Ashley Keine

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EXPERIENCE

Assistant Principal - Shoesmith Elementary, Chicago Public Schools

JULY 2019 - PRESENT

- Implements monthly peer observation cycles to support math teaching and learning
- Conducts monthly vertical collaboration meetings with math teachers Kindergarten through Grade 6
- A member of Network 9's Principal/Assistant Principal Advisory Council
- Leads the implementation of all digital curricula Kindergarten through Grade 6
- Manages student scheduling and grading in Aspen, as well as all staff schedules
- Has secured the Out of School Time grant the past six years and serves as the OST Lead
- Fosters community partnerships with Friends of Shoesmith, Chicago Children's Choir, St. Paul and the Redeemer Church, Openlands, Hyde Park Art Center, Michigan State University, and My Very Own Library
- Manages the tutoring cohort through Neighborhood Schools Program
- Created sustainable systems for Parent Portal access and parent volunteer opportunities
- Assessment Coordinator for all testing Kindergarten through Grade 6
- Conducts teacher REACH evaluations
- Serves as the school's Technology Coordinator and manages all assets through TipWeb
- Experience with managing payroll and budget
- Manages all school social media platforms and the school website

Director of Curriculum & Instruction - Shoesmith Elementary, Chicago Public Schools

JULY 2016 - JULY 2019

- Managed the planning and implementation of a 3rd-6th grade math intervention block
- Led the Instructional Leadership Team to support the Continuous Work Improvement Plan
- Conducted monthly "New Teacher Workshops" to support teacher practice
- Implemented attendance initiatives school-wide as a part of the School Attendance Team
- Led the Professional Personnel Leadership Committee and vetted all new curricula and teaching and learning resources
- Supported all social-emotional and behavioral tier I and tier II systems and structures school-wide

2nd Grade Teacher - Shoesmith Elementary, Chicago Public Schools

OCTOBER 2010 - JULY 2016

- Taught literacy and math using small group, differentiated instruction
- Created student learning menus to foster student ownership of task completion
- Integrated a variety of instructional technologies within all units
- Planned and implemented project-based units in all core subject areas
- Served as a Positive Behavior Support coach for the school
- Participated in the planning and implementation of several school-wide events including Family Math Night, Family Literacy Night, Shoesmith's Got Talent and Arts in the Garden
- Teacher representative for the Local School Council and community group Friends of Shoesmith

EDUCATION

University of Phoenix, Phoenix, AZ - Master of Arts in Education Administration AUGUST 2016 - MAY 2018

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI - Master of Arts in Educational Technology AUGUST 2013 - AUGUST 2015

Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI - Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education Endorsements: Mathematics & Geography AUGUST 2005 - MAY 2009

CERTIFICATION & QUALIFICATIONS

Illinois Professional Educator License

Principal, PreKindergarten - Grade 12 Elementary Education (Self Contained General Education), Kindergarten - Grade 9

Illinois Performance Evaluation - Teacher Evaluation

RELATED AWARDS & ACTIVITIES

Michigan State University Mentor Teacher

AUGUST 2012 - AUGUST 2016

- Supported the planning and implementation of math and literacy units, classroom management strategies and effective parent communication.
- Facilitated a workshop to support securing a full-time teaching position

MSU-WIPRO STEM Fellowship

JULY 2014 - JULY 2015

- Collaborated with other fellows across the district towards enhancing educational STEM initiatives
- Conducted a technology professional development for colleagues on using iPads as educational tools
- Explored, created, and shared STEM projects within the classroom and beyond
- Presented at the 2015 American Educational Research Association conference

Nominated for the Golden Apple Award

NOVEMBER 2014

Teaching Study Abroad Program – Cape Town, South Africa

JULY 2009 - AUGUST 2009

- Taught in a 2nd/3rd grade classroom at Cafda Primary with instruction in both English and Afrikaans
- Created a school to home parent program to support literacy improvement
- Created a school-wide introductory music and physical education program
- Took courses at the University of Cape Town to learn about South African Educational Systems

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

Sabrina Gates - Principal, Shoesmith Elementary, Chicago Public Schools Phone Number: (773) 841-2508 Email: slgates@cps.edu

Tiffany Sanders - Former Chief of Network 9, Chicago Public Schools Phone Number: (773) 206-2456 Email: tsphinn@cps.edu

Nicole Neal - Director of Student Services, University of Chicago Laboratory Schools Phone Number: (773) 780-9274 Email: nneal@ucls.uchicago.edu