

Wylie Elementary School 3060 Kensington, Dexter, Michigan 48130 Katie See, Principal 734-424-4140 seek@dexterschools.org

To:Dexter Board of EducationFrom:Katie SeeSubject:Classroom Teacher RecommendationDate:December 4, 2020

As a result of our most recent interview process, we would like to recommend Kylie Busdeker for the 4th grade teaching position at Wylie Elementary. Kylie is completing her student teaching at Angell Elementary School in Ann Arbor in a fifth grade classroom. Our interview team was highly impressed with Ms. Busdeker's dedication to teaching and her ability to connect with students. Kylie will graduate from Eastern Michigan University in December and will transition to the 4th grade position.

Our interview committee was comprised of: Mollie Kemp, Hannah Nalepa, Susan Karsch, Anouk Weiss, Deb Eber, Jim Barnes, Kris Bowman, Wylie fourth grade students and myself. We highly recommend Kylie and feel confident that she will make a difference in the lives of Dexter students for years to come.

Thank you,

Katie See Principal

# KYLIE BUSDEKER

First Year Elementary Teacher



(contact info redacted)

#### **EDUCATION**

#### ANTICIPATED BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION LANGUAGE ARTS COMPREHENSIVE

Eastern Michigan University | Ypsilanti, MI 2016 – 2020

## CERTIFICATIONS

MICHIGAN TEACHING CERTIFICATE | ANTICIPATED DEC. 2020 K-5 All Subjects 6-8 English Language Arts

## AWARDS / HONORS

ANTICIPATED EASTERN MICHIGAN HONORS COLLEGE GRADUATE Summa Cum Laude

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

KAPPA DELTA PI INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY Membership Chair 2019 – 2020

NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION 2020

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### STUDENT TEACHER

ANGELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | ANN ARBOR, MI | SEPT. 2020 - DEC. 2020

- Implemented and assessed reading, writing, math, and social studies curriculum.
- Designed and administered virtual language arts unit.
- Developed policies and procedures for efficient virtual classroom operations.
- **KEY ACHIEVEMENT:** Sponsored a virtual STEAM club

#### PRE-STUDENT TEACHER

OWEN INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL | BELLEVILLE, MI | SEPT. 2019 - DEC. 2019

- Assisted in a reading intervention classroom with fifth and sixth grade students.
- Facilitated guided reading lessons.
- Read with and observed students in small reading groups.

#### PRE-STUDENT TEACHER

EDGEMONT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | BELLEVILLE, MI | JAN. 2019 – APR. 2019

- Observed and instructed students in a third and fourth grade classroom.
- Created and taught direct lesson plan incorporating mentor text.
- Worked one-on-one with students requiring additional support.

## **JOB EXPERIENCE**

SENIOR SHIFT MANAGER | FEB. 2017 – NOV. 2020 GENERAL STAFF MEMBER | NOV. 2014 – FEB. 2017 GOODRICH QUALITY THEATERS | ANN ARBOR, MI

- Responsible for general oversight of all theater operations, including staff training, customer service, and projection systems.
- Developed excellent problem-solving and customer service skills.
- Produced content for all on-site social media accounts.

#### YOUTH CHEERLEADING COACH | 2015 - 2017

DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS | DEXTER, MI

- Taught cheers, dances, and stunts to cheerleaders in grades third-sixth.
- Implemented behavior management strategies and proper safety measures.
- Collaborated with other coaches to learn best practices.

# KYLIE BUSDEKER

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER

## CORE COMPETENCE

- Creative Lesson Planning
- Virtual Learning Platforms/Tools
- Differentiated Instruction
- Guided Reading

# PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- Eastern Michigan University Cheerleader | 2019 – 2020
- Studied abroad in Florence and Rome, Italy | February 2020

### **VOLUNTEER WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### LITERACY ALIVE VOLUNTEER | 2019 – PRESENT YPSILANTI INTERNATIONAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | YPSILANTI, MI

- Coordinated read-alouds for kindergarten and first grade students.
- Facilitated and taught corresponding activities and lessons.

#### VOLUNTEER ZOOM TUTOR | APR. 2020 – JUN. 2020 INDEPENDENT

- Worked with elementary students virtually on math, language arts, social studies, and basic Spanish lessons.
- Incorporated virtual guided reading for struggling readers.

#### **NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION ASSISTANT | 2018 – 2019** EMU CAMPUS LIFE | YPSILANTI, MI

- Introduced incoming freshmen to campus as a group leader.
- Served as a mentor and maintained a positive, supportive atmosphere.