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**Teaching Experience**

**Coleytown Elementary School Westport, CT 1999-Present**

Reading Specialist Grades K-5

* Provide small group instruction for tier 2 and tier 3 students using the Orton-Gillingham approach, Fundations, UFLI,, S.P.I.R.E., EPS Sounds Sensible
* Progress monitor using norm-based and informal assessment (Aimsweb Plus ORF, Aimsweb Plus WRF, Basic Reading Inventory, CORE Teaching Reading Sourcebook, Westport District decoding and encoding assessments, Phonemic Awareness Assessment (PAST), Gallistel-Ellis Test of Coding Skills
* Develop data-driven plans for student improvement
* Model effective researched based instructional and assessment strategies
* Collaborate with classroom teachers to provide literacy support
* Fundations Facilitator Training
* Prepare and deliver professional development at the school and district levels
* Participate in Planning and Placement Team meetings
* Provide Push-in support services in Kindergarten and Grade One classrooms to provide early literacy intervention
* Participate in Parent-Literacy Support Teacher conferences
* Participate in Literacy Cabinet Meetings
* Participate in weekly Interventionist meetings
* Participate in District Literacy Team meetings

**Coleytown Elementary School Westport, CT 1998--1999**

Second Grade Teacher

* Second Grade Classroom Teacher
* Provided whole group and small group instruction for reading and math curriculum
* Participated in Planning and Placement Team meetings
* Actively collaborated with classroom teachers on the Grade two team
* Actively collaborated with Grade Two teachers within the Westport Public Schools District
* Conducted Parent-Teacher conferences

**Coleytown Elementary School Westport, CT 1990-1998**

Grade One Classroom Teacher

* First Grade Classroom Teacher
* Participated in Planning and Placement Team meetings
* Administered Grade One Assessments
* Developed data driven plans for student improvement
* Provided whole group and small group instruction for reading and math curriculum
* Modeled effective research-based instructional strategies
* Actively collaborated with classroom teachers on the Grade One team
* Actively collaborated with Grade One teachers within the Westport Public Schools District
* Conducted Parent-Teacher conferences

**Coleytown Elementary School Westport, CT 1989--1990**

Kindergarten Classroom Teacher

* Kindergarten Long Term Substitute
* Kindergarten Classroom Teacher
* Provided whole group and small group instruction for reading and math curriculum
* Participated in Planning and Placement Team meetings
* Actively collaborated with classroom teachers on the Grade K team
* Actively collaborated with Grade K teachers within the Westport Public Schools District
* Conducted Parent-Teacher conferences

**Education**

**Sacred Heart University Fairfield, CT 2006--2008**

Connecticut Literacy Specialist 6th year degree

**Sacred Heart University Fairfield, CT 1987-1989**

Master of Arts in Teaching, Elementary Education

**Fairfield Univeristy Fairfield, CT 1983-1987**

B.A. Sociology

**Certification**

**Connecticut Professional Educator Certificate**

(003) Elementary Pre K through Grade 6

(006) Elementary Grade 4-Grade 8

(102) Remedial Reading and Remedial Language Arts - Grade 1 through Grade 12

Certified Fundations Facilitator

Orton Giillingham Classroom Educator certification

Completed Orton Gillingham associate level coursework and practicum