

# THADDEUS RYAN KOMOROWSKI

## OBJECTIVE

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Creative CTE educator with 10 years of full-time high school teaching experience including 5 years of Digital Instructional Coach experience while teaching full-time.

## SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

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- Digital Instruction Coach
- Digital Instruction Leader
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Adobe Campus Leader
- Adobe Photoshop Certified Associate
- Adobe illustrator Certified Associate
- Adobe Indesign Certified Associate
- Edpuzzle (video instruction) Innovator
- Graphics & illustration for Educators
- Common Sense Educator
- Google Educator Level 1 & 2
- Edpuzzle: Google Integration
- Technology Applications Certification (Teaching)
- Technology Education Certification (Teaching)

## EXPERIENCE

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### **Keller Center for Advanced Learning**

July 2022 - present

Keller, TX 76248

Construction Teacher at Keller Center for Advanced Learning.

- Instructor of NCCER - Core certifications (general construction certifications)

### **Graphic Design (CTE) Teacher - Garland ISD**

August 2013 - June 2022

Garland, TX 75040

Graphic Design instructor in the Career and Technology department. Consistently lead PLC meetings for all Graphic Design teachers in GISD. In addition to teaching graphic design I was put in charge of teaching and coordination of all Principle of Comm/Arts/AV (prerequisite to all design related classes).

- PLC Leader for all graphic design teachers in GISD.
- Pioneered transition to Google Hangouts for PLC meetings to eliminate in-person travel time.
- Digital Instruction Coach (3 years). Provided support to help teachers transition to utilizing digital tools in instruction.
- Classroom teacher (9 years). Created curriculum for Graphic Design (3 levels), Principles of Design (Prerequisite to all design classes), Principles of Construction, Information Technology, Energy/Power/Transportation. In addition to all regular classroom duties.
- Was a part of the campus improvement team (2 years).
- Co-sponsor for DECA (business training student organization), TSA (technology student association), and GHYO (young men mentorship program)
- Presenter at GISD Icon - 3 years (district lead digital professional development training).

### **Indigo River Tiny Homes**

June 2019 - present

Garland, TX 75040

I worked part-time as a media consultant managing the website and editing any multi-media products.

- Redesigned original website
- Webmaster
- Created a digital form for potential customers to fill instead of paper based form
- Edit all raw digital videos to be posted.
- Manage analytics and make recommendations.

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## **Rutledge Wood Products**

July 2012 - May 2013

Denton, TX 76209

Draftsman for all cabinet millwork and all custom woodwork at franchise restaurant chains. (e (Red Lobster, Twin Peaks, Chili's, TGIFriday's, etc.)

- Responsible for all in-house print production and technician for the large format printer.
- In charge of creating all section and CAD drawings for all millwork and custom installations.
- Created all millwork drawings for custom bars at every location Rutledge worked on.
  
- Solved design problems for custom millwork
- Working with co-workers in the shop to troubleshoot design issues.
- Learning all design standard design for consistent clients to produce timely construction documents.

## **Student Teacher at Abilene ISD**

August 2011 - June 2012

Abilene, TX 79601

After finishing my Alter-Certification in Sp. Ed. (EC-12) and General (EC-6), I was first placed in a high functioning Special Ed. (PALS) fifth grade class for 6 months. The students I worked with were a little behind on level classes and needed some additional one-on-one time or in small groups.

- Worked with various educational technology aids
- Started with one subject and added on an additional subject a week till all subjects were covered.
- Held many labs and experiments to engage the students.

For my second class as a student teacher, I was placed in a on-level fifth grade (self contained) classroom with Kathy Bunnell.

- Worked with various educational technology aids (projectors, video instructions)
- Started with one subject and added on an additional subject a week till all subjects were covered.
- Held many labs covering subjects to aid in learning objectives.
- Worked one-on-one with a "gifted and talented" student after school in creating a helping him complete enriching assignments.
- Incorporated technology and certain labs into my instruction that was used by my supervising teacher after my time in her classroom. She even, as the lead fourth grade teacher at her campus, encouraged other teachers in her team to incorporate the technology and labs I had been using.

## **Bonham Elementary**

August 2010 - June 2011

Abilene, TX 79601

At Bonham Elementary I was a Special Education aide in a Life-Skills classroom. I worked one-on-one with the 5 students (2nd to 5th grade) one a day each week. This class was designed to help them develop life skills such as being potty trained or learning to communicate as they were non-verbal.

- Work with students with different disabilities (down-syndrome, multiple sclerosis, etc.)
- Helping each student with learning tasks.
- Helping with motor functions and physical activity.
- Helping the fifth grade student with a project all fifth graders were able to do to help him feel part of his entire fifth grade class. (helped student create a rollercoaster)

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## EDUCATION

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### **BS in Architectural Graphics and Design**

Abilene Christian University - Abilene, TX

### **Alternative Teaching Certification**

Region 14 - Abilene, TX

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