# **Stewart Trent Miller**

310 Fawn Ridge North Harrisburg, PA 17110 (717) 651-2910

**CAREER OBJECTIVE:** 

To have the opportunity to work in an exciting and rewarding career as a

special education teacher.

**EDUCATION:** 

Millersburg Area High School

799 Center Street

Millersburg, PA 17061

College Preparatory Curriculum

Graduated in June, 1996

Harrisburg Area Community College

One HACC Drive

Harrisburg, PA 17110

Associates Degree in Criminal Justice

Graduated in December, 1998

**Shippensburg University** 

1871 Old Main Drive

Shippensburg, PA 17257

Bachelors of Science in Criminal Justice

Graduated in May, 2001

Albright College

13<sup>th</sup> and Bern Street

Reading, PA 19612

Maters degree program and certification in Special Education

Graduated in May, 2011

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

# **Reading Area School District**

# October 2004 to Present

Communication Technology Magnet School

900 Margaret Street

Reading, PA 19611

(610) 371-1166

- 1. Special Education Teacher (Emotional Support)
- 2. Learning Support (Middle School)
- 3. ESAP trained
- 4. Special Education Certification
- **5.** CPI Trained (Nonviolent Crisis Intervention)

# Harrisburg YMCA Kids Camp (Seasonal) June 2006 to August 2006

701 N. Front St.

Harrisburg, PA 17101

(717) 232-9622

- 1. Supervised children from K-8<sup>th</sup> grade during the summer months.
- 2. Planned activities and field trips.

# Allegheny Valley School March 2003 to September 2004

Hummelstown Campus

1291 Middletown Road

Hummelstown, PA 17036

(717) 566-3267

- 1. Direct Care Specialist to MR residents
- 2. Program Instructor

# **Dauphin County Juvenile Probation June 2001 to February 2003**

100 Chestnut Street

Harrisburg, PA 17101

Current Phone Number upon request

- 1. Act 158 certified
- 2. Red Man certified
- 3. CPR certified
- **4.** Supervised juveniles in the Upper Dauphin County with in the community and schools
- 5. Courtroom experience

# SKILLS:

# Computer:

- 1. Excel
- 2. Access
- 3. Microsoft Word
- 4. Microsoft Windows
- 5. Microsoft Powerpoint
- 6. Microsoft Outlook

#### Criminal Justice:

Criminal Law and Procedures Court Organization & Operation

Research Methods

Seminar in Trends & Issues in Criminal Justice

Juvenile Justice

Criminal Evidence

Criminalistics

Correctional Institutions: Management & Operations

Fieldwork at Dauphin County Adult Probation

# **Education & Special Education:**

Creating IEPs

Assessments types

Instruction types

Classroom Management

Behavioral Management

Work well with others

Team Player

Elementary Student Assistance Program (Certified)

# **INTERESTS:**

I enjoy many sports, which include football, basketball, fishing, weightlifting and running. I am also interested in coaching football or basketball. I also have traveled extensively and enjoy traveling when I get an opportunity to

do so.

# REFERENCES:

# Donna Marburger

Special Education Department Chair Northeast Middle School, Reading School District 1213 N. 13<sup>th</sup> Street Reading, Pa. 19604 610-371-5774

# Dan McGinnis

Bleacher Bums Owner Colonial Park Mall Harrisburg, PA 17112 717-545-9902

# Michael Mckenna

Bleacher Bums Manager Colonial Park Mall Harrisburg, Pa. 17112 717-545-9902

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This certificate entitles
STEWART T MILLER

to practice the "art of teaching" and render professional service in the endorsement areas hereon in the schools of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

# ALBRIGHT COLLEGE

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON REVERSE

Authorized by the Secretary of Education

# STANDARD APPLICATION For Teaching Positions in Pennsylvania Public Schools

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

Position(s)	) DESIRED	Special Educ	ation Teacher	(Learning or Emot	ional Support)
NAME	Miller	S	Stewart	Trent	161-68-4928
		LAST I	FIRST	Middle	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER <sup>1</sup>
PRESENT AI	DDRESS	310 Fawn Rid	lge North		717-651-2910
			STREET		(AREA CODE) TELEPHONE
		Harrisburg		Pa.	17110
			CITY	State	ZIP CODE
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Federal Privacy Act [5 U.S.C.§552A NOTE] Statement. Authority for requesting social security account numbers: Public School Code of 1949 [24 P.S. § 12-1212, 24 P.S. §1224] Principal Purpose: To verify certification. Other Purposes: PDE 353A (7/26/01)

