# **CHELSEA N. FRITZ**

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### **EDUCATION**

B.A., University of Nebraska-Lincoln, College of

Education and Human Sciences (CEHS)

Major: Secondary Education English/Language Arts Ed.

Minor: Art

**TEACHING ENDORSEMENTS:** English & Language Arts

RELATED EXPERIENCE IN EDUCATION

Student Teaching, Lefler Middle School, Lincoln, NE

January 2019 – Present

GPA: 3.590

Expected Graduation Date: May, 2019

- Adopting the leadership role in English 8, Reading Ideas, and Language and Communication Arts (LaCA), grades 7-8.
- Facilitating and adapting guided reading sessions that focus on various literacy skills.
- Implementing digital practice of 21<sup>st</sup> century communication skills, including citizenship and research methods.
- Analyzing data from state reading scores to determine student class placement.
- Utilizing the bridge between a reading interventions course and English course to increase students' background knowledge and connections to their coursework.
- Participating in staff development in Classroom Instruction That Works, including student opportunities to respond.
- Communicating and collaborating with parents and students about student needs.

Practicum, Lincoln Southwest High School,

August 2018 – December 2018

Lincoln, NE

- Assisted in classroom teaching in a block scheduled classroom, Reading Ideas, grades 9-12.
- Participated in IEP meetings in relation to students enrolled in Reading Ideas.
- Created summative and formative assessments based on the exploration of the essential question of identity.
- Constructed lessons and daily curriculum focused on various areas of literacy, including vocabulary skills.
- Engaged and established with students a friendly, conducive, and authentic environment and community.

Practicum, Lincoln Northeast High School,

January 2018 – May 2018

Lincoln, NE

- Co-taught in an English Language Learner's classroom, levels 3 and 4.
- Aided students in small group reading and discussion, and one-on-one guidance.

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Teacher, KinderCare Learning Centers, Lincoln, NE

Spring 2016 – Present

#### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Childcare, The People's City Mission, Lincoln, NE, Fall 2017

Teacher's Assistant, Bright Lights Summer Learning Program, Lincoln, NE, Summer 2016

### **ACTIVITIES**

LPS Intramural Drama/Speech/Debate Coach, *December 2018 – February 2019* UCARE Research Assistant, *August 2016 – August 2017* 

#### **HONORS**

Dean's List, College of Education and Human Sciences,

Fall 2015 – Fall 2018

The International Thespian's Society

Academic Letter, Lincoln High School, *Spring 2010* International Baccalaureate Certificate, Theatre

## LANGUAGE ARTS & ART AWARDS

Outstanding Digital Photography Student, *Spring 2010* Outstanding Technical Theatre Student, *Spring 2010* 

Theatre Letter, Lincoln High School, Spring 2006 – Spring 2010