

# EMMA WILLIAMS

A special education teacher with eight years of experience in creating individualized lesson plans and teaching strategies for students with varying learning abilities. Expert in fostering inclusive environments that support the academic and social growth of students with disabilities. Passionate about using adaptive technology and differentiated instruction to ensure every student achieves their potential.

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## Professional Experience

### Special Education Teacher *Maplewood High School, Atlanta, GA | August 2018 - Present*

- Develop and implement IEPs (Individualized Education Plans) for students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and ADHD, leading to an 85% success rate in achieving their academic goals.
- Collaborate with general education teachers to integrate students with special needs into mainstream classrooms, ensuring inclusivity and participation.
- Utilize assistive technology and multisensory methods to engage students with learning disabilities in mathematics, language arts, and science.

### Special Education Teacher *Pinecrest Middle School, Atlanta, GA | June 2015 - July 2018*

- Provided one-on-one and group support to 20 students with various disabilities, including Down syndrome and learning disabilities.
- Developed and adapted lesson plans that included differentiated instruction and positive behavior reinforcement.
- Trained and mentored teaching assistants on implementing behavioral management strategies, which led to a 25% reduction in classroom disruptions.

## Education

### Bachelor of Science in Special Education *University of Georgia, Athens, GA | 2015*

### Master of Science in Special Education *University of Georgia, Athens, GA | 2018*

## Key Skills

- Special Education law and regulations
- Differentiated instruction
- Behavioral management
- Adaptive learning tools
- IEP development and implementation

## Certifications

- Georgia State Special Education Certification | 2015

