

MICHAEL ANDERSON

Literacy Specialist

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Enthusiastic and experienced Special Education Classroom Facilitator with a focus on literacy and language development for students with disabilities. With over 7 years of experience in special education, I have developed a passion for helping students overcome challenges related to reading and communication. My approach is centered around creating individualized learning plans that cater to each student's unique needs while fostering a love for learning.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Literacy Specialist | Springfield Academy

Jan 2022 – Present

- Developed targeted literacy interventions for students with reading difficulties.
- Utilized a variety of resources including technology to enhance reading instruction.
- Collaborated with classroom teachers to integrate literacy across the curriculum.
- Conducted assessments to monitor student progress and adapt strategies.
- Facilitated workshops for parents on supporting literacy development at home.
- Implemented a reading buddy program that improved students' reading skills by 25%.

Special Education Teacher | Northern Lights High School

Jul 2019 – Dec 2021

- Provided individual and group instruction to students with diverse learning needs.
- Created a positive and engaging classroom environment that promoted learning.
- Designed and implemented IEPs to address academic goals.
- Monitored and documented student progress to inform instruction.
- Collaborated with specialists to provide additional support to students.
- Organized literacy events that increased students' interest in reading and writing.

SKILLS

literacy development

individualized instruction

curriculum integration

parent engagement

assessment

resourcefulness

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Education

2015 – 2019

Academic Institute

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Increased student literacy rates by 30% through targeted interventions.
- Recognized for excellence in teaching with a district award in 2019.
- Launched a community reading program that engaged over 100 families.

LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

French