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## **EXPERTISE SKILLS**

- Curriculum development
- Assistive technology
- Family engagement
- Team leadership
- Assessment
- Advocacy

## **LANGUAGES**

- English
- Spanish
- French

## **CERTIFICATION**

- Master of Science in Special Education, University of Michigan, 2012

## **REFERENCES**

### **John Smith**

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# MICHAEL ANDERSON

## SPECIAL NEEDS INSTRUCTOR

Dynamic Special Education Inclusive Educator with more than 10 years of experience in diverse educational settings. Expertise in adapting instructional practices to meet the needs of students with varying disabilities. Committed to fostering an inclusive environment that promotes learning, growth, and emotional well-being for all students. Strong background in developing and implementing effective teaching strategies that engage students and enhance their academic performance.

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Blue Sky Academy**

*Mar 2018 - Present*

Special Needs Instructor

- Designed and delivered specialized curriculum for students with autism and learning disabilities.
- Implemented assistive technologies to facilitate communication and learning.
- Developed strong relationships with families to support student learning at home.
- Conducted regular assessments to monitor student progress and adjust strategies accordingly.
- Facilitated social skills groups to promote peer interactions and inclusivity.
- Organized school-wide events to raise awareness about special education needs.

### **Harmony School District**

*Dec 2015 - Jan 2018*

Lead Special Education Teacher

- Led a team of special educators in implementing district-wide inclusive education initiatives.
- Provided mentorship and support to new teachers in developing IEPs.
- Organized training sessions on best practices in special education for faculty and staff.
- Collaborated with community organizations to provide resources for families.
- Evaluated educational programs for effectiveness in meeting diverse student needs.
- Advocated for policy changes to improve services for students with disabilities.

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Boosted student academic performance by 40% through tailored instructional strategies.
- Implemented a mentorship program that improved teacher retention rates by 20%.
- Awarded the 'Innovative Educator' grant for developing a unique sensory learning space.