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<b>Certification</b>	Illinois Type 03 Elementary Education Certificate with Mathematics, Language Arts and LBS-1 Endorsements
<b>Education</b>	<p>MS in Learning Technologies and Design with a Technology in Schools emphasis, in progress University of Missouri, Columbia, MO</p> <p>MAE Curriculum and Instruction, December 2017 Greenville University, Greenville, IL</p> <p>BS Elementary Education, May 2012 Illinois College, Jacksonville, IL</p>
<b>Relevant Experience</b>	<p>Williamsville CUSD 15 Fifth Grade English Teacher, 2018 – Present</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Working with a departmentalized fifth grade team to plan, teach, and reflect on state standard aligned lessons</li><li>• Use student testing data to place students in interventions and plan best teaching practices</li><li>• Coach junior high track and field and varsity girls golf</li><li>• Serve on the junior high technology committee</li></ul> <p>New Holland – Middletown ESD 88 Fourth Grade Teacher, 2014 – 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Continuously taught, reflected and modified for all subject areas using a variety of teaching styles and methods</li><li>• Implemented small groups in math and reading to allow for interventions</li><li>• Coached junior high track and field and served as 8<sup>th</sup> grade class sponsor</li><li>• Served on PERA committee, District Leadership Team, curriculum committee, NHMEA negotiations committee, standards-based report card committee, and Community Supports Education group</li></ul> <p>Springfield Christian Preschool. Springfield, IL Classroom Teacher, 2012 – 2014</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Worked with co-teacher to plan according to state benchmarks</li><li>• Organized classroom materials according to ECERS</li><li>• Prepared students for Kindergarten and assessing with Brigance Screening</li></ul>
<b>Activities &amp; Awards</b>	Illinois Computing Educator's (ICE) Teacher of the Year 2018, IEA Score Grant Recipient, NHMBOE Service Award, Illinois Reading Council Member, Donor's Choose Funding Recipient, Kappa Delta Pi International Education Honor Society Member and Conference Presenter, Illinois College Dean's List, Mussatto Memorial Award for Professional Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Phi Beta Kappa Academic Honor Society, Sturtevant Leadership and Service Award, Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity Lifetime Member