

## **KIMBERLY CARTER**

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### EDUCATION

Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia  
**Doctoral Student, Ed.S. in Educational Leadership** **2012 - present**

Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia  
**M.Ed in Educational Technology & Online Learning** **2012**  
Graduate with High Distinction

Newberry College, Newberry, South Carolina  
**B.A. in Early Childhood Education and in Elementary Education** **1991**  
Concentration: Mathematics  
Summa Cum Laude

University of South Carolina, Union, South Carolina  
**A.A.** **1989**  
Graduate with High Honors

### GRANTS

**South Carolina Department of Education**  
"As the TRASH Turns" \$6000 EIA Teacher Unit Grant  
Recycling Program at McCrorey-Liston Elementary School, **1997**

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Online Instructor, South Carolina Virtual Charter School**  
**2010 - present**  
Middle School Science Teacher  
Science Fair Coordinator  
District Science Fair Committee  
District Technology Plan Committee

Using the 2005 SC Science Standards and K12, Inc. lessons, coordinate with the middle school science team in planning, implementing, & assessing engaging/differentiated lessons utilizing the "Flipped Model" of instruction for 500+ students in the virtual environment, while concurrently monitoring progress/attendance and conferencing with 100+ homeroom families; unofficial technology "go to" person for peers.

**8th Grade Science Teacher, Brewer Middle School, Greenwood, South Carolina** **2010**  
8<sup>th</sup> grade lead science teacher

Using the 2005 SC Science Standards & Western Piedmont Education Consortium Science Curriculum, lead the 8th grade science team (including teachers of self-contained and single gender classes without a science background/certification) to plan, implement, & assess engaging/differentiated lessons for 100+ students, with a high percentage being at-risk students.

**7th Grade Science Teacher, Mid Carolina Middle School, Prosperity, South Carolina  
2007 - 2010**

Fellowship of Christian Athletes Huddle Leader

Using the 2005 SC Science Standards & Western Piedmont Education Consortium Science Curriculum, coordinate with the 7th grade science team in planning, implementing, & assessing engaging/differentiated lessons for students in a single-gender environment; lead development of science assessment.

**7th Grade Science Teacher, JS Wright Middle School  
Abbeville, South Carolina  
2005 - 2007**

Tech Cadets Leader

Using the 2005 SC Science Standards, coordinate with the other 7th grade science teacher in planning, implementing, & assessing engaging/differentiated lessons for students, many of whom were at-risk students, in leveled classes.

**1st Grade Teacher, Trinity School, Rutherfordton, North Carolina  
2001 - 2002**

Plan, implement, & assess challenging lessons in all curriculum areas for students in a private Christian school

**5th Grade Teacher, Kindergarten Teacher,  
Hillandale Elementary East Flat Rock, North Carolina  
1998-1999**

Plan, implement, and assess whole group, small group, and individual instruction for Kindergarteners in a rural school setting after voluntarily moving from a 5th grade classroom 3 weeks into the school year.

**Teacher, McCrorey-Liston Elementary School, Blair, South  
Carolina**

4th Grade Teacher

EIA Math Teacher

1st Grade Teacher

District Committees: Math Curriculum Guide, Science Curriculum Guide, and Promotion and Retention Policy

As a 4th grade and 1st grade teacher: planning, implementing, & assessing instruction for all curriculum areas.

As an EIA Math Teacher, coordinating with teachers in grades 1-6 to enhance and support Math instruction within the classroom and working with small groups of students in a pullout setting.

**PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS**

*Electronic versus traditional print textbooks: A comparison study on the influence of university students' learning*

Amanda J. Rockinson- Szapkiw, Jennifer Courduff, Kimberly Carter, & David Bennett, *Computers & Education*, 63, 259-266

**2013**

*Collaborating In the Cloud: Online Collaboration Via Evernote, Edmodo, and Google Docs*

Paper presented at the SC Ed Tech Conference

**2012**

*Google Docs: a Virtual Goldmine for Collaborating in the Cloud*

Paper presented at the SC Ed Tech Conference

**2012**

"Engaging Students in the Single Gender Classroom" (presentation)

Presented at the 1st Annual Gender Matters Conference, Dent Middle School

**2008**

#### MEMBERSHIPS AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

International Society of Technology in Education

Palmetto State Teachers Association

#### ACCREDITATION

Certified Metric Specialist #342, US Metric Association

#### INTERESTS, HOBBIES, AND ACTIVITIES

Much of my life revolves around family, school, and church activities. I am an avid reader and self-proclaimed computers "geek" who also loves singing, crafts, sewing, & cooking/baking.

#### VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Many years of volunteer leadership and service as a church member and as a pastor's wife including teaching Sunday School classes for children, adolescents, and adults, Sunday School Director, Choir Director, Worship Leader, planning children's and youth activities, & missions programs leader, as well as publishing church newsletters and weekly bulletins and building and maintaining a church website.

**Volunteer at Heartbeats Crisis Pregnancy Center, Rutherfordton, North Carolina 2000-2001**

Program Organizer of a benefit concert to raise money for the center.

#### COMPUTER SKILLS

Over 20 years' experience in word processing, Internet, email, Google Docs, publishing software, Jostens network, digital technology in the classroom (including ELMOs, SmartBoards and Promethean boards), Excel, PowerPoint, Android Applications, etc.

**SC Tech Proficiency Assessment** 11/17/2009—score: 86

#### LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

SC Teaching Certificate #165883

**Elementary Education**

**Early Childhood Education**

**Middle Level Science**

**Online Teaching**

Endorsed in Gifted & Talented

REFERENCES – furnished upon request