

Brenda Ladd

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OBJECTIVE	To obtain a Kindergarten through 6 th Grade teaching position	
EDUCATION	The University of Texas at Austin Bachelor of Science in Applied Learning and Development GPA: 3.8	May 2010
CERTIFICATION	Early Childhood to Sixth Grade Generalist Certification	June 2010
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Westover Elementary, Austin ISD <i>Apprentice Teacher, 3rd Grade</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Took full responsibility and control over classroom for two week period (total teach)• Wrote and shared math lesson plans with the 3rd grade team• Taught TEKS based lesson plans daily in all subject areas• Participated in preparing students for the 3rd grade math and reading TAKS tests• Provided TAKS tutoring after school• Modified lessons and assignments daily to suit the needs of English Language Learners• Helped create and implement behavioral plans for two students• Attended all professional development opportunities throughout the semester	Spring 2010
	Mathews Elementary, Austin ISD <i>Student Intern, 6th Grade</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Participated in team meetings in the preparation of daily lesson plans and units• Modified lesson plans to meet the learning needs of students• Motivated students through an active learning environment• Designed and implemented positive classroom management strategies• Developed relationship with both students and parents• Helped to lead and direct Parent Teacher Conferences	Fall 2009
	Westover Elementary, Austin ISD <i>Student Intern, Kindergarten</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assisted teacher with daily lesson plans and activities• Developed and taught a lesson on farm animals with small group activity to reinforce learning• Performed daily Read-Alouds to supplement lesson plans• Conducted student case study to determine and develop alternative behavior intervention plan	Spring 2009
RELATED EXPERIENCE	Mad Science After School Program <i>Teacher/Team Leader</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Utilized provided lesson plans to lead weekly science based classes for grades K-6• Conducted science workshops for pre-kindergarten students in Montessori school	Sept 2008 – June 2009
	HOSTS Reading Program <i>Tutor/Mentor, Allan Elementary</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assisted five 3rd grade students with reading fluency and comprehension skills• Worked one-on-one with two 4th grade ESL students to improve reading comprehension	Sept 2008 – June 2009
	College Bound Program <i>Team Leader</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Educated 5th grade students about the process of getting into college, 4 weeks• Conducted a walking tour field trip of the UT Austin campus at conclusion of program	Oct 2008 – Nov 2009
ACTIVITIES	University of Texas Education Council (2008-2009) Austin City Library Volunteer (2009) Children's Hospital Playroom Volunteer (2009)	