### **Special Education Teacher**

# **Emily Roberts**

#### **Professional summary**

Patient and resourceful Special Education Teacher with experience supporting students with learning disabilities. Expertise in developing differentiated instruction plans, utilizing assessment-based interventions, and fostering a supportive and inclusive learning environment. Skilled in collaborating with multidisciplinary teams to help students achieve academic and personal milestones.

#### Experience

#### **Special Education Teacher**

August 2017 - Now Chicago Public Schools / United States

- Design and implement IEPs tailored to students with diverse learning disabilities.
- Develop and deliver multi-sensory lesson plans to support various learning styles.
- Conduct regular progress evaluations and adjusted teaching strategies to address students' evolving needs.
- Integrate assistive technologies, such as text-to-speech software and adaptive learning platforms.

#### **Resource Specialist**

June 2014 - August 2017

Oak Park School District / United States

- Provided one-on-one and small group instruction to reinforce classroom learning for students with mild to moderate disabilities.
- Assisted in the development of IEPs by conducting assessments and identifying measurable goals for students.
- Supported general education teachers in modifying instructional materials.

#### **Professional Development**

#### Trauma-Informed Classroom Management Training

Chicago Public Schools Professional Learning Program, Completed: February 2023

#### Volunteer Work

#### **Special Needs Camp Counselor**

2015 - 2017

Camp Courageous, Dubuque, IA

- Provided daily care and structured activities for children with a variety of special needs, including autism and ADHD.
- Organized recreational activities that encouraged social interaction and confidence-building.

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#### Education

Master of Science in Special Education 2015 - 2017 Northwestern University United States, Evanston, IL

#### **Bachelor of Arts in Special Education**

2010 - 2014 University of Illinois at Chicago United States

#### Learning Disabilities Specialist Certification

Illinois State Board of Education Valid through: August 2027

## Teaching Credential – Special Education

Illinois State Board of Education Valid through: May 2025

#### Skills

Multi-sensory Teaching Techniques	****
Educational Technology Integration	****
IEP Development and Compliance	****
Reading and Math Interventions	****
Progress Monitoring and Student Assessment	****

#### Languages

Fluent in English and Spanish.