

INDIVIDUAL FACULTY MEMBER PROFILE

Name: Bruce Knaak

School: Lyons-Decatur Northeast Public School

Position: Mathematics Instructor, Athletic Director, All Around Nice Guy

Subjects Taught:

I. FACULTY ASSIGNMENTS

TABLE A: Classes, Assigned Duties or Planning Periods during the school day

Period/Time	Class/Assignment	Grade Level	Enrollment	Number per week	Length (Min)
1	Algebra I	9-10	6	5	50 minutes
2	Geometry	10-12	15	5	50 Minutes
3	AD Prep	NA	NA	5	50 minutes
4	Advanced Math	12	9	5	50 minutes
5	Lunch/Lunch Duty	NA	NA	5	50 minutes
6	Algebra II	11-12	9	5	50 minutes
7	Prep	NA	NA	5	50 minutes
8	JH Activities/SH	7-12	Varies	5	50 minutes

TABLE B: Student Activity or other assignment scheduled before/after school day

Season	Activity	Student Enrollment	Sessions per week	Hours per week
Fall	JH Football	14	5	~10 hours
Winter	JH Boys Basketball	15	5	~10 hours
Winter	JH Girls Basketball	11	5	~10 hours
Year Round	Athletic Director	NA	5-6	15 Hours

TABLE C: All other professional activities in this school

Nature of Activity	Hours per week
Head Negotiator for LDEA	Varies
Mathematics Chairman	Varies

II. INDIVIDUAL FACULTY INFORMATION

- 1. Name: Bruce Knaak**
- 2. Secondary School from which graduated**

Secondary School	Location
Plainview High School	Plainview, NE

3. College and University Preparation

Institution	Years attended	Degree	Major	Minor
Peru State College	1984-1988	BS Ed.	Mathematics	
UNL-Lincoln	Summer 1990	Graduate Classes		
Wayne State College		Graduate Classes		
University of South Carolina State		Graduate Classes		

4. Areas of Certification and/or endorsement: Mathematics and Coaching

5. Summary of professional school experience:

Position	School	Dates of Service
Mathematics Instructor	Lyons-Decatur Northeast	1988-Present

6. Describe any significant non-school teaching experience

7. List current professional activities and memberships, including publications, special achievements, special recognitions, and professional presentations.

- > Nebraska Coaches Association
- > Nebraska Sate Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association
- >National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association
- >LDEA member and Head Negotiator

8. Describe specific staff development activities in which you have participated within the past five years that relate to your present assignment.

- > STARS Math Cadre
- > Building Partnerships for Inclusive School Practices
- > C4L Workshops and developing questions for the NeSA Math Testing

9. Describe any citizenship activities and community service within the past five years that relate your present assignment.

III.

JUDGEMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Strengths

Great, caring faculty.

Administration that is supportive of the teachers.

Technology.

Limitations

Lack of faculty able/willing to coach.

Limited number of class offerings.

Limited choices of elective classes, whether in core or non-core subjects

Recommendations

If possible, increase staff to be able to offer more choice of elective classes.