# **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

	School or Institution and Location	MAJOR/ MINOR	DIPLOMAS, DEGREES OR CREDITS EARNED	GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)
HIGH SCHOOL	Millersburg Area School District	General	High School	2.9
College/University	Harrisburg Area Comm. College	Crim.Justic	Associates	3.0
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY	Shippensburg University	CrimJustic	Bachelors	3.5
GRADUATE STUDY	Albright College	Special Ed.	Currently Att.	3.9
GRADUATE STUDY				

# **EXPERIENCE**

		(PRESENT OR MOS	ST RECENT FIRST)	
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		Hummelstow		
To	10/2004		566-3267	
	W	ork Performed:	Reason for	Leaving:
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To	Present	Harrisburg,	, Pa. 17102	
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Student Council

If you have not been previously employed in a teaching position, please complete the following:

### STUDENT OR PRACTICE TEACHING

GRADE OR SUBJECT TAUGHT	NAME AND ADDRESS OF SCHOOL	1. COLLEGE SUPERVISOR 2. COOPERATING TEACHER
Middle School grades 6, 7, and 8. Special Education	Northeast Middle School, Reading Area School District – 1216 N. 13 <sup>th</sup> Street Reading, PA 19604	1. Dr. Bonnie Hamwai – Albright College. Supervising Teacher – Donna Marburger 2.
		1.
		2.

# **Student Teaching References:**

Please attach photocopies of letters of reference and/or evaluations from college/university student teacher supervisor and cooperating teacher(s).

#### REFERENCES

References should include superintendents, principals or professors who have first-hand knowledge of your professional competence and your personal qualifications. Experienced teachers should include the superintendent and principal of the two most recent schools in which employed. If any person(s) listed should not be contacted for reference at the present time, indicate in the left-hand margin the date contact(s) may be made.

Name	Position	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE
Donna Marburger	Special Ed. Chair Northeast Middle	1216 N. 13 <sup>th</sup> Street Reading, Pa. 19604	610-371-5774
Cindy Albrecht	Special Ed. Teacher	1216 N. 13 <sup>th</sup> Street Reading, Pa. 19604	610-371-5774
Alex Brown	Principal Northeast Middle	1216 N. 13 <sup>th</sup> Street Reading, Pa. 19604	610-371-5774

# OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

Summarize special job-related skills and qualifications acquired from employment or other experiences (including U.S. military service) and/or state any additional information you feel may be helpful in considering your application, i.e. honors, awards, activities, technology skills or professional development activities:

## GENERAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

You must give complete answers to all questions. If you answer "Yes" to any question, you must list <u>all</u> offenses, and for each conviction provide date of conviction and disposition, regardless of the date or location of occurrence. Conviction of a criminal offense is <u>not</u> a bar to employment in all cases. Each case is considered on its merits. Your answers will be verified with appropriate police records.

<u>Criminal Offense</u> includes felonies, misdemeanors, summary offenses and convictions resulting from a plea of "nolo contendere" (no contest).

<u>Conviction</u> is an adjudication of guilt and includes determinations before a court, a district justice or a magistrate, which results in a fine, sentence or probation.

You may omit: <u>minor</u> traffic violations, offenses committed before your 18th birthday which were adjudicated in juvenile court or under a Youth Offender Law, and any convictions which have been expunged by a court or for which you successfully completed an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition program.

Were you ever convicted of a criminal offense?	Yes	X No
Are you currently under charges for a criminal offense?	Yes	X No
Have you ever forfeited bond or collateral in connection with a criminal offense?	Yes	X No
Within the last ten years, have you been fired from any job for any reason?	Yes	X No
Within the last ten years, have you quit a job after being notified that you would be fired?	Yes	X No
Have you ever been professionally disciplined in any state?  Professional disciplined means the annulment, revocation or suspension of your teaching certification or having received a letter of reprimand from an agency, board or commission of state government, such as the Pennsylvania Professional Standards and Practices Commission.	Yes	_X[ No
Are you subject to any visa or immigration status, which would prevent lawful employment?	Yes	X No

Note: If you answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, please provide a detailed explanation on a separate sheet of paper, including dates, and attach it to this application. Please print and sign your name on the sheet, and include your social security number.

