

Curriculum Vitae

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Education and Professional Certifications

Teacher Certification Program, Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, TX. Fall 2005.

Master of Education in Early Childhood Special Education, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX. August 2001. GPA: 3.6.

Bachelor of Science in Human Development with an Emphasis on Child Development, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX. December 1999. GPA: 3.7, Magna Cum Laude graduate.

Educational Diagnostician, EC-12, 5/1/2018 - 4/30/2024.

Classroom Teacher, Special Education EC-12, 5/1/2018 - 4/30/2024.

Professional Experience

Instructor of Special Education, Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, Texas. August 2023 - present. Instruct and guide college students through specialized coursework related to special education. Responsible for delivering engaging lectures, facilitating discussions, designing curriculum, evaluating student performance, and contributing to the overall development of the special education program.

Educational Diagnostician, West Wichita County Cooperative, Kamay, Texas. March 2020 - present. Serve as a member of students' interdisciplinary team responsible for initial and ongoing psycho-educational assessment, work collaboratively with other assessment personnel to make ARD committee recommendations concerning eligibility for special education services, provide input to the ARD committee regarding student's academic strengths and weaknesses based on psycho-educational testing, and provide ongoing consultative services to campus personnel and parents regarding student's educational needs.

SPED Evaluation Coordinator, Wichita Falls ISD, Wichita Falls, TX. July 2017 - March 2020. Provided oversight of the special education assessment processes and assigned, supervised, monitored, and reviewed the progress and accuracy of the work performed by the educational diagnosticians. Worked collaboratively with campus and district staff

to assess the educational and program needs of students who qualify for special education services.

Educational Diagnostician, Wichita Falls ISD, Wichita Falls, TX. August 2016 - July 2017.
See description above.

Educational Diagnostician, Clay-Jack Shared Service Arrangement, Henrietta, Texas. August 2013 - June 2016. See description above.

Educational Diagnostician, Wichita Falls ISD, Wichita Falls, TX. August 2007 - June 2013.
See description above.

Special Education Teacher K-12, Archer City ISD, Archer City, TX. August 2005 - May 2007.
Assessed student skills to determine appropriate curriculum and instruction, developed Individualized Education Plans to meet the specific needs of students and implemented IEPs and provided continuous monitoring of progress to ensure maximum student achievement.

Early Intervention Specialist, North Texas Rehabilitation Center, Wichita Falls, TX. January 2000 - June 2005. Identified and participated in the development, implementation and monitoring of developmental intervention plans for children ages birth to three with special needs. Provided families with information, skills, and support related to enhancing the development of their child.