

# SPECIAL D. EDUCATOR

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## Professional Skills Profile

- Diagnostic Measurement/Evaluation
  - Teaching Methods for Exceptional Children
  - Curriculum Development
  - Technology Integration and Inclusive Classrooms
  - Fluent in Spanish
  - Oral and Written Communication
  - Microsoft Office Suite 2010
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## Relevant Experience

**Fifth Grade Student Teacher**, *R.S. Payne Elementary, Lynchburg, VA*  
August 2011 – May 2012

- Instructed 21 students with special learning requirements in grades K-5 in a resource room setting
- Integrated special learning approaches for students encircling self-questioning, practice and review, organization, and cognitive behavior modification
- Attended faculty meetings to review and evaluate teaching methods
- Utilized computers in the classroom as part of the learning experience

**Instructional Assistant**, *R.S. Payne Elementary, Lynchburg, VA*  
May 2010 – August 2011

- Supported students with BD, DD, SLD, and ED in general education classrooms
- Collaborated with lead teacher in the self-contained classroom background
- Helped in the classroom organization, developed lessons, designed and evaluated progress of the students

**Substitute Teacher**, *Laurens County School District 55, Laurens, SC*  
January 2009 – June 2009

- Provided instruction in special and general education classrooms, pre-kindergarten through high school
  - Maintained a positive learning environment by implementing behavioral management strategies
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## Education & Credentials

**BS in Special Education Integrated Studies**, Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA  
Anticipated: May 2013

- **Certifications:** Dual Endorsement in Special Education & Elementary Education  
Anticipated: June 2013
- **GPA:** 3.56, **GPA in Major:** 3.8
- **Honors:** Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society since 2010

## Affiliation

Council for Exceptional Children, January 2012- Present

## Volunteer Experience

**Mentor**, Boys & Girls Club of Central Virginia, Lynchburg, VA, June 2010 – Present  
**Peer Leader**, Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA, August 2009-May 2010