

# DAVID WRIGHT

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## Strengths & Skills

- A deep passion for developing a love of learning in every child
- Emphasize technology integrated lessons utilizing computer software and internet applications
- Experienced with blogging, podcasts, video streaming, interactive whiteboards, and document cameras
- Ability to apply real-world applications when designing curriculum
- Able to adapt and modify lessons to meet diverse learning abilities using inquiry-based models of instruction
- Encourage multiculturalism in the classroom
- Create authentic learning experiences by building a unique classroom community
- Dedicated to enthusiastic and dynamic teaching methods to enhance learning environment

## Education

**Master in Teaching**, June 2017 - June 2018

Whitworth University, Spokane, Washington

*Honors: Diversity Scholarship, 2017-2018*

**Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering**, August 2005 - May 2009

California State University, Long Beach, California

*Honors: Dean's List, 2006-2009; Distinguished Senior Award, 2009*

## Certification

**Residency Teacher Certificate**, State of Washington, June 2018

**Endorsements:** Elementary Education (K-8), Middle Level Mathematics (4-9)

**Content Assessments (NES):** Elementary Education, May 2017; Middle Grades Mathematics, August 2017

## Classroom Experience

**Student Teacher**, sixth grade, September 2017-June 2018

Colbert Elementary, Mead School District, Colbert, Washington

- Planned and utilized developmentally appropriate learning activities using a weekly theme
- Designed and implemented culturally responsive lessons based upon Common Core Standards
- Intentionally incorporated multiple facets of technology into the classroom curriculum
- Motivated students through an active learning environment using positive classroom management strategies
- Created a learning community that encouraged parent involvement
- Organized a community service project to increase environmental awareness and use of local recycling center

**Intercultural Field Experience**, fourth grade, April 2018

Bemiss Elementary, Spokane Public Schools, Spokane, Washington

- Prepared lessons in all subject areas adapted to meet language and socio-economic cultural diversity
- Developed a podcast writing and reading unit to familiarize students and parents with current technology using project theme of *"What Makes You Laugh"* presented at Parent Night

## **Employment Experience**

**Electrical Engineer**, Murphy Brothers Construction Inc., Spokane, Washington, 2011-2017

- Computer-aided drafting and technical drawing
- Construction Technology Instructor

**Office Engineer**, ABC Engineering Consultants, Long Beach, California, 2009 – 2011

- Assisted Project Manager and team in monitoring and execution of construction contract administrative and technical requirements
- Prepared construction contract correspondence and documents

## **Volunteer Activities**

**Math & Reading Tutor**, Farwell Elementary, first to third grade, Mead School District, Spokane, Washington, 2011-2016

**Soccer Coach**, Spokane Youth Soccer Association, third to sixth grade boys, Spokane, Washington, 2010-2014

**Soccer Coach**, Skyhawks Soccer Summer Camps, ages six to fifteen, Long Beach, California and Spokane, Washington, Summers 2004-2009

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