

Erin Kendall

ENGLISH TEACHER

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PROFILE

English teacher of ten years across middle and senior school. My classes read whole books, argue about them, and still clear their boards — the last three Grade 10 cohorts averaged 87% in English against a school average of 79%.

CAREER HISTORY

SENIOR ENGLISH TEACHER, GRADES 8–10

04/2020 – Present

St. Xavier's Senior Secondary School · Chicago, IL

- Three consecutive Grade 10 cohorts averaged 87% in English — 8 points above school average
- Founded the literary society: 120 members, an annual magazine, and two inter-school debate titles
- Mentor four junior English teachers; co-wrote the school's Grades 6–8 writing curriculum

ENGLISH TEACHER, GRADES 6–8

06/2015 – 03/2020

Greenfield Public School · Chicago, IL

- Raised reading-comprehension scores 15% in two years with a graded independent-reading ladder
- Staged an annual Shakespeare-in-translation production involving 60+ students

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

M.A. ENGLISH LITERATURE

2013 – 2015

University of Chicago

B.A. (HONS) ENGLISH · M.ED.

2009 – 2013

University of Chicago

COMPETENCIES

Board exam preparation • Curriculum design • Creative writing instruction • Debate & public speaking coaching • Classroom management • Mentoring