

Ruth Lake

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Objective

My goal is to acquire employment which would allow me an opportunity to increase student achievement beyond a single classroom. This career opportunity would create a chance for me to utilize my professional and educational experiences to inspire other educators to make a significant difference in our children's educational experience

Certification

- ❖ 2001 Texas Teacher Certificate Elementary Self-Contained 1-8
- ❖ 2005 Texas Principal Certificate 5 year temporary

Experience

TAKS Academy/Tutoring Coordinator- Responsibilities: 2003-2008

Development of curriculum congruent with district and campus goals to ensure success of students' state assessment scores for math, reading, science, and social studies
Trained teachers to conduct small group instruction based on a student's needs
Oversaw budget and purchase materials for Academy
Created a schedule and timeline for each grade level to guarantee efficient time management

Established a resource literacy library

Interview Committee - Responsibilities: 2003-2008

Served on the interview committee

Collaborated for district curriculum writing: 2006-2007

Wrote curriculum for third grade reading scope and sequence

Used TAKS data and TAKS objectives to align the TEKS with the TAKS objectives

Curriculum Based Assessment team: 2005-2006

Co-wrote CBA for third grade reading

Created three CBA reading assessments

CBA Review committee: 2006-2007

Reviewed Curriculum based assessments

Mentor-Responsibilities: 2003-2004/2004-2005

Served as a mentor to first year teachers

Provided support to foster quality teaching

Master mentor trained Module 1, Module 2, and Module 3

Mentor Coordinator: 2005-2008

Coordinates mentor/protégé relationships on campus

District Presenter: 2002-2003/2005-2006/2006-2007/2007-2008

Guided Reading/Stations

NTI make-up for third grade curriculum

New Teacher Induction training

Additional Experience 2001-2008

- ❖ Working on the Work conference/Campus Level SBDM member/United Way committee/After-school special guided reading presenter/Brain based learning/Target Technology training/Accelerated Reading Instruction campus trainer/Math strategies campus trainer/Beverly Eisle training/Reading Academy/Region IV Reading Strategies training/Campus Design Team

- ❖ **Education**
- ❖ **Tarleton CT** Killeen, Texas
Master's of Education May 2005
Curriculum and Instruction – Emphasis in Reading
- Tarleton CT** Killeen, Texas
Bachelor's of Science May 2001
Interdisciplinary Studies
- Ellison High School** Killeen, Texas
High School Diploma May 1991

Employment History

- ❖ *(2007-Present)*
- ❖ *Adjunct Reading Instructor, Tarleton CT*

- ❖ *(2006-Present)*
- ❖ *Campus Instructional Specialist, Pershing Park Elementary*
Killeen Independent School District
Judy Van Riper, Principal (1996-Present)

- ❖ *(2005-2006)*
- ❖ *Campus Instructional Specialist, Ira Cross Elementary*
Killeen Independent School District
Jerry Broughton, Principal (2002-Present)

- ❖ *(2006 Summer school)*
- ❖ *Accelerated Reading Teacher, Ira Cross Elementary*
Killeen Independent School District
Joe Gulickson, Summer School Director

- ❖ *(2004-2005)*
- ❖ *7th/8th grade AVID Coordinator, Audie Murphy Middle School*
Killeen Independent School District
Minerva Trujillo, Principal (2004- Present)

- ❖ *(2003 Summer school)*
- ❖ *3rd Grade Teacher, Pershing Park Elementary*
Killeen Independent School District
Linda Butler, Summer School Director/Asst. Principal
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- ❖ *(2001-2004)*
- ❖ *3rd Grade Teacher, Maxdale Elementary*
Killeen Independent School District
Minerva Trujillo, Principal (2001-2004)

Professional Organizations

- ❖ Association of Texas Professional Educators
- ❖ International Reading Association