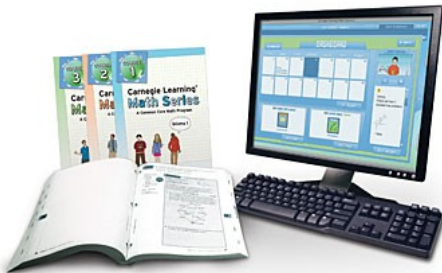


The Erma Byrd Center Faculty Spotlight is on Bluefield State College's Donald Davis, Adjunct Instructor, Developmental Mathematics

An Interview with Bluefield State College's
Donald Davis, Adjunct Instructor,
Developmental Mathematics
by Lisa Moten, Erma Byrd Center Director



Lisa Moten: How long have you been working at the Erma Byrd Center?

Donald Davis: *Approximately four years.*

Lisa Moten: What do you enjoy most about teaching at the Erma Byrd Center?

Donald Davis: *I enjoy working with the students! I like teaching as it provides with me the opportunity to give back to those in need (while retired)! I also tutor Bluefield State College students in math and chemistry (as requested).*

Lisa Moten: Share your best teaching tip to keep students engaged in learning.

Donald Davis: *I allow students to be flexible in their learning. When teaching mathematics, there is always more than one way to solve a problem; but, the thing I try to stress to students is to not give up too quickly! Additionally, I work to provide a learning environment that is comfortable, safe, and free of intimidation. I want my students to be at ease while learning!*



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