

**Elizabeth Theresa Henson**

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## **EDUCATION and CERTIFICATION**

- BS in Physical Education-Central Connecticut State University-1995
- Certification-Physical Education and Health Pre-K through Grade 12-1996
- Master of Science-Southern Connecticut State University-2000
- 6<sup>th</sup> year in Administration (092)-Sacred Heart University-2001
- Certified BEST Portfolio Scorer & Team Lead in Training

## **EXPERIENCE**

**9/2013 –Present- Gold House Principal West Side Middle School**

**7/2013- 9/2013-Assistant Principal Waterbury Arts Magnet School**

**07/2009-2013- Assistant Principal-Crosby High School**

**08/2004-2008-Crosby High School-Waterbury, Ct**

Substance Abuse Prevention teacher for 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades. Responsible for scheduling 900+ children and making sure they all meet the state health requirement for this subject. Continually, updating curriculum materials, as the world of Substance Abuse changes and evolves.

3 years experience assisting Vice-Principals in an internship. Duties included:

- Spent 3 weeks in 2007 as Acting Vice-Principal
- Scheduling students-using AS400 system
- Participating in conferences with parents
- Dealing with expulsion, including talking to the student, informing parents, filling out paperwork
- Mediating fights, making calls to emergency personnel and notifying the Superintendent
- Dealing with referrals, building maintenance, and faculty concerns
- Arranging relief for Activity days
- PPT's, documenting and logging interactions with students
- Exposed to the reviewing process for teacher evaluations

**10/2003-6/2004- Crosby High School-Waterbury Ct**

Physical Education and Health teacher for the high school. Gained working experience with the high school physical education curriculum and also with the Health curriculum.

**08-2003-10/2003-** Enlightenment and State Street Schools-Waterbury, CT

Physical Education teacher for elementary, middle and high school students. These schools presented extra challenges since they target special needs students.

**08/2002-6/2003-**Wilson Elementary and Carrington Elementary-Waterbury, CT

Physical Education teacher for K-7<sup>th</sup> grades. Bilingual school required ability to communicate with students in both English and Spanish. This job required travel between the two different schools.

**01/1999-06/2001-** Crosby High School-Waterbury, CT

Substance Abuse Prevention Health teacher for 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades. Researched and compiled appropriate curriculum materials using Internet, local DARE officers and other sources.

Periodically, reviewed materials and conducted additional research to ensure validity and currency of curriculum data. Participated in the NEASC review and shared ideas for Health and Safety Committee.

**08/1996-06/1998-** Waterbury School District-Waterbury, CT

Physical Education District Instructor for two Pre-K and Elementary programs. Planned activities and lessons for 650 children throughout 10 schools in the Waterbury School District. Temporary assignment as Substance Abuse Prevention teacher.

**01/1995-06-1996-** Waterbury and Farmington School Districts-Waterbury, CT

Substitute teacher-Taught a variety of subjects, both within my area of Physical Education and out, throughout the K-12 grade levels.

## **ACTIVITIES**

- **1996 Head Coach**-Wilby High School girls volleyball team
- **1997 Assistant Coach**-Kennedy High School girls volleyball team
- **2005 Workshop**-Attend "Preventing Substance Abuse in Teens: Opportunities and Challenges for Schools"
- **2005 SAT Team member**

## **PROFESSIONAL ROLES**

- 2014 SERC training-What Every PPT Chairperson Should Know
- 2015 – lead administrator for the Schools Security and Safety Cadre
- 2011- AP Coordinator-Project Opening Doors
- NEASC Steering Committee Member
- CFA training-work with CALI
- Member of the Health Curriculum Revision Team
- Administrative internship at Crosby High School
- 2007-2008 Principal Advisory Committee
- BEST Portfolio Scorer-Summer of 2003 to 2006

# Waterbury Board of Education

THE CITY OF WATERBURY

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March 16, 1999

## To Whom It May Concern:

At its meeting of March 15, 1999, the Board of Education approved the academic achievements of the following members of the Professional Staff, in a planned program, and recommends that they be placed on the appropriate pay scale as of March, 1999, as per the Agreement between the Board of Education and the Waterbury Teachers' Association:

