Kristine Saunders

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OBJECTIVE

My goal is to be hired as a school library media specialist, where I can apply my years of teaching experience to support teachers and share my passion of reading with students. I want to build collaborative relationships with teachers across content areas and help students be successful in school and life.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Teaching Classroom management Organization
Collection development Communication Technology
Literature Lesson planning Collaboration

EDUCATION

Master of Library Information Studies, December 2022 GPA: 4.0 Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia

Master of English Education, May 2011 GPA: 4.0

Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University, Blacksburg, Virginia

Bachelor of English, May 2009 GPA: 3.71

Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University, Blacksburg, Virginia

Undergraduate, August 2005 to May 2007 Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

English Teacher

Roanoke County Public Schools, Roanoke, Virginia

Glenvar Middle School, Salem, Virginia. August 2014 to June 2015. 6th grade English and co-taught English

Hidden Valley Middle School, Roanoke, Virginia. August 2011 to June 2014.

7th grade English, co-taught English, and Pre-AP English 8th grade Pre-AP English

Blacksburg Public Library, Blacksburg, Virginia. July 2022. Practicum with Branch Manager Monena Hall

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Golden Apple Award finalist – Roanoke County Public Schools – 2014

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Literature for Children; Library Management and Leadership; Schooling in American Society; Library Media Services and the Curriculum; Teaching Adolescent Readers; Literature and Media for Young Adults; Children's Literature Across the Curriculum PK-8; Knowledge Resources: Planning, Selecting, and Managing Collections; Knowledge Organization and Access