

# Ashley Freeland

Certified Art Teacher

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## EDUCATION

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*December 2015*

### **Bachelor of Science, Art Education**

Illinois State University, Summa Cum Laude, GPA 3.95/4.0

Professional Educator License, K-12 Art

*May 2009*

### **Bachelor of Science, Animal Sciences**

The University of Illinois, High Honors, GPA 3.65/4.0

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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*August 2016 - Present*

### **Wentzville School District**

*Art Teacher*

- Build trusting, effective relationships with over 400 students
- Create and teach engaging, standards-based, art lessons for K-6th grade students
- Demonstrate expertise across several art mediums including sculpture, ceramics, painting, drawing, and collage
- Incorporate technology into art lessons including Digital Art Portfolios in Google Classroom, Chromebooks, iPads, Kahoot Games, and the Sketchpad Web Application
- Display student artwork at my buildings and various locations around the district
- Demonstrate flexibility and organizational skills while traveling between multiple buildings and classrooms
- Participate in professional development within and outside the district including book study and MAEA Conferences
- Assist in the special education classrooms for two students who need extra support
- Support a student in the Big Buddy program

*Computer Teacher*

- Learn and teach curriculum for 6th Grade Computers
- Incorporate new technology into the curriculum including iPads and Sphero Robots
- Integrate art and design into computer lessons

*Meditation Club Instructor*

- Design lessons and activities that teach students about gratitude, mindfulness, self-regulation, character, integrity, breathing techniques, and envisioning