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PRIVATE SCHOOL EDUCATOR

8 Years' Success in Meeting the Social, Emotional and Creative Needs of Young Children

Energetic and dedicated teacher with a strong commitment to instilling students with a life-long love of learning. Skilled in integrating music and art into the classroom, providing a creative environment which is interesting and fun for students. Adept in using a variety of teaching methods including hands-on, verbal and visual. Committed to furthering education; hold Technical Certificate of Credit (TCC) in Early Childhood Care and Education.

CORE COMPETENCIES

Music & Art Integration | Differentiated Curriculum | Classroom Management Child Development | Flexible Lesson Planning | Student Safety | Regulatory Compliance

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

THE WALKER ACADEMY | Woodstock, GA Kindergarten Teacher | 2012 – Present

2014 – Present

Teach a class of 12 students in the core areas of math, science and phonics.

- Actively developed and maintain positive parent relationships by communicating student progress on a day-to-day basis.
- Successfully adopted group breakouts for separate instruction, helping children to develop strong communication abilities and tackle complex problems while learning to share perspectives.
- Effectively employed differentiated instruction and tutoring to bring non-readers up to a kindergarten reading level while also meeting the needs of advanced students functioning at a 2nd grade level.

Pre-School Lead Teacher | 2011 - 2012

Taught 3 and 4 year olds with 12-18 students per class.

Proved highly successful engaging children in a safe, organized and stimulating classroom that encouraged creativity, exploration and decision-making. Created a fun learning environment, fostering social and emotional growth.

- Expanded curriculum in collaboration with three fellow Lead Teachers, playing a pivotal role in developing children's full potential by shaping key academic, social and cognitive skills.
- Selected to work with two hearing impaired students with cochlear implants during transition from Speech School into 4-year old class.
 - o Observed by Pathologist, receiving praise for voice fluctuation and eye contact that proved key in children's success within traditional classroom setting.

EDUCATION

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, Atlanta Bachelor of Art in Sociology | 2011

CERTIFICATION

Chattahoochee Technical College, Marietta, GA
Technical Certificate of Credit (TCC) in Early Childhood Care and Education | 2011