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Summary

- ♦ Uses differentiation techniques in innovative ways to ensure each child has the opportunity for success
- ♦ Skilled at integrating technology such as SmartBoards, virtual interviews, and video clips into the curriculum in a variety of ways
- ♦ Experienced with teaching all levels of language arts
- ♦ Excels at teaching the elements of rhetoric and composition
- ♦ Shares lesson plans, ideas, and materials with colleagues
- ♦ Adept at lecturing, questioning, and communicating with students
- ♦ Expert at guiding students through the art of writing
- ♦ Created and developed <http://msnoel.com> for communicating with students and parents
- ♦ Created and developed LA Online, an interactive website, for the Lafayette High School Language Arts Department

Education

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| Master's in Educational Technology, Honors Graduate
<i>Webster University, Webster Groves, MO</i> | 2003 |
| Bachelor of Arts in English
<i>College of Charleston, Charleston, SC</i> | 1993 |

Career History & Accomplishments

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| Lafayette High School, Wildwood, MO
♦ Currently teaching five sections of AP English Language & Composition
♦ Wrote & developed the curriculum for AP Language & Comp.; PLC Leader
♦ Taught Sr. Comp. Flex, a dual enrollment program, as an adjunct for University of Missouri – St. Louis and was PLC Leader for two years
♦ Taught 10 Honors Language Arts, Language Arts 11, Remedial 10, Multicultural Literature, and Senior Composition
♦ Successfully proposed a new course, Multicultural Literature, for Rockwood School District; wrote curriculum | 2001-2009 |
| Leesville Road High School, Raleigh, NC
♦ Taught 9 Honors, 9 College Prep, and 11 Regular | 1999-2001 |
| Berkeley High School (Berkeley School District), Moncks Corner, SC
♦ Taught Remedial 10, 9 Tech Prep, and Personal Exploration
♦ Created a course and curriculum, Personal Exploration, for at-risk students | 1997-1998 |
| Alternative School (Berkeley School District), Bonneau, SC
♦ Taught all Language Arts and History courses for students in grades 6-12
♦ Started/opened the school with one other teacher. I taught the humanities courses. | 1995-1996 |
| Cross High School (Berkeley School District), Cross, SC
♦ Taught the 9 th grade and one class of seniors one year
♦ Taught those same students as 10 th graders the next year
♦ Started the first 11 Honors class with some of those select sophomores | 1993-1995 |

Awards & Special Accomplishments

- ♦ Finalist for Teacher of the Year in 2005, 2008, and 2009
- ♦ Published Lesson with NCTE in July 2009
- ♦ Contracted by the University of Missouri to write the curriculum for AP Lang for their virtual online high school, 2009-2010
- ♦ Extra Distance Award Winner for 2007-2008, an award voted on by the senior class

- ♦ Presenter at College Board's Forum in Houston, TX in November 2008
 - ♦ Presenter at Successlink's Technology Convention at Lake of the Ozarks, July 2008
 - ♦ Successlink Winner April, October, and December 2008
 - ♦ AP Grader/Reader for 2007 and 2008 for AP English Language & Composition (Invited June '09)
 - ♦ Technology Award Committee Chairperson, 2007-2009
 - ♦ CareTeam "Woman of Character" in 2006
 - ♦ Tech Award Winner in 2004 and 2005
 - ♦ Co-Winner of Successlink Award with Diane Tinucci in 2002
 - ♦ Heinz Ketchup, International Slogan Contest Winner ("Easier to Spell than Worcestershire")
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Professional Memberships

- ♦ NCTE – National Council of Teachers of English
 - ♦ ISTE – International Society for Technology in Education
 - ♦ NEA- National Education Association
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AP Language Statistics and Successes

- ♦ Increased enrollment 221% in four years
- ♦ Achieved a 97.8% pass rate in 2009
- ♦ Taught five sections and 105 students in 2009
- ♦ Average score in 2009 was 4.2
- ♦ 79% of the students scored either a 4 or a 5 in 2009