementary teacher Hightstown, NJ (all subjects)

Professional Development Training

2009	Learning Focused Certified Trainer, Dr. Max Thompson and Dr. Julia Thompson
2008-09	Response to Intervention (RTI) Literacy Training with Dr. Sharon Walpole

2003-09 Literacy training with Dr. Sharon Walpole
 2006 DIBELS (Dynamic Indicators of Basic Literacy Skills), Ruth Kaminski
 2003 LETRS (Language Essentials for the Teaching of Reading and Spelling, Louisa Moats, Ed.D.
 2003 DIBELS (Dynamic Indicators of Basic Literacy Skills),

Staff Development, Leadership and Volunteer Activities

2006-2009 Member of the DE DOE committee that created the Delaware Literacy Resource Guide
 2007-2008 Member of the DE DOE committee that created and presented the Assessment Module of the Response to Intervention Presentation presented statewide
 2003-2009 Provided Technical Assistance to Reading First and non-Reading First School in Delaware
 2003-2008 Provided Reading First Institute I and II Training
 2002-2003 Served as a Mentor for a National Board Candidate
 2002-2003 Served as a HOSTS mentor at Frederick Douglass Elementary School Served on school writing team for the Reading First Grant and chosen as a member of the Leadership Team for the Reading First Program
 1998-1999 Wrote and awarded grants from MBNA for Accelerated Reader literature and dry erase boards.
 2001-2002 Principal's Advisory Board
 2000-2001 Building Leadership Team Member
 1999-2002 Teacher Mentor for Seaford Schools
 2002-2003 National Board Certification Process Presenter
 2001-2002 Staff Interview Committee and Representative for Special Education Inclusion
 1999-2000 Committee Member to match curriculum with State Standards, Piloted TERC Math Series
 1998-1999 Cooperating Teacher for Wilmington College
 1996-1997 Reading Task Force Committee, Staff Development Committee

Awards and Other Recognition

University of Delaware School of Education - Founding Member of the Academy of Master Teachers, 2002
 Seaford School District Teacher of the Year – 2002-2003
 Frederick Douglass Intermediate School Teacher of the Year – 2002-2003
 National Board Certification, Middle School Generalist – 2001
 Junior Achievement Award, Economics Strand – 2001
 Presidential Award for Teaching Mathematics nominee – 2000
 Distinguished Service Award, Christina School District – 1992
 Presenter at the National Reading Conference (Inquiry Reading Approach) – 1976
 Elected to Phi Kappa Phi, 1969
 Elected to Mortar Board, 1969

Presentations

- **“Capital School District, Going All In!”**, Reading First National Conference, St. Louis, 2007
- **Developing Fluency and Comprehension in Needs Based Small Groups**, Delaware State Reading Association, 2007
- **Schools Beating the Odds**, Reading First National Conference, 2007

- **Delaware's Reading First Institute 1 and Institute II**, Reading First staff throughout the State of Delaware, 2003-2005
- **Strategies and Tips for Using Read Alouds**, Boys & Girls Club staff and Americorps Members 2003.
- **The National Board Certification Process**, 2002 and 2003 Seaford School District
- **Instructional Support**: Presented to Boys & Girls Club staff, 2002.
- **Developing Comprehension: How To!** Mini course in Reading for 1 graduate credit and 1 in-service credit. 1978
- **Instructional Strategies and Materials for the Gifted**. One in-service credit course offered by the Department of Public Instruction. 1978.
- **IMPACT – Improving Materials and Programs for the Academically and Creatively Talented**. Presented paper at Pre-Convention Institute of the International Reading Association Annual Meeting, 1976
- **Inquiry Reading: Initiating and Sustaining the Program**. Workshop at the University of Delaware Reading Conference, 1977.
- **Competency Based Education** – Led a series of workshops for teachers in the Newark School District, 1978.

Computer Experience

Proficient in Word, the Internet, Excel, PowerPoint

References

Available on request