

RITA KIEN

CAREER PROFILE

Accomplished educator with multicultural awareness and educational background. Successful at introducing subjects in a fresh perspective that gains interest. Strong leadership, communication and student advocacy skills. Excellent teaching credentials and background in teaching all grades and all subjects. MAT degree in progress.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATION

Michigan State University, Lansing, Michigan 2010

M.A., Education

Concentrations: Language Arts & Political Science

Certification: Secondary Grades 7-12

Northwestern Michigan University, Traverse City, Michigan 2005

Bachelor of Science

Concentration: General Studies

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Valley School District, Traverse City, Michigan 2006 to Present

K-12 Substitute Teacher

Educate all grades and all subjects on as needed basis. Enjoy reputation of reliability, flexibility, encouragement, friendliness and strong ethics.

King Middle School, Acme, Michigan 2004 to 2006

Student Teacher

Taught, assisted and observed regular and accelerated 7th grade classes, developed daily lesson and unit plans, and stimulated creativity through effective use of materials and integrating subject matter effectively.

VOLUNTEER WORK

4H CLUBS 1984 to 1988

Advisor/Mentor

Conducted classes in animal husbandry for cattle and sheep. Provided support for organization at fairs, organized and participated in contests.

FARM BUREAU 1982 to 1999

Member

Traveled statewide educating public in ways of agriculture. Organized, staffed and themed booths, provided wool spinning demos and other related activities, encouraged sale of lamb products.