**Josie Kinnison**

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 **OBJECTIVE:** Early Childhood Education Teacher

**EDUCATION:**
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies EC-6 Generalist with English as Second Language,

Graduate with Honors**,** May 2018
Tarleton State University, Stephenville, TX: GPA: 3.5, Major GPA: 3.8

Associates of Arts in Teaching, May 2016
Tarrant County College, Fort Worth, TX: GPA: 3.4

**CERTIFICATIONS:** Texas Teachers Certification, Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities EC-12
 Texas Teachers Certification, Core Subjects EC-6
 Texas Teachers Certification, English as a Second Language Supplemental

Texas Dyslexia Identification Academy: Dyslexia Foundation

**RELEVANT COURSEWORK:**

* Families, School, and Communities
* Early Childhood Environment
* Survey of Exceptional Learners

* Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum
* Foundations of Bilingual and ESL Education
* Professional Development I, II, & III

**RELATED EXPERIENCE:
Student Teaching:** Second and Fifth Grade Classes, January 2017 - Present

Coleman Elementary School, Cleburne, TX

* Create and present daily lesson and unit plans
* Modify teaching methods to meet the needs of diverse students
* Instruct diverse student population including ESL students.

**Field Experience:** (Professional Development Classes) January 2015 – December 2017
Luella Merrett Elementary School, Waverly Park Elementary School, Fort Worth, TX
Bess Race Elementary School, Crowley, TX,
Coleman Elementary School, Cleburne, TX

* Taught small group and whole group instruction
* Developed learning stations
* Worked with special needs students
* Performed informal reading assessments

**WORK HISTORY:**

**Wait Staff:** Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill, Burleson, TX January 2011 – January 2013
Railhead BBQ, Aledo, TX January 2013 – May 2013
Cotton Patch Café, Cleburne, TX June 2013 – Present

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**The Association of Texas Professional Educators August 2016 - Present

**HONORS:
Scholarships:** Willie and Eve Tate Family Education August 2017
Joe & Teresa Long COE Scholarship August 2017
**Deans List** August 2014 – May 2017

**Tarleton Honors College** May 2018