



ADAM RIDDLE

ART TEACHER

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Creative, professional, visual artist & art educator trained in a variety of artistic media with a focus on digital art and design seeking a full-time teaching position in a dynamic creative setting.

FOUNDATIONS

May 2009:

Bachelors of Fine Arts From Jacksonville University (Jacksonville, FL) Majoring in Graphic Design

May 2022:

Masters of Arts in Teaching From St. Xavier University (Chicago, IL) with a certification in K-12 Art Education

EXPERIENCE

2022 - 2023

High School Art Teacher - Rich Township High School

I was responsible for teaching art lessons to mixed classes of 9-12 grade, that allowed students to experience usage in various art medias including painting, drawing, basic sculpture with readily accessible materials such as cardboard and introductory digital art

2020 - 2022

K-8 Art Teacher - Lincoln Elementary School/ Lincoln Jr. High, Dolton School District 148

I was regularly responsible for teaching art lessons to grades K- 8, Creating Lesson plans that introduced and taught the 7 main concepts of art to students who were then assigned creative projects to put them in to practice

Jan 2019 - May 2020

Substitute Teacher - Brookwood School Dist. 167, Calumet City School Dist 155, ECHO Joint Agreement

I am regularly responsible for grades K- 8, as well as Special Education classes, and I am responsible for maintaining the assigned class scheduling during the absence of the teacher.

Oct. 2016 - Dec. 2018

Medical Car Driver - Specialty Needs Transportation -Tinley Park, IL

I worked with patients of nursing homes and rehabilitation facilities by transporting them to and from doctor appointments, rehab sessions, and any other medical appointments they had scheduled.

January 2014 - July 2015 :

Contracted Graphic Designer - Marketing Team of the Rev. Darryl R. Williams 2016 A.M.E. Church Bishop Campaign

Collaborating with other members of the marketing team, I created graphics that helped promote the candidate, as well as his goals once he becomes bishop. The materials I produced included informational brochures, programs for sponsored events, and other printed materials.

June 2013 - April 2015:

Production Assistant - SBD Hawaii - Honolulu, HI

The duties of producing a finished and satisfactory project, both digitally and physically, were entrusted to me. Along with the digital creative aspects of many projects, the physical production assignments included trimming printed materials, application of materials to substrates, and/or other assignments based on the project needs.



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August 2011 - April 2012:

Graphic Designer - Inkspots Printing - Homewood, IL

Working with clients I would be responsible for creating a 2D design for their desired project based off of the information that they provided for how they wanted the project to look. I also was responsible for updating or changing designs they were currently using with a new look as well as formatting projects so that they were print ready.

2010 - 2013

Substitute Teacher - Chicago Heights School District 170 - Chicago Heights, IL

I was responsible grades K- 8 as well as Special Education classes, and I maintained the assigned class scheduling during the absence of the teacher.

INTERNSHIPS

May 2015 - Oct. 2016

*Graphic & Web Design Intern -The Movement
Worldwide - Chicago, IL*

Summer 2009 (4 months):

*Graphic Design Intern - Nobody But God Printing
and Publishing Company - Richton Park, IL*

SKILLS

*Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe InDesign
Pencil Drawing
Moderate Painting
Layout Design
Logo Design
Illustration*