# ACT 34 COMPLIANCE (Background Check of Prospective Employees)

Each Pennsylvania resident must submit with his/her employment application a copy of a report of <u>Criminal History Record Information</u> from the Pennsylvania State Police or a statement from the Pennsylvania State Police that the State Police Central Repository contains no such information relating to that person. Each out-of-state applicant must submit with his/her application for employment a copy of a federal criminal record history from the Federal Bureau of Investigation. The criminal record history report must be no more than one (1) year old. The applicant <u>MUST</u> submit the <u>ORIGINAL</u> report prior to employment.

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# **ACT 151 (PA Child Abuse History Clearance)**

Each candidate must submit with his/her employment application a copy of an official clearance statement obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare or a statement from the Department of Public Welfare that no record exists. The clearance statement must be no more than one (1) year old. The applicant MUST submit the ORIGINAL report prior to employment.

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#### **ESSAY**

Please write an essay as described on page six. For your convenience, you may attach a sheet; however, your essay may not exceed one page. At the bottom of the attachment, please print and sign your name.

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#### CERTIFICATION AND RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

I certify that all of the statements made by me are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I further certify that I am the sole author of the essay. I understand that any misrepresentation of information shall be sufficient cause for: (1) rejecting my candidacy, (2) withdrawing of any offer of employment, or (3) terminating my employment.

Date

# Signature of Candidate (in ink) [Must be original]

Pennsylvania school districts shall not discriminate in their educational programs, activities or employment practices based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, religion, ancestry or any other legally protected classification. This policy is in accordance with state and federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and the Pennsylvania Human Relations Act. Information relative to special accommodation, grievance procedure, and the designated responsible official for compliance with Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504 may be obtained by contacting the school district.

# **ESSAY**

We are interested in your ability to organize and express thoughts on a specific topic in a succinct manner. Please select one of the following topics and write an essay in the space provided on this page.

- 1. The Most Important Qualities of an Outstanding Educator.
- 2. My Philosophy of Student Discipline.
- 3. The Importance of Continuing Professional Development and How I Plan to Incorporate It Throughout My Career.
- 4. Essential Elements of Instruction, Administration or Area of Certification.
- 5. How Information Technology (i.e., computers, Internet) Can Be Integrated into the Instructional Process and Curriculum.

Please refer to the pages accompanying this document.

Signature	Name	

Note to applicants: This application can be downloaded from the Department of Education's home page which is accessible at: http://www.state.pa.us.

This application was developed, in accordance with Section 1204.1 of Act 107 of 1996, by the Pennsylvania Department of Education is consultation with organizations representing school administrators, including personnel administrators, teachers and school boards. Questions should be referred to PDE School Services Unit at Voice Telephone (717) 787-4860, Text Telephone TTY (717) 783-8445 or FAX (717) 783-6802. If you need accommodation in completing this application, including alternate format, please contact the school district.

# The most important skills or attributes needed to be an outstanding teacher.

When you think of an outstanding educator three qualities immediately come to mind. The first quality is understanding. A teacher needs to show understanding towards each and every student that comprises his or her classroom, building, and district. As educators we must keep in mind that not every student has a happy home life. The problems that they face at home every night are also brought with them to school the next day. As teachers we must show our understanding through guidance, compassion, and kindness. The students that we teach must receive as much opportunity in life to succeed. A teacher has to take the time to sit and listen to their students and in turn provide guidance to him or her. What this initially creates is an open door of communication between teacher and student. It has always been my understanding and goal as an educator to get to know everyone of my students. As an individual I have always been interested in getting to know the people I am helping. This might include each student's backgrounds, whether it happens to be their home life or their academic career, their interests home and at school, and their overall goals in life. In my opinion as an educator when we demonstrate understanding, we are showing a calm sense of concern about our student's issues and problems they face. What we can do afterwards is then turn and provide assistance or guidance for that individual student to help better their life in everyway possible.

