# ALISSA PECK

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#### **PROFILE**

Creative and enthusiastic master arts educator with 13 years of teaching elementary, middle and high school experience. Highly trained in a wide array of artistic mediums, including drawing, paint, ceramics, printmaking, and sculpture. Extensive experience in classrooms, after-school programs and organization of art exhibitions. Excellent collaborative, communicative, and interpersonal skills.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### ART TEACHER

## WEST CEDAR AND CAREY ELEMENTARY, LIED CENTER WSR WAVERLY, IOWA 2016-PRESENT

Taught elementary as well as K-12 Level 3 Behavioral Students at the Lied Center

#### **ART TEACHER**

#### SIERRA 2-8 SCHOOL, SUSD TUCSON, ARIZONA 2011-2016

• Wrote grants to help with funding the art program

#### ART TEACHER

## COTTONWOOD ELEMENTARY, VSD TUCSON, ARIZONA 2006-2011

- Initiated and ran an after-school art club
- Nominated Teacher of the Year for the 2008/2009 school year

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Fine Arts Studio Art, Emphasis in Ceramics:

Coe College, Cedar Rapids, IA 2003

Internship Art Therapy, Tanager Place, Cedar Rapids, IA 2001

Foreign Study London and Florence, Arts in Context, ACM winter/spring 2002

Senior Thesis Exhibition From Coils to Curves, hand-built, organic vessels 2003

### Masters in Art Education:

University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ 2006

Thesis Investigation of TAB, Teaching for Artistic Behavior

#### MEMBERSHIPS AND CERTIFICATIONS

Arizona Standard Secondary 7-12 Teaching Certificate Art K-12 and SEI Endorsements

lowa Class A License Art K-8 and 5-12