

DR. LAURA LUNSFORD

SECONDARY SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER

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PROFILE

I am an Air Force veteran, who thrives on educating and being educated. My career objective is to grow in the area of education in all aspects. I am interested in teaching at different learning levels and building engaging curriculum for core content areas that can be used for successful learning in our district.

SKILLS

- EXPERIENCED IN MICROSOFT PROGRAMS
- TECHONOLOGY PROFICIENT
- CONFIDENT IN ONLINE PLATFORMS
- MULTI-TASKER
- DATA-DRIVEN

EXPERIENCE

Special Education Teacher, Secondary

2020-Current

As a special education teacher, at the secondary level, I service 115 students in the areas of 6-8th grade mathematics and 6th-8th-grade science. With each student, is each individualized learning plan, understanding each students' accommodations/modifications to the teacher posted assignments. As a co-teacher, it is important to be able to work alongside the assigned classroom teacher and collaborate on lessons that benefit all students. I attend to a caseload of 17 students, attend each students' annual accommodations meetings (with others who are vested in the student's education). Data is used on a daily basis to make decisions that influence the direction of each student's learning and to determine the success or lack of. Interventions are provided to students to help build gap s in areas with major deficits.

Science-Math Teacher, Secondary

2015-2020

As a math and science teacher, at the secondary level, I was personally responsible for the education of 100's of students over the course of five years. During this time, interventions were provided to students to help bridge gaps in learning and data was analyzed to determine the success of lessons taught or those needed to be retaught. Over the course of these years, I have attended many professional development opportunities that allowed me to learn better teaching strategies.

U.S. Air Force

1999-2013

As a Munitions Systems Specialist, logged and filed classified documents. Trained and instructed subordinates and supported units on Munitions Training. Effective decision-maker in high-pressure environments. Managed receipt, storage, and issue of ammunition processes. Patrolled areas and allows restricted access for authorized personnel. Supervised operation and organizational maintenance of weapons

EDUCATION

Doctorate in Education

2017-2020

Capella University

Master's in Education

2015-2017

American Military University

Master’s in Accounting

2012-2015

American Military University

Bachelor’s in Public Health

2010-2012

American Military University

systems and specialized equipment. Coordinated training schedules and filed crucial administrative paperwork. Completed multiple fire prevention safety training.