The second quality that makes an outstanding educator is accepting change. A teacher must be very adaptable; this is especially true when it comes to the types of students we teach as well as the curriculum we are teaching. When you think about, the most common interruptions in a teacher's day or year for that matter comes directly from

both sources. A teacher must accept the possibility that not all students are going to be well behaved. A good classroom management plan is always effective, but accepting change and adapting to the situation will also be beneficial in the long run. Curriculum on the other hand, is a subject that is non negotiable in an educational system.

Curriculum demands the most out of educators toady especially when it is being driven by statewide assessments. It becomes the job of the teacher to implement and adapt the curriculum to the learning styles of the students. A teacher has to accept the notion that not everything is going to perfect everyday, and what may work one day may have the adverse effect the next. An outstanding educator possesses the quality and the capability of assessing, adapting, and eventually overcoming the continuous rigors of the school year.

The third and final quality that an outstanding educator should posses is professionalism. Teachers today are held at a much higher standard in society as they were several decades ago. We are expected to act a certain way and show good moral character. Unfortunately, there are teachers today who forget that the job they do affects not only themselves, but the students they teach. It is important that teacher practice professionalism at all times, in and out of the classroom. In my complete and honest opinion I do believe that our students not only see us as strong confident members of the community, but also as individuals who have found a way to succeeded in life and are competent role models emulate. That is why it is very important for us as teachers to conduct ourselves in the best manner possible, in and out of the community as well as the

profession. It should be our goal to shine the light of achievement and continued success on the art of teaching.



# PENNSYLVANIA CHILD ABUSE HISTORY CLEARANCE

STEWART T MILLER 310 FAWN RIDGE NORTH HARRISBURG PA 17110 VERIFICATION DATE: 06/11/2009

SOCIAL SECURITY #: XXX-XX-4928

The above named person has applied for a Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance pursuant to Chapter 63 of 23 Pa. Consolidated Statutes Annotated relating to the Child Protective Services Law. NO RECORD EXISTS in the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare's statewide Central Registry listing the applicant as a perpetrator of an Indicated or Founded report of child abuse or an Indicated or Founded report for school employees.

Applicants are required to show the Administrator the original document Administrators are required to keep a copy of this child abuse history clearance on file. Any person altering the contents of this document may be subject to civil, criminal or administrative action.



ISSUED BY: Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Department of Public Welfare
CHILDLINE AND ABUSE REGISTRY
ChildLine Verification Unit
P.O. Box 8170
Harrisburg, PA 17105-8170
(717) 783-6211

ANY ALTERATION OR ERASURE VOIDS THIS DOCUMENT

# Pennsylvania Department of Education School Services Unit 333 Market Street Harrisburg, PA 17126-0333

Stewart Trent Miller 310 Fawn Ridge North Harrisburg, PA 17110

Registration ID: PAE095QJ21104321

Dear Applicant,

Enclosed is the unofficial copy of the results of your federal criminal history background check, your federal Criminal History Record Information (CHRI). You requested this copy when you registered to be fingerprinted. This copy is for your use only and cannot be used as the official copy that is to be reviewed by your prospective employer.

Pennsylvania law, Act 114 of 2006, requires prospective employees of all public and private schools and their contractors, who will have contact with children, to obtain a federal background check prior to employment. The applicant must provide a report that is no more than one year old to their employer; the report must be provided in a manner prescribed by the Department of Education (PDE). PDE established an all electronic system for obtaining federal background checks, effective December 1, 2008. The new system enables Administrators of public and private schools and Teacher Training Institutions to review the official CHRI online. Under this new system, applications and results are being processed much more efficiently.

Applicants for employment to any public school or private school or their contractor (s) must include their Registration ID number with their employment application. The Administrator of the public or private school will use your Registration ID number to locate your CHRI in the secure, online system. Under Act 114 and Section 1-111 of the PA Public School Code, it is the responsibility of the Administrator to review the CHRI and make a determination as to your fitness to work in a position that places you in contact with children. If you are hired by the public school, private school or the contractor, a copy of the CHRI will be kept in the school's files. If you are approved for student teaching, a copy of your CHRI will be kept in a file at your college / university by the Teacher Training Institution Administrator. The official CHRI in the electronic system will be deleted 12 months from the date you were fingerprinted.

