



MICHAEL ANDERSON

Lead Early Childhood Educator

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SUMMARY

Dedicated Early Childhood Development Coach with over 8 years of experience in nurturing young minds and fostering a love for learning in preschool settings. Skilled in designing engaging curricula that cater to diverse learning styles and abilities, I focus on creating a supportive environment that encourages exploration and creativity.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lead Early Childhood Educator **Bright Futures Academy**

Jan 2023 - Present

- Developed and implemented age-appropriate curriculum for children aged 3-5 years.
- Facilitated daily activities that promote physical, emotional, and social development.
- Conducted assessments to monitor child progress and adapt teaching methods accordingly.
- Collaborated with parents to provide guidance on child development and learning strategies.
- Trained and mentored new staff on educational practices and classroom management.
- Organized community events to promote parent involvement and awareness of early childhood education.

Assistant Development Coach **Little Explorers Preschool**

Jan 2020 - Dec 2022

- Assisted in the development and execution of individualized learning plans for children with special needs.
 - Monitored classroom behavior and implemented positive reinforcement techniques.
 - Engaged children in hands-on activities to enhance language and motor skills.
 - Maintained open communication with parents to discuss child progress and challenges.
 - Participated in professional development workshops to enhance teaching skills.
 - Coordinated play-based learning sessions that fostered teamwork and cooperation among peers.
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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education, **University of Michigan**

Sep 2019 - Oct 2020

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Technical Skills:** Curriculum Development, Child Psychology, Classroom Management, Parent Engagement, Assessment Tools, Team Leadership
- **Awards/Activities:** Received the 'Outstanding Educator Award' for exceptional contributions to early childhood education in 2019.
- **Awards/Activities:** Increased student engagement by 30% through the implementation of interactive learning strategies.
- **Awards/Activities:** Successfully led a fundraising initiative that raised \$10,000 for preschool resources and activities.
- **Languages:** English, Spanish, French