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Education/Certifications

ABD elementary education, The University of Mississippi, Oxford, Mississippi, 2006

MS elementary education, Delta State University, Cleveland, Mississippi, 2001. BS elementary education, Delta State University, Cleveland, Mississippi, 1999. ADN nursing, Mississippi Delta Community College, Moorhead, Mississippi, 1985.

Work History

Instructor within the Elementary Education Department of Teacher Education at Delta State University from August 2001 to present.

Teacher, second grade, Ray Brooks School, Benoit, Mississippi, August 1999 to May 2001.

Registered Nurse, Home Health Care Agencies, June 1985 to December 1997.

Teaching Load

Fall 2005

CEL 314 Early literacy Instruction I CEL 315 Early Literacy Instruction II CEL 317 Principles and Techniques of Teaching in Early Childhood CEL 496 Supervised six student teachers

Spring 2006

CEL 314 Early literacy Instruction I CEL 315 Early Literacy Instruction II (2 sections) CEL 317 Principles and Techniques of Teaching in Factly Child

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Scholarship

Snow, C. & Allen-Bradley, J. (2005). I don't know nuttin' about no engineer: The need for building background knowledge. *Delta Education Journal*, 2, 7-14.

Work Supporting P-12 Education

Developed and presented an interactive workshop session that engaged participants in instructional strategies to increase young children's vocabulary development. The workshop was given at the Early Childhood Conference, which took place at DSU. Early childhood faculty and staff from local communities participated in hands-on experiences and were given research findings regarding vocabulary development.

- Coordinated and participated in a group presentation that engaged P-12 teachers in instructional strategies for vocabulary development. The presentation was given at the 2006 Mississippi Reading Association Conference and included three teacher candidates.
- Coordinated the volunteers' participation in West Bolivar Middle School's Dr. Seuss Day Birthday Celebration. Collaborated with the school's literacy coach to arrange sessions for Delta State's elementary education and special education teacher candidates to read to the students.
- Presented parents with early literacy strategies for young children during the Children's Boot Camp, which was sponsored by the Americorp volunteers of McEvans Elementary School on January 16, 2006.

Service

Re-worked the course curriculum for CEL 314 and CEL 315 to align the course content with the literacy goals prescribed by the Higher Education Literacy Council.

Actively serve on the Health and Wellness Committee for the university.