Information on Act 114 of 2006 and how it applies to you, including Frequently Asked Questions and Answers can be found on the Department of Education's website at: <a href="www.pde.state.pa.us">www.pde.state.pa.us</a>. The PDE's School Services Unit oversees the process, and can be contacted at: <a href="RA-PDE-SchoolServices@state.pa.us">RA-PDE-SchoolServices@state.pa.us</a>.

# CIVIL APPLICANT RESPONSE

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2009/06/23

INDIVIDUAL HAS REVEALED NO PRIOR ARREST

CJIS DIVISION

2009/06/23 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Pennsylvania State Police

1800 Elmerton Avenue Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110

# **Response for Criminal Record Check**

STEWART MILLER 310 FAWN RIDGE NORTH HARRISBURG PA 17110

TELEPHONE (717) 651-2910

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE DOES HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

Name: MILLER, STEWART TRENT

Date of Birth: 06/23/1977 Social Security #: 161-68-4928

Sex: M Race: White

Date of Request: 5/27/2009 12:00:00AM Purpose of Request: School District

Maiden Name and/or Alias (1)

(2)

(4)

\*\*\* HAS NO CRIMINAL RECORD IN PENNSYLVANIA BASED ON A CHECK BASED ON THE ABOVE IDENTIFIERS - REFER TO CONTROL # M0352245\*\*\*

THE RESPONSE IS BASED ON A COMPARISON OF DATA PROVIDED BY THE REQUESTER AGAINST INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE FILES OF THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE CENTRAL REPOSITORY ONLY. PLEASE CONFIRM IDENTIFIERS PROVIDED POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION CANNOT BE MADE WITHOUT FINGERPRINTS. THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE RESPONSE DOES NOT PRECLUDE THE EXISTENCE OF CRIMINAL RECORDS, WHICH MIGHT BE CONTAINED IN THE REPOSITORIES OF OTHER LOCAL, STATE, OR FEDERAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES.

[ ] COMPARISON MADE WITH FINGERPRINTS

THIS INFORMATION ON THIS CERTIFICATION FORM CAN BE VALIDATED BY ACCESSING THE PENNSYLVANIA ACCESS TO CRIMINAL HISTORY (PATCH) RECORD CHECK STATUS SCREEN (http://epatch.state.pa.us/PATGH/RCStatusSearch.jsp) AND SUBMITTING A STATUS CHECK REQUEST THAT CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING - SUBJECT'S NAME (EXACTLY AS INITIALLY ENTERED), CONTROL NUMBER AND DATE OF REQUEST. PATCH WILL FIND AND DISPLAY THE CORRESPONDING RECORD CHECK REQUEST. DETAILS ON THE REQUEST CAN BE VIEWED BY CLICKING ON THE CONTROL NUMBER. YOU WILL BE ABLE TO VERIFY IF THIS REQUEST WAS SENT OUT AS A NO RECORD OR RECORD RESPONSE BY THE

QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE PSP HELP DESK AT TELEPHONE NUMBER 1-877-777-3375 FOR INSTATE CALLS OR 1-717-506-3262 OUT OF STATE CALLS.

**CERTIFIED BY:** 

DISSEMINATED BY: 461667

06/12/2009

LIEUTENANT MICHAEL F. Gilleian

DIRECTOR, CRIMINAL RECORDS AND IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

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# Albright College Office of the Registrar 13th and Bern Streets Reading, PA 19612

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Area of Concentration: Special Education

Entry Date:

Date Degree Granted: May 22, 2011

Honors:

Cumulative GPA: 3.706

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# NORTHEAST MIDDLE SCHOOL

# 1216 North Thirteenth Street Reading, PA 19604-2098

June 13, 2010

Re: Stewart Miller

To Whom It May Concern:

Stewart Miller is an itinerant special education teacher at the Comm. Tech. Magnet School for 6<sup>th</sup> grades. He exemplifies confidence, resourcefulness, flexibility, and creativity in the classroom. In addition, he displays an understanding of the students' specific learning needs, as well as style of learning.

I have known Mr. Miller for the past eight years. I was his mentor when he was a special education teacher at Northeast Middle School. At Northeast, he was very creative in his lessons and had a very good rapport with his students. As my mentee, he always accepted constructive feedback and made the necessary changes or additions that were requested of him. Stewart was always eager to complete any assigned tasks with the utmost professionalism and enthusiasm.

