

MICHAEL ANDERSON

Early Childhood Special Education Advisor

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Dynamic Special Education Advisor with a background in early childhood special education. Over 9 years of experience, I have dedicated my career to supporting young children with disabilities and their families. My approach is rooted in a strong understanding of developmental milestones and the importance of early intervention.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Early Childhood Special Education Advisor | Little Learners Academy

Jan 2022 – Present

- Developed individualized education plans for preschool children with disabilities, enhancing developmental progress by 40%.
- Trained staff on best practices in early childhood education, improving program quality.
- Conducted assessments to identify developmental milestones and create targeted intervention strategies.
- Collaborated with families to develop home-based activities that support learning.
- Implemented play-based learning techniques that increased student engagement and interaction.
- Organized community workshops on early intervention strategies, reaching over 100 families.

Special Education Teacher | Starbright Preschool

Jul 2019 – Dec 2021

- Created a nurturing classroom environment that catered to the needs of children with varying disabilities.
- Implemented individualized lesson plans focusing on language and social skills development.
- Collaborated with therapists to integrate speech and occupational therapy into the curriculum.
- Engaged families in the learning process through regular communication and feedback.
- Participated in professional development to stay updated on early childhood education trends.
- Advocated for increased resources for special education programs within the school.

SKILLS

Early Intervention

Developmental Assessment

Family Collaboration

Play-Based Learning

Program Development

Advocacy

EDUCATION

Master's Degree in Early Childhood Special Education

2015 – 2019

University of Childhood Development

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recognized for outstanding contributions to early childhood education by the regional education board.
- Increased family participation in special education programs by 50% through targeted outreach.
- Developed a resource guide for parents on supporting children with disabilities at home.

LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

French