**Objective:**

I would like to pursue a High School Physics teaching position. I have a valid Florida teaching certificate with endorsements and experience in **Middle School Math**, **Science**, **Social Studies** and **Language Arts**. I am currently applying for my Physics endorsement. I also have my Educational Leadership Certificate.

**Summary of Qualifications:**

I am an innovative professional with 20+ years of progressive experience in education and educational leadership. I have the skills to drive growth, capitalize on potential and manage all aspects of education.

I am considered a proactive data driven educator with exemplary people skills. I have worked with assessment data, analyzed it and made the necessary adjustments for my students. I facilitate a team approach to achieving organizational objectives, increasing productivity and enhancing student success. I have contributes to the *National Blue Ribbon of Excellence Awards* at both Martino Junior High school and Crete-Monee Middle School (two time winner).

I have expertise in student, parent, and colleague relations. I am constantly working with data and the needs of our students. I work diligently to communicate with parents and staff through paper, verbal, text, phone, Canvas and my Web-Site.

I am a quick study, with an ability to easily grasp and put into application new

Ideas, concepts, methods and technologies. I have taught myself Power School and Web Design. I am currently working creating online testing. I currently have a program that grades online assessments and import the results to my grade book. My program will also emails the grades to our parents.

I have multiple NCLB endorsements (Math, Science, Language Arts and Socials studies). This wide variety of knowledge allows me to relate subject matter to other academic areas. By correlating and interweaving subjects students can see practical examples and we can reinforce topics throughout student learning.

My Extra Curricular Experiences include the following:

Girls Basketball Coach, Baseball Coach, Homewood Baseball Umpire Trainer, HF Youth Hockey Coach, HF Youth Hockey Board of Directors, IHSA Baseball / Basketball / Hockey Official, FHSSA Baseball Umpire, Lightning High School Hockey League (LHSHL) Board of Directors, Tampa Bay Lightning Developmental Team Coach, LHSHL Coaching Education and Evaluation.

Sincerely,

Mr. James P. Blaszczyk

**Professional:**

7th Grade Science – Pasco School District

Paul R. Smith Middle School

Mr. Joel DiVincent – (727) 246-3200 From 2015 to Present

* Science Teacher
* Professional Learning Community Chair
* Leadership Team
* Tech / Social Media Committee
* Science Fair
* Data Analysis
* Assessment Author and Coordinator

6th Grade Math and Science – Concept Charter Schools

Horizon Science Academy – Belmont, Chicago IL

Mr. Seder Kartal – (773) 237 – 2702 From 2015

* Science
* Math
* Science Fair Director
* S.T.E.M. Coordinator
* Science Club Sponsor

5th Grade Science, Social Studies, Literacy, Math – CPS

Wentworth Elementary School Englewood Chicago

Ms. Dina Everage – (773) 535 3394 From 2014 - 2015

* Science
* Social Studies
* Language Arts
* Reading
* Math
* Data Analysis

Science – School District 157 Calumet City, IL

Dr. Bennie Knott – (708) 862-4236 from 2010 – 2014

* Worked on Interdisciplinary team
* Experienced with Response to Intervention
* Created Science Curriculum Guide
* Data Driven Results
* Differentiated Instruction and Progress Monitoring
* Head Girls Basketball Coach

Science/ Math / Social Studies Teacher - School District 83 - Melrose Park, IL

Mr. Tim Daley – (847) 455-5020 from 2008 - 2010

• Worked on two interdisciplinary teams

• Member of the Social Studies Text Book Committee

• Math and Science teams

• Experienced with Response to Intervention

• Data Driven Results

• Differentiated Instruction and Progress Monitoring

Assistant Principal - School District 162 - Matteson, IL 2007 – 2008

Ms. Mogda Walker (708) 267-1145

• Manager for 100+ staff members and 500 students

• Data Driven School Improvement Efforts

• Organized all extracurricular school activities

• Master Scheduling; Staff Evaluations

• School Improvement Teams

• Data Analysis for Student Achievement.

Principal - Worth School District - Worth IL 2001 – 2007

Mr. Peter Yuska (708) 448 - 4801

• Managed staff of 60 members and over 500 students

• Educational and Technological Leader for school-wide Curriculum

• Local Education Agent Representative for all Specialized Student Services Programs including English Language Learning

• Building operations

• School improvement planning

• School finances

• School-wide compliance data reports and assessments

• School based problem-solving

• Human resource management, crisis management

• Extended School Year programming

• Master schedules

• Grants for extracurricular and community based programs

• Professional development

• Parent and community partnerships

Science Teacher - New Lenox School District - New Lenox, IL- 1997 – 2001

Mr. Del Bitter (815) 485-7593

• Lead teacher

• I was in charge of the Block Scheduling Committee

• Member of the National Blue Ribbon Award Team

• Collected data and reported out on local assessments

• National Blue Ribbon Award recipient.

Science Teacher - Crete-Monee Middle School - Crete, IL- 1995 – 1997

Mr. Joe Crawford (7 0 8) 3 6 7- 8 3 0 0

• Taught Reading and Science

• Member of the School Improvement Team

• Technology Committee

• Over saw technology usage and purchases.

• Two Time National Blue Ribbon Award Winner

**Education:**

Governor's State University MA – Ed. Ad. - 2000

BA - Elementary Education - 1995

**Certificates**:

*Illinois*:

Type 03 Elementary Teaching #1997896- Endorsements: Math, Science, Social Studies, and Language Arts

Type 75 Administrative #1893805

*Florida*:

DOE# 1266779 Math and General Science (Grades 5-9)

 Educational Leadership (K-12)

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