Competence, patience, flexibility, compassion, and professionalism are without doubt characteristics of an excellent and effective teacher and role model. Stewart Miller possesses all of these characteristics.

It is without reservation that I give Stewart Miller my highest recommendation.

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Donna Marburger

Special Education Department Chair

Northeast Middle School

# Cynthia Albrecht 809 Jerome Place West Lawn, PA 19609 610-670-9730

albrechc@readingsd.org

6/03/2009

To whom it may concern:

I had the privilege of teaching with Stewart Miller at Northeast Middle School in Reading, Pennsylvania. In addition to teaching as an ESL resource teacher, Mr. Miller and I worked together as resource teachers in the Special Education department.

I strongly feel that Stewart is an enthusiastic and dedicated teacher. He has shown a tremendous love of learning in a middle school environment, which he passes on to the students. The care and respect that he shows the students are evident in his classroom management and help he extends to the students and teachers.

Stewart is an advocate for the students and has a unique ability to meet the needs of the bilingual students in the class as well. Our students come from diverse backgrounds. Many of the them have special needs academically, linguistically, behaviorally, and emotionally. Stewart makes the most of the resources available to him and strives to meet the needs of the students. I have seen him provide remediation to students below grade level while providing stimulating enrichment for students functioning on grade level. I have observed the students in the class with him to be actively engaged and involved in all aspects of the learning process.

On a personal level, I appreciate the fact that Stewart is a genuine "team player". He is a pleasant person who generously offers to assist anyone – student, parent, or teacher – who is in need of assistance. His outlook on life is positive and he has the ability to maintain composure and optimism even when faced with adversity in the classroom.

I highly recommend Stewart Miller, knowing that he will be an asset to any program.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Albrecht

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# NORTHEAST MIDDLE SCHOOL 1216 North Thirteenth Street Reading PA 19604-2098

June 8, 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter of recommendation on behalf of Mr. Stewart Miller. I have had the pleasurable experience of acting as Mr. Miller's supervising administrator from the 2005-2006 school year to this current school year, at Northeast Middle School. During that time, I have observed a passion for the profession and students with special needs.

Mr. Miller has held numerous positions within the Special Education Department, while at Northeast Middle School. He initially began his tenure as a 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Special Education Resource Education teacher and eventually became the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Special Education Resource Teacher. As the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Resource Teacher, Mr. Miller was responsible for co-teaching with team teachers, servicing students by pulling them out of class for enrichment and staffing the resource room for all students. In addition to his Special Education obligations, Mr. Miller was also a teacher in our Reading Edge program. This is a scripted reading program in which students are homogeneously grouped by reading level. Teachers follow a prescribed script for instruction.

In addition to his instructional talents, Mr. Miller maintains acceptable professionalism. He is a selfless team player that always has the best interest of his students in mind. It is because of qualities, such as the above, that I recommend Mr. Stewart Miller as a valued addition to you educational institution.

Singerely,

Mr. Alex Brown

# Gateway School for Communication and Technology

905 Margaret Street Reading, Pennsylvania 19611 610-371-1166

# **Reading School District**

Secondary Observation Conference Summary Form

Teacher:

Stewart Miller

Announced

Unannounced

Grade

Subject:

Communication Arts (co-taught)

Date of Observation:

12-14-10

Time of Observation:

9:53 - 10:45

Number of Students:

21

Date observation report sent to teacher:

12-21-10

Observer:

Tamara Himmelberger - Principal

# Domain 1: LESSON PLANNING AND PREPARATION

Components	Excellent	Satisfactory	Not Observed	N/A
Demonstrates knowledge of content and pedagogy		Y	1101 Observed	13/A.
Demonstrates knowledge of students		X		
Develops appropriate goals and objectives		Y		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Demonstrates knowledge of resources	**************************************	X		
Develops a plan and method for evaluating the student work congruent with instructional goals		A	X	
Analyzes and uses student data	X	,		
Comment	X			

#### Comments:

- Packets of activities were provided. All packets were hands on group activities and focused on eligible content
- Specific students were targeted towards specific packet (activities) based on current data
- Learning goal was addressed at the beginning of the lesson, connected to packet activities

#### Suggestions:

- Consider specifically articulating the eligible content for each of the packets. Have students read cards and "explain" their goal for each packet
- Will any of the packets be assessed? How?

