Andre Washington

Elementary Teacher

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SUMMARY

Elementary teacher with 6 years in grades 3 and 4, teaching all core subjects to classes of 24 to 26 students. Uses data analysis, differentiated instruction and critical thinking tasks to close reading and math gaps, runs a calm classroom through consistent classroom management, and keeps families informed every week.

EXPERIENCE

Elementary Teacher

08/2023 - Present

Linden Park Elementary School

Columbus, OH

Public K-5 school with 480 students in an urban district.

- Teach reading, math, science and social studies to **26** fourth graders, with lesson planning tied to Ohio standards.
- Analyze i-Ready results every 6 weeks and regroup students; 71% met their typical growth goal in reading last year.
- Design differentiated math stations with 3 levels of practice, cutting the number of students below grade level by 9.
- Coordinate with the intervention specialist on 5 IEPs and 4 reading improvement plans each year.

Third Grade Teacher

08/2020 - 06/2023

Hilltop Community Elementary

Columbus, OH

Public elementary school serving 390 students.

- Taught 24 third graders a year across all subjects, with 78% passing the state reading test in spring 2023.
- Established morning meetings and a class jobs system that reduced behavior referrals by half over 2 years.
- Introduced Google Classroom for homework and reading logs, reaching 100% of families by the end of year one.
- Mentored 2 student teachers from The Ohio State University through 12-week placements.

SKILLS

- Classroom Management
- Instructional Strategies
- Differentiated Instruction
- Data Analysis
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Lesson Planning
- i-Ready
- Google Classroom
- Critical Thinking
- Communication Skills

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

05/2020

The Ohio State University

Columbus, OH

Early Childhood Education (PK-5)

CERTIFICATES

Ohio Professional Teaching License, Primary PK-5

06/2024

Ohio Department of Education and Workforce