



Curriculum Vita

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EDUCATION

Texas A & M University-Commerce

Degree: Ed. D., A.B.D.

Specialization: Curriculum and Instruction: Early Childhood Education

Amberton University

Degree: M. S. 2004

Specialization: School Counseling

University of Central Arkansas

Degree: B.A. 2002

Specialization: Early Childhood Education

Texas Teacher Certifications:

Classroom Teacher: Early Childhood Education 09/2015- 08/2021
(Generalist: Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten)

Classroom Teacher: Elementary Self-Contained 09/2015- 08/2021
(Generalist: 1st -8th grade)

School Counseling 09/2015- 08/2021
(Early Childhood through 12th grade)

English as a Second Language Supplemental 09/2015- 08/2021

TEACHING AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Dallas Independent School District	
Fall 2014-present	Early Learning Instructional Specialist
Fall 2009-Spring 2014	Kindergarten Teacher
Fall 2002-Spring 2009	Pre-Kindergarten Teacher

TRAINING AND CERTIFICATIONS

Results Coaching Global- Leadership Coaching (Level II)	2018
Results Coaching Global- Leadership Coaching (Level I)	2017
Jim Knight: Academic Coaching Training	2016-2017
Kathy Key: Academic Coaching Training	2015 – 2016
Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS):	2015 – Present
Trainer of Trainers- Certified	
Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS):	2015 – Present
Making the Most of Classroom Interactions (MMCI) – Certification	
Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS):	2014 – Present
Certified Pre-K Observer	

PRESENTATIONS

Dallas Independent School District Professional Development 2019:
Guided Math 101

Dallas Independent School District Professional Development 2018:

An Introduction to Guided Math

PreK-4 Language Development and Literacy Focus with Letter Wall

PreK-4 Mathematics Skills Progression with direct ties to Guided Math

Dallas Independent School District Professional Development 2017:

Bassa, K. (2016). STEAM in early childhood. Presented at Head Start of Greater Dallas Spring Conference, Irving, TX.

Bassa, K. (2016). Putting the pieces together: the puzzling behaviors of young children.

Presented at Texas Association for the Education of Young Children, Dallas, TX.

Bassa, K. (2015). It's raining sounds: phonological awareness in early childhood settings. Presented at Head Start of Greater Dallas Spring Conference, Irving, TX.

Bassa, K. & Blair, T. (2014). Classroom management in early childhood classrooms.

Presented at Bill Martin Jr. Symposium, Commerce, TX.