Jonathan Taft Sallée Bolingbrook, IL

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"...Works, seamlessly and respectfully, given varied teaching styles and classroom climates ...demostrates the ability and drive to incorporate resources and strategies in discovering how an individual student best learns..."

Linda Warning Special Education Teacher IPSD

"...Compassionate and professional, Jonathan has the rare ability of assisting an individual to his or her greater self while still having him or her behave and perform within the expectations of the classroom."

Melissa L. Wilke Adult Day Program Head Instructor WDSRA

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Strong commitment to broadening the accessibility of male teachers inside classrooms. Seven years experience working in various roles within education and inclusion. A resident of Bolingbrook with two school-aged children, looking to establish a lifelong career in education.

EDUCATION, HONORS, & CERTIFICATES **Elementary Type03 Certificate,** May 2010 Middle School Social Science Endorsement

Bachelor of Arts, Education, Honors, May 2010 Trinity Christian College, Palos Heights, IL

Aerospace Educator

Civil Air Patrol, United States Air Force Auxiliary

Diversity at the Blackboard Scholarship Award, 2008

Associated Colleges of Illinois

Associate of Arts, Psychology, August 2006 **Honors Scholar**

College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society Member

KEY QUALIFICATIONS

Motivating and calming force within the classroom, with a strong yet compassionate policy on classroom management.

Thorough knowledge of curriculum materials and instructional techniques with abilities to make modifications to curriculum as needed.

Internally motivated and equipped with proper understanding of classroom needs and solutions.

High regard for policies and procedures district has set forth, working within the school's requirements while honoring students' best interest.

EMPLOYMENT

Teacher Aide, Supported Education, 2006 to Present Brooks Middle School, Bolingbrook, IL

Student Teacher, Sixth Grade Social Studies, 2009

A Vito Martinez Middle School, Romeoville, IL

Student Teacher, Fifth Grade, 2009 Richard Henry Lee School, Chicago, IL

Teacher Aide, ESY Special Education, 2007 Beverly Skoff Elementary School, Romeoville, IL

Teacher Assistant, ESY Supported Education, 2006 Gregory Middle School, Naperville, IL

Teacher Assistant, Self-Contained Special Education, 2005 to 2006 Granger Middle School, Aurora, IL