

ABBREVIATED VITA
of
Cathy L. Woodruff

Associate Professor of the College of Education
August 2000 – Present

Education:

Athens State University	B.S. Ed. 1989	Elementary/Early Childhood Education
University of Alabama in Birmingham	M.A. 1991	Elementary Education
University of Alabama in Birmingham	Ph.D. 1999	Early Childhood Education

Additional Certification

National Board of Professional Teachers	2000	Early Childhood Education
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Courses:

EL 321 – Teaching Language Arts
EL 323 – Teaching Reading in the Primary Grades
EL 413 – Teaching Reading in the Intermediate Grades
EL 472 – Planning and Organization of the Elementary School Curriculum
ER 318 – Literature in Early Childhood Education

Previous Employment:

Decatur City Schools
Classroom Teacher K – 4th
1989 – 2000

National Service:

Presentation: "Internet and the Three R's: Reading, Writing, and Resources", National Council for Teachers of English, Indianapolis, Indiana, November, 2004.

State Service:

Presentation: "Read, Read, Read, Write, Write, Write", Alabama Reading Association Conference, Montgomery, Alabama, October, 2003.

Presentation: "What You Wanted to Know but Were Afraid to Ask: Well-Kept Secrets about Classroom Management k-6", Beginning Teacher Workshop, University of Alabama in Huntsville, Huntsville, Alabama, April, 2004.

Presentation: Reading, Writing, and Rubrics”, Alabama Reading Association Conference, Birmingham, Alabama, November, 2004.

Presentation: Internet and the Three R’s: Reading, Writing, and Resources, Alabama Reading Association Conference, Huntsville, Alabama, October, 2005.

Presentation: Reading and Writing in the 4-Blocks”, Great Teacher Conference, Huntsville, Alabama, June, 2006.

Presentation: Teaching is a Calling”, Kappa Delta pi Initiation Ceremony, Athens, Alabama, November, 2004

Coordinator of Pre-service Teacher Activities, Alabama Reading Association Conference, Huntsville, Alabama, 2005

State Level Committees:

Alabama Reading Association Publicity Chairman, 2005 – Present

Lincoln Elementary School Ten Year Study SACS (Southern Association of Colleges and Schools), Huntsville, Alabama, 2003

North Alabama Teacher Exchange Board of Directors, Athens, Alabama, 2004 – Present

Alabama Reading Association Conference Student Volunteer Committee, Chair- 2005

Committees and other Collegiate Assignments:

Member, Athens State University Curriculum Committee, 2004 – Present

Member, Sabbatical Committee, 2006

Member, NCATE Standard 1 Committee, 2001-Present

Membership Chair, Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education, 2005-Present

Advisor, Heritage Reading Council, 2005-Present

Member, Faculty Senate, 2003, 2005-Present

Faculty Advisor, Elementary Education, 2000-Present

Member TEP Panel, 2005-Present, Chair – Spring, Summer, Fall, 2006

Member, Distance Learning Block Committee, 2005-2006

Member, College of Education Hospitality Committee, Chair 2003-2005

Member, Search Committee for Asst. Professor in Early Childhood Education, 2005

Advisor, Elementary Majors’ Club, 2001-2005

Member, Campus Facilities Committee, 2004

Member, Search Committee for Supervisor of the Reading and Math Clinic, 2003

Member, Graduate Program Committee, 2003

Current Professional and Academic Association Memberships:

Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education

National Council of Teachers of English

International Reading Association

Association for Curriculum and Development

Alabama Reading Association

Heritage Reading Council