TERESA DYE

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR

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I am a dedicated Early Childhood Educator with **20+ years of proven experience** developing and leading creative programs for children from birth to 5 years. I am passionate about ensuring each and every child gets the best possible start at life by providing a fun learning environment that is both inviting and nurturing. I strive to offer opportunities for children to play, problem solve, question and experiment with new ideas and explore the world around them.

SKILLS

Teaching

Lesson Planning

Classroom Management

Employee Training

Conference Speaking

Parent Communication

EDUCATION

Central Virginia
Community College
Lynchburg, VA

Heritage High School,
Honors Graduate
Lynchburg, VA

REFERENCES

Available upon request

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EXPERIENCE

NOW - 1998

Preschool Teacher & Program Coordinator
Third Baptist Church Preschool

– Graduated 200+ children
– Mentored and trained more than 10 staff members
– Act as stand-in for Preschool Director
– Create weekly lesson plans and curriculum
– Cultivate relationships with students, parents and co-workers
– Design and distribute monthly newsletters, calendars, schedules and forms
– Coordinate daily opening and closing school procedures
– Incorporate hands-on learning opportunities such as interactive games, centers, music and art lessons
– Manage resources for all preschool and Sunday school classes
– Orchestrate special events and programs such as Christmas performances and graduation ceremonies

1998 – 1997

Preschool Teacher
Ooltewah Baptist Church

– Lead classroom of 20 students in fun, educational activities.
– Adapted teaching methods to meet student's varying needs.

1997 – 1995

Preschool Teacher
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

– Managed day-to-day classroom activities, including structured lessons, free play, lunch time and rest time for students
– Collaborated with other teachers to create an inviting and nurturing environment for every child.