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IOWA Mentors

Air Force

No Mentors available at this time.

Army

Richard Keilig

- Rank: Lt. Col.
- Status and Date: Retired
- Teaching Locations: Centerville High School, Centerville, IA
- Teaching Levels: Gr. 9-12: Science
- Biographical Information:
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Navy

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Marines

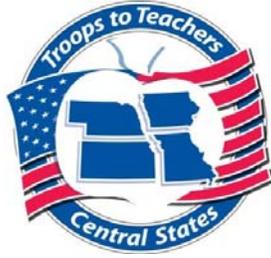
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Coast Guard

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KANSAS Mentors

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Army

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Navy

Mateo L. Estigoy

- Rank: Chief Petty Officer (E7)
- Status and Date: Retired : September 1995
- Teaching Locations: Hazel Grove Elementary, Kansas City, KS
- Teaching Levels: Technology-Computer Lab: Gr. K-5
- Biographical Information: Retired '95 and graduated '99 Haskell Indian Nations University with a degree in Elementary Education. 1999-2000 school year, I taught 2nd-3rd grade multi-age class at Hazel Grove Elementary School in Lawrence, KS. 2000-2001 school year, I taught 5th grade at Hazel Grove Elementary. In 2002, I took over the computer lab at Hazel Grove.
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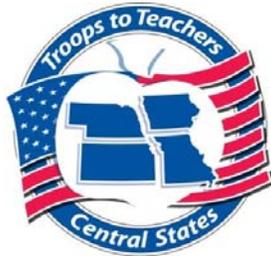
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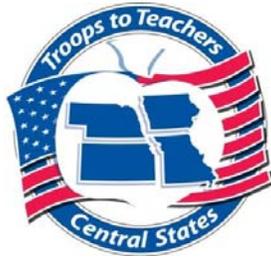
University Mentors

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MISSOURI Mentors

Air Force

Brian Holmgren

- Rank: Major, USAF
- Status and Date: Retired January 2002
- Teaching Locations: Leeton High School, Leeton, MO
- Teaching Levels: Teaching 9th-12th grade Science
- Biographical Information: Spent over 30 years in the military as enlisted and officer in both the Army NG and USAF active duty. BSE in Aerospace Engineering and an MS in Systems Management. Varied career fields included radio repair, surgery technician, recruiter, software engineer, acquisition programs manager, instructor and civil engineer.
- E-Mail: bdholmgren@earthlink.net

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Army

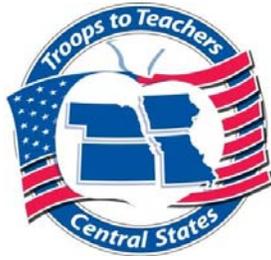
Jeff Maddy

- Rank: Major
- Status and Date: Retired, September 1996
- Teaching Locations: Upper Elementary School, Ozark MO
- Teaching Levels: Gr. 5 - All Subjects
- Biographical Information: Served in the U.S. Army in various leadership positions as Infantry officer, transitioned to broadcast public affairs where I concentrated on video productions for multiple Army training organizations. BS-Chaminade University, Hawaii. MA-Communications from University of MO. Teacher Certification Program-Elementary from Missouri State University.
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Sandra Barnes

- Rank: GySgt. (E-7)
- Status and Date: Retired, Aug 1999
- Teaching Locations: Bakersfield R-IV Elementary School, Bakersfield MO
- Teaching Levels: Currently, Elementary School Principal (Certified Gr. K-8.) Previously taught Middle School/ High School - Special Ed, Reading. Certified Elementary Education Gr. 1-6. Certified Special Ed.-Mild to Moderate, Gr. K-12. Certified Middle School Language Arts, Social Studies, Science, and Math. Certified High School Language Arts and Social Studies.
- Biographical Information: After retiring from the US Marine Corps in 1999, I pursued my degrees in Elementary Education and Special Education through Southwest Missouri State University, now Missouri State University, and began teaching in the Bakersfield School. In 2004-05, I received the Missouri Troops to Teachers Female Teacher of the Year award. I am currently the school principal. I reside in the school district with my husband and children.
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Coast Guard

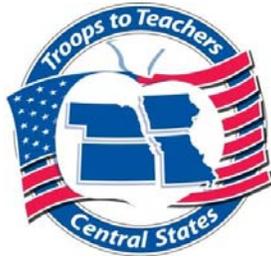
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University Mentors

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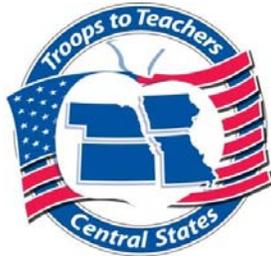
Webster University - <http://www.webster.edu/education/future/certification.shtml>

In St. Louis, our Teacher Certification Programs are only offered face to face, at this time.

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