# **Domain 2: CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT**

Excellent	Satisfactory	Not Observed	N/A
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#### Comments:

- Students worked in groups of two or three and rotated stations
- Students were provided positive reinforcement and groups were monitored throughout the activities
- Directions were provided at the beginning of the activities and reiterated for students who needed directions restated or re-explained

# Suggestions:

- Use a timer to keep students focused and aware of rotation times
- Have students rotate to groups instead of rotating packets

**Domain 3: CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION** 

Components	Excellent	Satisfactory	Not Observed	N/A
Communicates objective and purpose of the lesson		X		
Communicates procedures and directions		X		
Uses effective questioning and discussion strategies		X		
Monitors student progress throughout the lesson	X			
Provides a variety of relevant activities to ensure student participation and higher order thinking		X		
Provides for closure and assessment		X		

# Comments:

Objective and purpose of the lesson were posted.

• Directions were explained and modeled at the beginning of the lesson and reiterated when or re-explained as needed

Overall Rating	Satisfactory 🗹	Unsatisfactory		
Observer		Date 12-21-10		
Teacher Stewart	will know	Date 12 21 2010		

# Reading School District Secondary Observation Conference Summary Form

Teacher:	Mr. Stewart Miller	Date/Time Observation:	April 29, 2011	
School:	Gateway/Com-Tech	Date/Time Post-Observation:	May 9, 2011	
Observer:	Allen Wert	Subject/Period:	Sped. IEP Metting	
Announced/Unannounced:	Announced	Tenure Y/N:	Ν	

Observation Focus

Mr. Miller was observed conducting an IEP meeting for a Comtech student

Domain 1: Lesson Planning and Preparation

Mr. Miller convened an IEP meeting for one of Comtech's 6<sup>th</sup> grade special ed students. The parent, Ms. Shomo, Comtech's guidance counselor, myself and Mr. Miller were present. Mr. Miller demonstrated a thorough knowledge of the SPED process and all the documentation was professionally produced and present for the parent to consider. Mr. Miller knew the student and his needs. The IEP included those accommodations which leveled the playing field for the student. Mr. Miller discussed the goals and objectives of the educational plan. He thoroughly explained everything to the parent and it was evident that the parents appreciated the thoroughness. He clearly explained the resources which would be brought to bear for the student and provided the parents with the documentation (guidelines, etc.) as prescribed by the IDEA and PDE process.

Domain 2: Classroom Environment

The meeting took place in my conference room. Steps have been taken to move the guidance and student services office closer to the main office. One of the reasons for this move is to give the Sped teachers such as Mr. Miller, a quiet and confidential place in which to meet with students and their parents.

Domain 3: Classroom Instruction

Mr. Miller communicated the objectives and purpose of the meeting to the parents in easy to understand terminology. He explained the procedures and guided the parent as they moved from section to section in the IEP. The parent had specific concerns which Mr. Miller considered as the document was processed. He was professional, truly engaged and empathetic, The parents asked some poignant questions and Mr. Miller was informative, candid, and genuine. I was impressed with Mr. Miller's attention to detail and with his concern for the student's well-being, placement, and academic expectations. Mr. Miller considered the students future placement and provided the parent with contact information which will prove helpful next year when the students moves to the middle school. Mr. Miller understood the District's obligations and made the parent feel comfortable that the services would be delivered as promised. The parent signed the documents and felt good in doing so. Domain 4: Professional Responsibilities

Mr. Miller is highly organized, very knowledgeable in sped law, maintains quality records regarding his case load, and is highly respected by staff and students. He volunteers his time freely and will take all steps to insure student success. Mr. Miller communicates exceptionally well with parents. He submits reports and requested written material in a timely fashion. He is currently conducting a graduate study survey regarding the effectiveness of the Reading Edge program at Comtech. The results of this graduate work will benefit Comtech immensely. He handles all behavioral issues himself and his judgment is sound. He is well-dressed, punctual and rarely absent. He is an asset to Comtech.

# Suggestions for Improvement:

I recommend he continue graduate work and would suggest a career in Administration. His communication and organizational skills are outstanding and his work with parents would lend themselves to a successful career as a principal.

# Reading School District Secondary Observation Conference Summary Form

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