# **Mike Northup**

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### **Summary of Experience:**

2016 – Present Teacher and Coach (Composite Social Studies 8-12)

Boles High School Quinlan, TX Varsity Girls Track, Assistant Volleyball & Basketball World History & Dual Credit U.S. History

- Strength and Conditioning coach; emphasized comprehensive strength, conditioning, and tactical skills development programs.
- Individualized instruction, based on student data, emphasizing activity-based learning and open-ended responses.
- Creative thinking assignments constructed to engage students using the Multiple Intelligences Theory and Bloom's Revised Taxonomy.

2014 – 2016 Teacher and Coach (Composite Social Studies 8-12)

Slaton High School Slaton, TX
Varsity O&D-Line, Girls Powerlifting, Softball, Shot & Disc (Boys & Girls)
Government/Economics & World Geography

- Powerlifting & Off Season Coach; emphasized comprehensive strength, conditioning, and tactical skills development programs.
- Assisted Varsity O&D-Line Coach with instruction and game-planning.
- Implemented interactive, online social studies curriculum.
- Individualized instruction, based on student data, emphasizing activity-based learning and open-ended responses.

Lubbock, TX

 Creative thinking assignments constructed to engage students using the Multiple Intelligences Theory and Bloom's Revised Taxonomy.

#### 2012 – 2014 Teacher and Coach (Composite Social Studies 8-12)

Coronado High School

- Assisted Varsity O&D-Line Coach with instruction and game-planning.
- Junior Varsity Boys Soccer coach; incorporated above strength and conditioning program into Soccer program.
- Developed interactive curriculum for World History courses.
- Individualized instruction based on critical thinking and analysis strategies.
- Creative thinking assignments constructed to engage students

### 2011 - 2012 Teacher and Coach

Kingdom Preparatory Academy Lubbock, TX

- Defensive Coordinator, Interim Head Football, Head Track (Boys & Girls)
- Created interactive curriculum for World and American history courses.
- Individualized instruction, using Socratic teaching method
- Assisted in leadership development classes, focusing on decision-making, ethics, social responsibility, individual and team accountability.

#### 2011 - 2012 GED Instructor (Part-time)

Region 17 Education Service Center Lubbock, TX

- Classroom supervision of self-paced Adult Ed GED course.
- Provided group and individual instruction on all GED subjects.
- Personalized teaching to match student learning styles and behaviors.

## 2006 - 2011 Church Planting Pastor

The Sanctuary Oakville, ON (Canada)

- Partnered with local community service organization to:
  - Designed life skills/enhancement programs for children and adults.
  - Researched and wrote grant proposals and follow-up reports to grantors.
  - Planned with private, civic, and government entities to help coordinate and implement athletic and recreation programs.
  - Coordinated community festivals, events, and celebrations.
  - Worked with government, non-profit, and private organizations at subsidized day camps, after-school programs, and athletic/recreation events.

#### 2004 - 2006 Minister to College Students

Green Acres Baptist Church

Tyler, TX

- Planned, researched, and wrote theological study supplements for College students.
- Conducted apologetic and theological discussions and persuasive speech seminars during student study sessions, special events, and in-home gatherings.

## 2003 – 2004 **7<sup>th</sup> Grade Texas History Teacher**

Jacksonville Middle School

Jacksonville, TX

- Implemented various learner-centered activities to engage students in instruction and facilitate successful learning.
- Worked closely with teachers in social studies department to formulate lesson plans and create accommodations.
- Worked closely with Special Education Department to individualize lesson plans, according to student learning style and learning behavior.

#### **Additional Information:**

- CDL, CPR/AED, Concussion Management Certified
- Certified THSPA Judge
- College Track & Field Athlete
- United States Air Force Veteran
- Completed Texas Teacher Certification Program, May 2004
- 1992-2004: full and part time positions, while obtaining BA and MA, as Marketing Manager, Inventory Control Specialist, Health Claims Adjudicator, and Youth Ministry leader.

#### **Education and Training:**

1998-2005 **MA, History (2005)** 

University of Texas at Tyler Tyler, TX

- BA, History (1999), Magna Cum-Laude
- Member of Phi Alpha Theta, International Honor Society in History.

#### References:

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