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| **Objective** | | | | |
|  | After working in the classroom for the previous fourteen years, I have experienced education at many levels for rigor. I have worked year after year testing students and analyzing data to try and improve classroom instruction and assessment. There is a great fire within me to work toward enhancing education for our gifted and talented students so that they can ultimately compete educationally and professionally with the growing nations of the world. I am an extremely hard working person with the ambition and drive to constantly strive toward improvement and success. In 2010, I completed course work for and obtained my AIG add-on licensure through UNC Charlotte. For eight years I have served as an AIG teacher for middle grades as an English language arts teacher for sixth and seventh grade. I have served as the AIG lead teacher for RCMS, as well as, the sponsor for the RCMS Beta Club. While in this position I also so serve as the Battle of the Books sponsor, and a committee member of the school wide School Improvement Team, and PBIS team. While working as the AIG lead teacher I familiarized and used effectively the RCS AIG App to create DEPs, IDEPs, AIG 12, AIG 5, AIG 13, as well as, input test scores for students taking CogAT tests in the middle school. I have also served to support the new instructional coach in adapting to the AIG lead teacher role and have maintained many of my previous responsibilities while coaching the new teacher through the processes. With the experiences and time spent working with AIG students, parents, and processes I feel I am highly qualified candidate for the position of AIG lead teacher for Rockingham County Schools. | | | |
| **Skills** | | | | |
|  | **Computer and Technology**   * Have worked with a variety of grading and testing software, including Power School, School Net, RCS Data Mart, RCS CASA portal, RCS AIG App * Work daily with Google drive through spreadsheets for data tracking, to documents for creating shared lessons plans for the ELA department. * Practice and expertise with Microsoft Office and many of the components of it including Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Publisher.   **Educational**   * My major during my undergraduate studies was Elementary Education. My focus in this area has helped me to develop strong verbal and writing skills as well as skills to interact with students and coworkers alike. * While working as a teacher for the past fourteen years, I have used School Net as well as independently created item analysis to provide me countless amounts of data to analyze and use to improve and adjust classroom instruction and assessment. * I have had the privilege assist in the development and rewrite of district used pacing guides. I have also had the ability to work collaboratively with others to develop benchmark and common assessments for district instruction.   **Interpersonal and Leadership**   * I have strong interpersonal skills that have developed from playing on sports teams, coaching sports teams, and working collaboratively with other teachers in designing lessons and programs for a variety of student use. * While working as a teacher and coach, I have been able to hone and improve my organizational and time management skills. This has allowed me to multitask and give equal and appropriate attention to a variety of responsibilities. * I served as the school wide AIG lead teacher, putting me in a position of great responsibility. During the time I served in this position it was my job to ensure all DEPs were current and signed, all eighth Spring DEPs were completed, that AIG files were current and contained the appropriate paperwork, and relocated AIG records for students as the transitioned both into and out of middle school at RCMS. * Provided staff development for all teachers of AIG students at RCMS. * Held biannually AIG Advisory Board meetings at the school level. * Wrote schoolwide AIG plan for 2015-2016 and assisted in writing 2016-2017. * Create, facilitate, and monitor progress for students who qualify and participate in IDEP projects. | | | |
| **Experience** | | | | |
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| **Eighth, Sixth and Seventh Grade English Teacher** 2003-present  *Rockingham County Schools [RCMS] Reidsville, NC*  While serving in this position, I have had the responsibility of administering yearly state exams, as well as, district wide benchmark assessments and school wide common assessment. I also collaborative design units of study for daily, weekly, and monthly use preparing students for the North Carolina End of Grade Assessment. I work on a daily basis with the instructional coach and other grade level ELA teachers in differentiating and individualizing student assignments and assessments. | | | |
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| **Education** | | | | |
|  | **UNC Charlotte** | 2010 | | |
| **AIG Licensure Endorsement**  Completed course work to obtain AIG licensure while working at RCMS in the English department. All course work was completed in one year and I was able to add the endorsement to my North Carolina Teaching License. | | | |
|  | **Lock Haven University** | 1999-2003 | | |
| **Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education**  During my course of study as an undergraduate, I was able to maintain a major GPA of 3.80. I completed two teaching placements during this time in both rural and intercity schools. While attending college I served as a resident advisor for three years serving as a leader in dorms for underclassmen. During my years in college I also completed an internship with the Pennsylvania House of Representatives working with a senator to write legislation for certified nurses who spoke English as a second language. | | | |
| **References & Portfolio** | | | | |
|  | **Available Upon Request** | | |  |