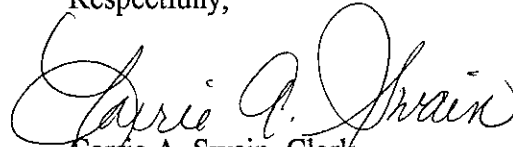
Rosalyn G. Arrington	WSMS	MS+15	No. Carolina Cntrl. U.
Jody R. Baker	Non-Public	6th +15	Trinity College
Maura Bemer	Washington	6th +15	Trinity College
Dennis Briand	WIIS	6th Yr.	C.C.S.C.
Michelle Brittingham	Bucks Hill	6th Yr.	S.C.S.C.
Marly A. Calabro	Walsh	BS+15	S.C.S.C.
Cynthia Cassada	KHS	6th+15	Sacred Heart U.
Christine Chauncey	Bucks Hill	6th+15	S.C.S.C.
Stephanie Coxon	Sprague	MS	C.C.S.C.
Jacquelyn L. Crosby	Wilson	6th+15	Trinity College
Elaine T. Dabbo	East Farms	6th +15	University N.E.
Debbie S. Demirali	Chase	MS	University Htfd.
Robert Donnelly	Barnard	6th +15	St.Jos/SCSU./S.Hrt.
Wanda Faucher	WHS	6th +15	Univ.N.E./Trinity
Rosalie Freeman	Kingsbury	6th +15	Trinity
Helen R. Galvin	East Farms	6th+15	Trinity
Denise Garafola	Enlightenment	BS+15	S.C.S.C.
Elizabeth Gedraitis	Walsh	6th+15	University N.E.
Marie Giordano Zillo	WSMS	BA+15	S.C.S.C.
Joseph R. Gorman	WSMS - PE	6th Yr.	S.C.S.C.
Cathleen Greene	Kingsbury	6th+15	Trinity
Patricia C. Griffin	Driggs	6th Yr.	C.C.S.C.
Angela Heidgerd	Chase	MS	S.C.S.C.
Elizabeth Henson	PE (PK)	MS	Trinity
Diurca I. Lugo	Maloney	MS+15	Un.Bpt./S.C.S.C.
Karen Makarewicz	Gilmartin	6th+15	Trinity
Tricia Meaney-Piwczynski	Kingsbury	6th +15	Trinity
Jennifer L. Miller	Wilby PK	MS+15	S.C.S.C.
James Mobilio	KHS	6th+15	Trinity
Brian Murphy	CHS	6th+15	Tiek/Quin/S.Hrt/Trin
Rita Ortiz	Carrington	MS	Fairfield U.

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Patrick Ospalek	CHS	BS+15	Wesleyan
Maria Pagani	Driggs	6th Yr.	Trinity
Dino J. Pantoni	N.E.M.S.	BA+15	Fairfield U.
Lori Peck	W.S.M.S.	6th Yr.	Trinity
Lori A. Pecukonis	Enlightenment	BA+15	S.C.S.C.
Janice Plocha	Regan School	6th Yr.	Trinity
John S. Reed	Walsh/W.Cross	MS+30	S.C.S.C.
Lori Rek	Gilmartin	6th +15	Trinity
Janice D. Rosa	Bunker Hill	6th +15	Trinity
Maria L. Sasso	Maloney	MS	C.C.S.C.
Scott S. Serafine	Wilby	6th+15	Trinity
Judith Sidella	Hopeville	MS+30	Trinity
Robert Stevens	WMS	BS+15	Trinity
Gail Tibbals	Wilby	6th Yr.	Univ.N.E./Trinity
Michele S. Valenti	Tinker	6th Yr.	Univ.N.E./Trinity
Lillian Vargas	KHS	MS+15	UConn
Nancy White	Bunker Hill	BS+15	S.C.S.C.
Patricia Yurchyk	Maloney	6th+15	Trinity

Respectfully,

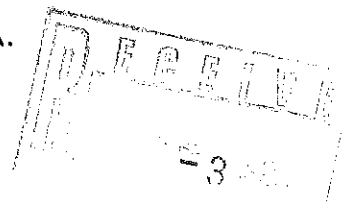


Carrie A. Swain, Clerk

Board of Education

cc: Teacher, Teacher file, Teachers' Payroll

REQUEST FOR COURSE ENROLLMENT: W.T.A.  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
WATERBURY, CT



Teacher's Name Elizabeth Henson

Teaching Assignment PreK / Elem Health / PE  
(Subject/Grade) (School)

Permission is requested to take the following course(s) for:

ADVANCEMENT ON THE SALARY SCALE ☒ (check one)  
TUITION REIMBURSEMENT PER W.T.A. CONTRACT ☐

(List Number, Name, Beginning and Ending Dates of Course(s))

1. EDPD 518 Impacting Attitudes
2. EDPD 510 Leadership a New Paradigm
3. EDPD 544 Empowering Your Classroom

At the following school or college: Trinity College

If this course is part of a planned program, please attach same with verification from college. If not part of planned program, give rationale for requesting courses.

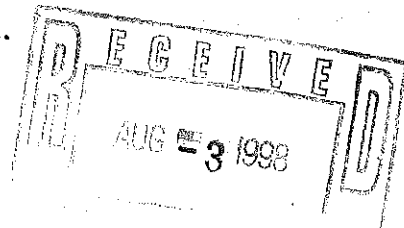
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Elizabeth Henson 8/2/98  
Teacher's Signature Date

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Approval of Superintendent Date

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1. EDPD 564 Total Quality Management
2. EDPD 519 Practical Performance Management
3. EDPD 598 Educator's Guide To The Human Brain

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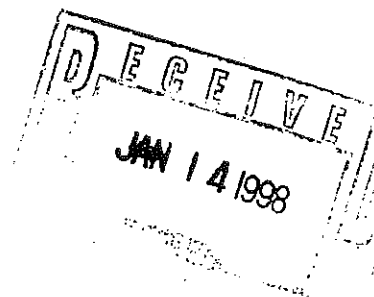
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1. EDPD 508 Peak Performance in Comm
2. EDPD 517 Developing Self Reliant People
3. EDPD 555 Multiple Intelligences

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Francis J. Lombardo 1/14/98  
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1. EDPD 566 Positive Discipline
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