

# STEPHANIE BROWN-BRYANT

## EXPERIENCE

### **Principal, Indian Creek Elementary**

**DeKalb County School District, June 2018 – Present**

Plan and develop the instructional program for over 1000 students, ensuring the implementation of the Georgia Department of Education Standards

Analyze statistical data that lead to improved student achievement

Under my supervision, Indian Creek Elementary improved its CCRPI score by 18.8 points (80 CCRPI score in 2019)

Foster the development of Professional Learning Communities

Work collaboratively with stakeholders to identify school wide needs and implement plans to meet those needs

Enforce high academic standards relative to student achievement aligned to district and state expectations

Implement procedures as outlined in TKES observation and evaluation system Recruit and hire high quality educators and support staff to ensure success

### **Assistant Principal, Indian Creek Elementary & Hawthorne Elementary**

**DeKalb County School District, August 2013 – June 2018**

Analyze and review data from academic reports and various testing results

Disaggregate College and Career Readiness Performance Indicators (CCRPI)

Gather data, plan and make edits for Consolidated School Improvement Plan (CSIP)

Analyze Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) data to determine areas of strengths and weaknesses and make instructional decisions

Oversee and maintain security of all testing procedures as Testing Coordinator

Serve as TKES evaluator and use TKES data for instructional improvement

Monitor teacher duties and responsibilities

Create master schedule and maximize FTE funding

Lead faculty meetings and professional development activities giving a sense of inspiration and direction to all faculty members Review IEP compliance for co-taught school setting

Oversee all Safe Schools duties (drills and crisis preparation) and document events

Interview and hire highly-qualified staff

Manage tutorial and Title 1 budgets

Plan, implement and supervise all testing and evaluation for all students

Lead data talks and identify strategies and interventions

Analyze and disseminate data to enhance the educational program

Cultivate and sustain communication with stakeholders

Lead, monitor, support and assess progress of STEM certification process

Partner with community to improve our STEM program

Provide administrative coverage of daily and extracurricular events

Communicate academic goals and expectations to stakeholders

Provide differentiation and best practices methods

**Miller Grove Middle School, Instructional Coach****DeKalb County School District, December 2012 – August 2013**

Assisted in implementation of engaging, researched-based instructional strategies  
Provided organized, individual and/or group learning opportunities for teachers  
Provided support in analyzing student assessment data  
Assisted teachers with designing instructional decisions based on assessment data  
Supported classroom outcomes through motivation and management strategies  
Assisted teachers in creating materials that are in alignment with curriculum  
Monitored intervention programs by observing and frequently meeting with teachers  
Provided teachers Internet links related to instruction and curriculum  
Modeled lessons and assisted teachers with specific classroom activities  
Provided encouragement and support to teachers  
Worked collaboratively to meet identified district and building improvement goals Led professional development for all assessments

**Greenville High School, Instructional Technology Specialist****Meriwether County School District, July 2010 – July 2011****9<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADES – INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY ADMINISTRATOR**

Assisted in planning and integrating technology in schools districtwide  
Prepared multi-media presentations for Region and administrative staff  
Purchased hardware and research-based software consistent with district standards and proven success  
Served as an evaluator to determine the strengths and weaknesses at school sites  
Assisted schools with retrofitting their facilities and installing academic computer labs  
Wrote and obtained federal, state and local grants to improve student achievement utilizing technology  
Provided professional development for staff to improve efficiency in a variety of instructional software programs  
Trained teachers on utilizing and interpreting data warehouse reports  
Monitored and assessed progress for virtual learning students

**Tucker Middle School, Teacher****DeKalb County School District***August 2004 – July 2010, July 2011 – December 2012***6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE - GIFTED SCIENCE, 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADES – ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY**

Facilitated standards-based lessons based on district curriculum  
Implemented project-based learning opportunities  
Created engaging, technology-rich lessons  
Sponsored students in robotics and engineering competitive events  
Developed and presented technology professional learning  
Served as Discipline Hearing Officer  
Provided support as Teacher Support Specialist (TSS)

**Livsey Elementary School, Teacher****DeKalb County School District, August 1996 - July 2004****4<sup>TH</sup> – 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADES, ALL SUBJECTS**

Built positive relationships with students, staff and families  
Provided positive learning environment with high standards and clear expectations  
Designed and modified lessons appropriately for students' needs  
Collaborated and led team-building experiences Incorporated technology into lessons

## **EDUCATION**

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATION, (2008)  
Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

MASTER'S AND SPECIALIST DEGREES, (2001, 2003) - COMPUTING  
TECHNOLOGY IN EDUCATION  
Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

GIFTED CERTIFICATION, (2000)  
Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, (1995) - MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION  
Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA

## **CONTRIBUTIONS AND AWARDS**

DCSD Region IV Principal of the Year  
Georgia State University's Joe Richardson Exemplary Leadership Award, 2022  
DeKalb County Educational Support Person of the Year, 2017  
DeKalb County Aspiring Principal Leadership Cohort, 2017  
Yale National Fellow (Published curriculum units at Yale University, 2008-2010)  
DeKalb County Leadership Internship Initiative (Delta Cohort, 2008)  
DeKalb County System-Wide Middle School Teacher of the Year, 2008  
DeKalb County Teacher of the Year, (Tucker Middle, 2008 & Livsey School, 2001)  
Rising Scholars Summer Program Administrator, 2015-2017  
Presenter, Kennesaw State University, Prospective Teacher Conference  
Administrative Intern/Local Hearing Officer, Tucker Middle School  
Professional Development Liaison/Committee Chair  
Webmaster, Tucker Middle School & Greenville High School  
AT&T Technology Mini-Grant Award Recipient, 2001 & 2008  
Robotics & Future City Sponsor (Best Design, 2009)  
Technology and Media Committee Chair  
Mentor Teacher/Teacher Support Specialist  
Valdosta State Ambassador  
Golden Key International Honour Society  
Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education