Philippa Okonkwo-Lindqvist

Elementary School Teacher, Grades 1–5

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LICENSURE

Rhode Island Elementary Education Certificate, Grades 1–6

Science of Reading endorsement coursework, 2022

SUMMARY

Licensed elementary teacher with 8 years in public schools, teaching self-contained classes of 22 to 26 children in grades 2 to 4. Moved the share of third graders at or above the spring reading benchmark from 54% to 73% in 3 years and built a daily math fact routine now used across the grade. Known for predictable routines, small-group reading and frequent, friendly family updates.

EXPERIENCE

Third Grade Teacher — Pawtuxet Hollow Elementary School

Cranston, RI · Aug 2020 – Present

- Teach all core subjects to a self-contained class of about 24 third graders, with 4 to 6 students on IEPs or 504 plans each year.
- Raised the share of students at or above the spring reading benchmark from 54% to 73% over 3 years with daily leveled small groups.
- Built a 10-minute daily fact fluency routine that lifted multiplication fact mastery from 31% to 82% of students by May.
- Kept average daily attendance near 95% with a morning greeting routine and 2 positive family messages per child each month.
- Mentored 3 student teachers from a local university, each completing a full 15-week placement in my room.

Second Grade Teacher — Meshanticut Park Elementary School

Cranston, RI · Aug 2018 – Jun 2020

- Taught a class of 22 second graders, including 5 multilingual learners.
- Moved 14 of 18 students below grade level in phonics to grade level within 1 school year.
- Ran a family literacy night attended by about 60 parents and children.

SKILLS

Literacy: Systematic phonics, guided reading, decodable texts, writing workshop, read-alouds

Math: Number talks, manipulatives, fact fluency, problem-solving routines

Classroom: Positive behavior supports, morning meeting, center rotations, IEP accommodations

Tools: DIBELS 8, i-Ready, Seesaw, Google Classroom, PowerSchool

EDUCATION

Master of Education, Literacy, Narragansett Bay University, 2020

Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Narragansett Bay University, 2018

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