TEACHER INTRODUCTION

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- I am looking forward to this new school year! I have taught English students for several decades in a variety of situations, including small public schools, larger public schools, private schools, and college level, both in the US and overseas. Throughout all the different experiences, one thing has remained the same - my excitement to see my students learn and grow.
Educational Background

Bachelor of Journalism - University of Texas at Austin

Master of English - Tarleton State University
Past Teaching Experiences

• English I, II, III, and IV
• English I Honors
• AP Language
• Dual Credit English 1301, 1302, 2322
• Journalism
My teacher goals

- Coach students to improve written and spoken communication
- Coach students to access and analyze information
- Empower my students to be self-directed learners
- Empower students to collaborate effectively
- Prepare students for state assessment or AP exam
School Activities

* I sponsor UIL Academics: Literary Criticism, News Writing, Feature Writing, Editorial Writing, Headline Writing, and Copy Editing. Are you interested? Let me know!

* I also sponsor the Creative Literature Club in which students gather to write freely and for their own enjoyment. The club meets every other Wednesday morning in my room. Join them!
Hobbies and Interests

I enjoy reading . . . mystery, suspense, historical fiction, novels set in 1930s Britain, novels set in other countries, fantasies, and a variety non-fiction books ranging from history to spiritual exploration.
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- I enjoy spending time outdoors and exercising.
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I enjoy traveling, and I have been fortunate to teach at American schools in the Dominican Republic and Colombia.
And, of course, I love spending time with my family!