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Dedicated and self-motivated teacher seeking a position in a work environment that is student centered and committed to meet the needs of a diverse learning environment in a 21st Century classroom.

**Areas of Expertise/Training:**

* Differentiate instruction
* Work well with others
* Reliable
* AMSTI trained
* ARI retooling
* Leader in Me
* 1:1 iPad initiative
* 21st Century expectations
* Strategic planning
* Actively engage students
* Classroom management
* Data driven instruction
* Project-based learning
* Technology integration
* Parent communication

**Education:**

Masters, Educational Leadership, 2010 Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

Education Specialist, Elementary Education, 2009 Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

Maters of Education, Elementary Education, 2007 Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, AL

Bachelors, Clothing and Textile Design, 1998 University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

**Work History:**

Third-Grade Teacher Stemley Road Elementary, Talladega County Schools, Talladega AL August 2013-Present

* Differentiate instruction to meet individual needs of the learners
* Use a variety of methods to actively engage students
* Create lesson plans according to state standards
* Give formative and summative assessments to drive instruction
* Adjust instruction based on students’ needs
* Maintain ongoing communication with parents
* Work with co-workers to plan lessons to meet the needs of the students
* Implement the latest technology to assist learning

Fifth-Grade Teacher Stemley Road Elementary, Talladega County Schools, Talladega AL August 2005-May 2013

* Taught reading and math standards
* Worked with co-workers to plan effective lessons
* Identified student deficits
* Served as grade-level chair
* Served on the CIP team
* Maintained ongoing communication with parents and administrators

Manager Goody’s Family Clothing, Alexander City, AL October 2001-November 2003

* Supervised employees
* Maintained close communication with the district manager and corporate office
* Provided outstanding customer service to the public
* Scheduled employees to ensure proper floor coverage
* Hired and terminated employees

**Organizations**

Delta Sigma Theta, INC

*References available upon request*