

## *Elizabeth Giles-Brown*

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### **Education**

*University of Maine, Orono - Master of Education Degree / Physical Education - May 9, 1992*

*Plymouth State College - Bachelor of Science Degree / Physical Education - May 16, 1987*

### **Educational Trainings**

*Conscious Discipline 7-Day CD1 Training – Dr. Becky Bailey – August 2016*

*Teaching With The Brain In Mind 6-Day Training – Eric Jensen – July 2003*

### **Educational Consultant**

- Learning On The Move, LLC – [www.learningonthemove.org](http://www.learningonthemove.org) - 2018-Present
- Associate for Physical Education with [MAC Jay McTighe & Associates](http://www.macjaymctighe.com) Consulting - 2018-Present
- Expert Review Team Member for ASCD's Understanding by Design Exchange - 2002-2005
- Unit Writer for ASCD's Understanding by Design Exchange
- Maine State Department of Education, Assessment Project - 2001
- Maine State Physical Education Learning Results Design Team, 1999-2002

### **Teaching Experience**

*South Bristol School, South Bristol, ME 1993-2018*

- Physical Education/Health Teacher K-8 – <http://www.lizgilesbrownsbspe.weebly.com> (archived website)
- Circus Arts Club Coordinator & Performer 2007-2018
- American Heart Association Traveling Jump Rope Demonstration Team Coach 1996-2018
- Student Assistance Team member 1997-2000
- Unified Arts Curriculum Design Team 200-2003

*Southport Central School, Southport, ME 2008-2016*

- Physical Education Teacher K-6
- Community After School Jump & Juggle program coordinator & coach 2012-2016

*Rockwood Elementary School, Rockwood, ME 1/93-6/93*

- Served as Physical Education teacher/consultant for grades K-5

*Wales Central School, Wales, ME 1987-1992*

- Physical Education/Health Teacher K-8
- Student Council Advisor

### **Professional Development Workshops**

*MAHPERD (Maine Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance) Conference, Samoset Resort, Rockland, ME*

- *MVPA Challenge & Barrel Ball – MAHPERD 2017 & Eastern District AHPERD Conference 2018*
- *Rhyme & Reason – Explicit and Implicit Teaching Strategies in Physical Education 11/16*
- *Rhyme & Reason Webinar – SPARK Ecademy 8/16*
- *Brain Compatible Learning in Physical Education – 11/14, 11/13, 11/07*
- *Physical Education Toolkit Presentation – Presented highlights from my book published by Human Kinetics*
- *Jump Rope Skills Session and Performance – 11/16, 11/05*
- *Learning on the Move - An assessment workshop for physical educators presented for school districts and conferences - 11/03*
- *Assessment Training Workshop with the State Department of Education - 11/02*
- *Physical Education Assessment Session, 11/99*
- *Jump Rope Session where my students worked with teachers, 11/99*
- *Physical Education Assessment Session, 11/96*
- *Early bird jump rope session, 11/94*
- *Physical Education Resource Fair Collaboration, 11/92, 11/93, 11/94*
- *Elementary Physical Education Sharing Session, 11/89, 11/90*

*School Health Teacher Academy, University of Maine, Farmington*

- Teaching Physical Fitness Concepts in the Classroom, 1990, 1993

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Guilford Elementary School In-service Workshop

- 3-hour workshop entitled "Goal Oriented Physical Education", 1992

### **Publications**

Giles-Brown, Liz (2018). Poems For Brain/Body Smart Teaching In Physical Education. South Carolina: Createspace

Giles-Brown, Liz (2013). *Rhyme Time Reader*. South Carolina: Createspace

Giles-Brown, Liz (2012). *Rhyme Time In Physical Education*. South Carolina: Createspace

Giles-Brown, Liz (2006). *Physical Education Assessment Toolkit*. Illinois: Human Kinetics

Castelli, Darla & Giles-Brown, Liz (2001). Making Connections. *Teaching Elementary Physical Education*. 12(6) 11-12.

Giles-Brown (1994), Line dancing with middle level students. *JOPERD*. 65(4). 10-11

Giles-Brown (1993). Teach Administrators why Physical Education is so Important. *Strategies, A Journal for Physical Educators*. 6(8). 23-25.

### **Honors & Awards**

- MAHPERD Worthy Of Praise Award, 2016
- SHAPE America - American Society of Health and Physical Education National Jump Rope For Heart Recognition Award, 2016
- MAHPERD Jump Rope For Heart Outstanding Coordinator Award, 2008
- Jump Rope for Heart Media Champion Award for working with the AHA on a video highlighting the South Bristol Spindrifters and the Jump Rope For Heart program, 2008
- Teacher of the Year – Award given by the Lincoln County Retired Educator Association, 2007
- MAHPERD Innovative Grant Award to fund an after school Circus Arts Program, 2006
- MAHPERD Distinguished Leadership Award presented in for exemplary leadership in teaching, curriculum and assessment
- Leadership Recognition Award, Maine Dept. of Education's School of Excellence Award for Healthy Children and Youth Through Health Education, 2002
- SEED Innovative Grant Adaptor Award, 2000
- Thinkquest Junior Award for Jump Into Health, a healthy heart website designed by students with teacher's guidance, 1999
- Contest for Communities Award - Maine Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and Sport, 1999
- MAHPERD Elementary Physical Education Teacher of the Year, 1995
- Graduated Magna Cum Laude, Plymouth State College, 1987
- Mildred MacAfee Horton Award, Plymouth State College, awarded to an outstanding senior in the field of education, 1987
- Paul E. Arold Scholarship Award, for dedication to Physical Education and Athletics, 1986
- Member Plymouth State College chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, initiated 1985
- Plymouth State College Achievement Scholarship, 1983-84

### **Professional Affiliations**

- **SHAPE AMERICA** (Formerly the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance) since 1986
- **MAHPERD** (Maine Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance) since 1987 (served several years as Executive Board Secretary, Newsletter Editor, and PEPI Coordinator)
- **NHAHPERD** (New Hampshire Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance) 1983-1987