Teaching

Linda Lee Gillam Black

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Educational Preparation

1982 Doctor of Education, Administration and Curriculum, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

1971 Master of Arts, Early Childhood Education Washington State University, Pullman, Washington

1969 Bachelor of Science, Psychology Lewis and Clark College Portland, Oregon

1965 Honors Graduate East Anchorage High School, Anchorage, Alaska

Certification

Expires November 13, 2006

Type A

Elementary Teacher # 4002181

Type B

Administrative K-12 Principal, Superintendent # 4002182

Educational Experience

| 2004 - Present | Assistant Professor of Education Alaska Pacific University |
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1992 – 2004 Principal College Gate Elementary School Anchorage School District

Revitalize Resolving Conflict Creatively 1992-2004
Resolving Conflict Creatively Instructor 1995-2004
School-wide Writing Initiative 1995-2004
Data Driven Instruction Initiative 1996-2004
School-wide Reading Initiative 1998-2004
School-wide Cooperative Learning Initiative 1998-2004
Cooperative Learning Instructor 1998-2004

Cooperative Learning Strategies Cooperative Learning in Writing

1987 - 1992 Principal Mountain View Elementary School Anchorage School District

Community Collaboration to Develop Student

Code of Conduct 1987

School Climate 1988 Instructional Strategies Initiative 1989

Skillstreaming Instructor, 1 credit

Curriculum Alignment Instructor, 1 credit

School-wide Home Visits 1990-1992
Peer Coaching Cooperative 1990
Project APU/UAA

Multicultural Gifted Pilot 1991

1984 -1987 Principal Williwaw Elementary School Anchorage School District

At Risk Underachieving Student Initiative 1986-1987 Reading and Math Initiative 1987

1983-1984 Administrative Intern, Homestead Elem Anchorage School District

1981-1983 Director, Instructional Support Programs Anchorage School District

Conducted Community Policy Planning Seminars

Transportation 1981 Effective Schooling 1982 Attendance and Discipline 1983 Senior High School Reform 1984

Instructor Effective Schooling 2 credit Seminar

| 1976-1981 | Coordinator, Federal and State Programs Anchorage School District Developed new Multicultural Education Department Initiated Title I Long Term Follow-up Study Initiated First Bilingual Education Grant | | |
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| 1974-1976 | Coordinator, ESEA Title I | Anchorage School District | |
| 1973-1974 | Director, ESEA Title I | Alaska State Operated Schools, Anchorage, AK | |
| 1972-1973 | Teacher, Title I Program | Alaska State Operated Schools, Anchorage, AK | |
| 1971-1972 | Teacher, Early Childhood Program | Alaska State Operated Schools, Anchorage, AK | |
| 1969-1971 | Teacher Early Childhood Lab School | Washington State University, Pullman, WA | |

Professional Honors and Community Contributions

| Alaska Elementary Principal of the Year | 1993 |
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| National Distinguished Elementary Principal | 1994 |
| Anchorage School District Administrator of the Month | November 1991 |
| Alaska School Librarians Award: Outstanding Administrator | |
| Supporting School Libraries | 1995 |
| Alaska Parent Teacher Association Education Advocate | |
| Outstanding Support of Parent volunteers | 1995 |
| Friend of the Library Principal's Award | 1998 |
| National Energy Education Development Project | |
| Youth Award for Excellence Recipient | 1991 |
| Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, Washington State University | 1970 |
| Faculty Senate Student Representative, Washington State University | 1970 |
| Phi Delta Kappa | 1977 - Present |
| Kappa Research Representative | 1981 - 1983 |
| Phi Delta Kappa President | 1983 - 1984 |
| Phi Delta Kappa Membership Representative | 1984 – 1986 |
| Anchorage Council of Education President | 1979 –1980 |
| Negotiations Team Spokesperson | 1981 |
| Alaska Associations of Elementary and Secondary School | |
| Principals State Conference Co-Chair | |
| Effective Principals, Effective Schools | 1987 |
| Alaska Chapter I Advisory Committee | 1989-1991 |
| Council for Exceptional Children Conference | |
| Speaker: Training "At-Risk" Teachers | 1990 |
| University of Alaska School of Education Adjunct Staff | |
| ED 612 Human Relations | 1990 |
| Anchorage Police Department/Anchorage School District | |
| Youth Violence Conference and Task Force | 1991 |
| Founder Mt. View Coalition for Nonviolence | 1991 |
| Anchorage School District New Teacher Interviewer and | |

