

JODY PIPER

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OBJECTIVE - Position as an educator in higher level science (preferably Biology).

HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Master's degree in Biology
- 2 years as Pre-AP Biology Instructor
- 12 years as Middle School general science teacher
- Gifted & Talented (GT) Trained - District GT Training Team in Creativity
- Pre-AP program participant (AP Strategies) 2002-2004
- District Textbook Selection Committee - 6th Grade Science
- District Science Standards Committee - 6th Grade Science
- Trained in Kagan Cooperative Learning & Multiple Intelligences

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

AACAL High School, Amarillo, TX 2004-present

Houston Middle School, Amarillo, TX 1994-2004
6th grade Honors Science, Girls' Athletics (1994-1999)

Achievements:

- Teacher of the Year nominee (4 yrs.)
- Local School Council Member (4 yrs.), Secretary (2 yrs.)
- Science Fair Coordinator (4 yrs.)
- Supervising Teacher (3 yrs.)/Mentor Teacher (4 yrs.)
- Summer Science Academies (1999-2003)
- Science UIL Coach (2004)
- Student Council Co-Sponsor, Courtesy Committee Chairperson

Clack Middle School, Abilene, TX 1992-1994
6th grade Science, Girls' Athletics

Microbiology Lab Instructor, WTA&MU 1990-1991

EDUCATION

Master of Science, Biology - West Texas A&M University, 2003
Bachelor of Science, Biology & Kinesiology - WTA&MU, 1991

REFERENCES (addresses and contact number available on request)

- Karen Tomlinson, Principal - Amarillo Area Center for Advanced Learning
- Donna Tracy, Science Dept. Chair - AACAL
- Angie Noel, Principal - Sam Houston Middle School
- Dr. Doug Bingham, Life Sciences Dept. Head - WTA&MU
- Dr. Ray Matlack, Life Science - WTA&MU

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Resume Addendum:

HONORS & AWARDS:

- Valedictorian – Paducah High School 1988
- WTAMU Campus Services Scholarship 1988-89
- Paul Douglas Teacher Scholarship 1988-1991
- Texas Student Education Association (TSEA) – Vice President
- Tri-Beta Biological Honor Society – Secretary
- Alpha Chi Honor Society
- Magna Cum Laude Bachelor's of Science Degree – GPA 3.89
- Venture Club of Amarillo (community service organization) - President 1996-1998
- Venture Club of Amarillo Member of the Year – 1995,1996
- Houston Middle School Teacher of the Year Nominee – 1997-98, 1998-99, 2000-01
- Local School Council Member 1997-2001
- Master's of Science Degree WTAMU – GPA 4.0
- AISD Science Standards Committee – 2001-2004
- AISD Textbook Selection Committee – 2003-2004

WORKSHOPS PRESENTED:

- ARC of Texas Conference 1997
- NSTA Conference 2000, Phoenix, AZ
- Texas Middle School Conference 1998
- Amarillo ISD – Middle School Conference 1998
- Summer Science Academy 1999
- Cooperative Learning Trainer – AISD 199
- WTAMU Math & Science Conference 1999, 2000, 2001
- TAGT (Tx Association of Gifted & Talented) – 2001
- AISD Gifted & Talented Training Team – 2003-2006

MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES:

- Sam Houston Science Fair Coordinator 1995-2000
- JASON Curriculum Lead Teacher 1997-2001
- Mentor Program Lead Teacher 1998-1999
- WTAMU Education Mentor & Supervising Teacher
- Pre-AP Instructor, AP Strategies Trained
- Have attended several workshops on inquiry-based assessment, hands-on learning strategies, and on current TEKS/TAKS instruction methods.