

MANDY FIECHTNER

TEACHER | MENTOR | COACH

EXPERIENCE

2018-2021 **DIGITAL ART & PSYCH TEACHER**
Bellevue Christian School

Developed the graphic arts department to be more robust & aligned with industry standards by adapting curriculum & adding new classes. Served on the equity council & curriculum development teams, and led optional teacher training on DEI implementation.

2008-2018 **VISUAL ART & BIBLE TEACHER**
Seattle Christian School

Ran the visual arts department, developed curriculum & facilitated improvements to the building through student murals & projects. Coached two sports. Created & led a discipleship program, 7th-12th.

2006-2007 **DESIGNER**
Collins Woerman

Worked with designers and architects on multiuse medium and large scale projects. Created concept books and proposals for clients.

EDUCATION

2019 **MA Curriculum and Instruction**
Colorado Christian University

2006 **BA Architecture**
BA Fine Arts
Art History Minor
Drury University

REFERENCES

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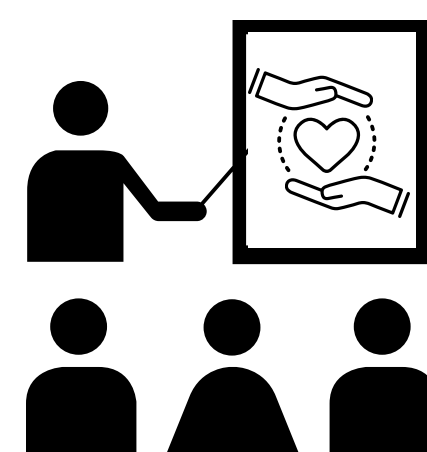
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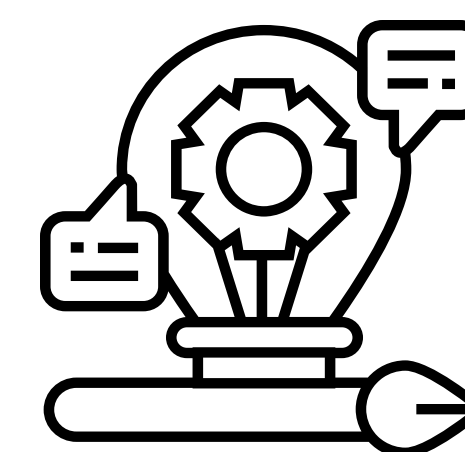
EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

I love bringing the real world into learning and I always look for creative ways to engage learners. I push people to think critically and challenge them to do more with what they know by asking good questions. I am a firm believer that all people can find success when they have access to resources that fit their needs, spaces where they feel safe and peers who see them for who they are.

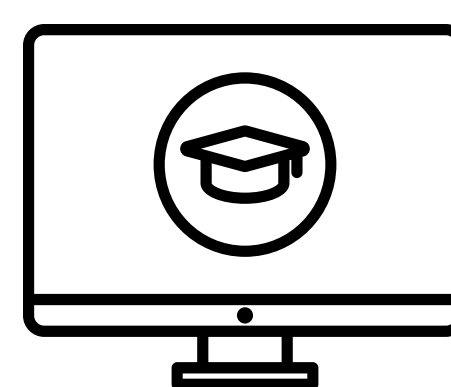
SKILLS AND PASSIONS



Mentorship is my greatest passion. Getting to know people & helping them navigate learning complexities by leveraging their perspectives & talents is what excites me about education.



Creative and critical thinking is one of my greatest skills, including helping people explore non-traditional ways of "doing school" by using unique solutions to meet individual student needs.

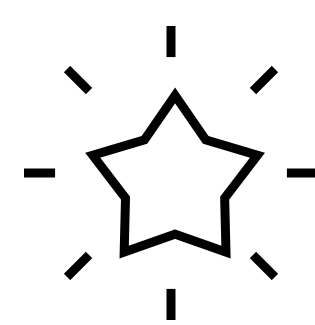


Developing and researching curriculum is a skill and a passion. Looking for ways to communicate, challenge, and instruct students is an ongoing pursuit as evidenced on my website.



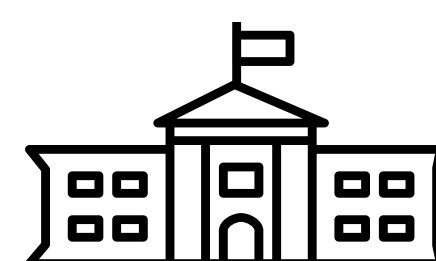
Seeking, researching and including diverse, equitable, and inclusive sources in the classroom and lessons is also a deep passion. Helping students feel seen and known is invaluable to their success.

MILESTONES ACHIEVED



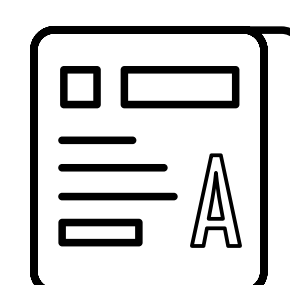
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Teacher of the Year awards.



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Years as a classroom teacher.



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Unique classes and curriculum developed.

WEBSITE

curiouscreativecritical.com