



MEET: KEVIN BARRON

Trinity Special Education Graduate, 2013

Your Current Teaching Role

"I am in my first year with Joliet Township High School after previously teaching in various roles in Chicago Heights for the previous nine years. I am teaching instructional algebra and geometry to a diverse group of freshmen and sophomores. Additionally, I case manage about twenty students who I support throughout the school year and create each of their IEPs. I am incredibly appreciative of the support and guidance my colleagues and administration are able to provide in this "district."

How Trinity Prepared You

"Trinity Christian provided me with experiences in classrooms early and often to guide me towards the environment that best fit my abilities. I know that having several placements and novice teaching before student teaching at two different schools gave me such a clear view of where I want to be and what I need to do to reach those goals. **Additionally, the administrator panel we met with during my senior year might have been the most useful single experience I had through Trinity.**"

Words of Wisdom

"If you have a skill or knowledge to share that doesn't fit your curriculum, finding time after school to explore these interests with others certainly helps engage students with being involved on campus."

Exploring Interests Outside the Classroom

"Outside of the classroom, I am pleased to share the Chicagoland history work I perform. I create free digital maps of local landmarks (SouthCookExplore.com), coordinate open house historic events, guide tours on behalf of several historical societies, and **am most excited about my upcoming book's release, "Images of America: Lemont" this November.**"

Learn about the maps made and donated to local historical societies:

www.southcookexplore.com/maps



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