| į | Steering Committee | 1991-1998 |
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| | Anchorage Principals' Association | 1983-2004 |
| | Executive Committee | 1992 – 1994, 2002-2004 |
| | President | 1993 |
| | Negotiations Table Team | 2000-2001 |
| | Treasurer | 2002-2004 |
| | Resolving Conflict Creatively Trainer | 1995 - Present |
| | Municipality of Anchorage-Anchorage School District | |
| | Safe Schools Task Force Member | 1995 |
| | Municipality of Anchorage-Anchorage School District | |
| | Committee on Truancy and Absenteeism | 1995-1996 |
| | Cooperative Learning Trainer Providing School Based Classes | 1998 - Present |
| | Structural Approach to Cooperative Learning, 2 credits | |
| | Cooperative Learning for Principals Instructor | Spring 2002 |
| | Anchorage Council of PTAs Principal of the Year Runner-Up | 1999 |
| | Anchorage School District | |
| | Chairman, Community Planning on Absenteeism | 1982 |
| | Chairman, Effective Schooling Community Planning | 1982-83 |
| | Chairman, Transportation Community Planning | 1982 |
| | Superintendent Interview Committee Staff Representative | 1993 |
| | Superintendent Leadership Team | 1993 |
| | Mentor for New Principals | 1996-2004 |
| | Research Review Committee | 2002-2004 |
| | Library Advisory Committee | 2001-2004 |
| | Teacher Evaluation Process Review Committee | 2002 |
| | East Area Principal's Instructional Committee Representatie | 2001-2004 |
| | Data Driven Instruction for Principals Trainer | August 2002 |
| | Alaska Principal Team Lobby State Legislature for Educational Fund | ding rApril 2003 |
| | Anchorage City Wide Executive Exchange | 2002-2003 |
| | Blood Donor | 2001-Present |
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Training and Workshop Participant

| Larson Math Computer Assisted Instruction Training | January 2004 |
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| Developmental Reading Assessment Principal Training | October 2003 |
| New Teacher Induction Team Training | April 2003 |
| Transforming Classroom Grading Principal Book Group Leader | Spring 2003 |
| Second Language Learners Workshop | March 2003 |
| Handling Disruptive Behavior Workshop | January 2003 |
| Reading Training for Principals | January 2003 |
| Data Driven Instruction using Excel | January 2003 |
| Taking Assets from Awareness to Action Conference | November 2002 |
| Leadership Institute | October 2002 |
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| May 2002 |
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| April 2002 |
| April 2002 |
| April 2002 |
| March 2002 |
| Summer 2002 |
| Summer 2000 |
| Summer 1999 |
| August 1998 |
| Summer 1998 |
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Publications

Black, L. February, 1982. Transportation policy planning seminar: a decision-making process, Anchorage School District.

Black, L. May, 1983. Effective schooling policy planning seminar: review of research, practice, and community expectations, Anchorage School District.

Black, L., November, 1983. Attendance and discipline policy planning seminar: review of research, practice, and community expectations, Anchorage School District.

Black, L., March, 1984. Senior high school reform policy planning seminar: review of research, practice, and community expectations, Anchorage School District.

Professional References

Current Reference List

Carol Comeau, Superintendent of Schools

Anchorage School District

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Eunice Long, Elementary Supervisor

Anchorage School District

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1994 National Distinguished Principal Supporting Documents Available upon request

Personal Position Statements: Linda L. Black

Recommendations

Carol Comeau, Executive Director of Elementary Education

Carol Stolpe, Anchorage School Board

Susan Moore, Principal Denali Elementary School

Roger McCommon, Teacher

Sylvia Brown, Mountain View Elementary School PTA President

George Lyle, College Gate PTA President and Executive Board