**Michala Day**

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# STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION

Successfully implemented lesson plans for secondary school students in accordance with the Virginia Standards of Learning. Accomplished goals through collaboration with teachers, student differentiation, and use of technology.

# EDUCATION Longwood University Farmville, VA

*Bachelor of Arts in English December 2019*

Concentration: Secondary Education

**Certifications**: Collegiate Professional License in Secondary English grades 6-12, Child Abuse & Neglect: Recognizing, Reporting and Responding for Educators, Dyslexia Awareness

# CLASSROOM EXPERIENCE

**Student Teacher,** Grades 7 & 11 September-December 2019 *Park View Middle and High* *School* South Hill, VA

* Create and implement lesson plans to be taught during six-week time period in each grade.
* Implement techniques for students to examine mentor texts and effectively write.
* Assist the grade level when needed including tutoring.
* Create engaging activities for lessons with student choice involved.
* Organize materials collected from the students and graded assignments.

# Practicum II Student Teacher, Grade 8 May 2019

*Lucille M. Brown Middle School* Henrico, VA

* Observed and helped co-teach 20 eighth grade students.
* Assist the teacher in preparation for the Virginia Standards of Learning testing.
* Taught lessons to the class and was observed by Longwood supervisor.
* Aided the teacher throughout the day as needed.

# ACTIVITIES

**Big Siblings**, Longwood University, August 2017-Present

**Peer Mentor**, Longwood University Office of First Year Experience, June 2018-December 2018

# WORK EXPERIENCE

**Assistant Teacher**, S*easonal* Summers 2016- present *Children’s Center at CBC* Clarksville, VA

* Teach children cognitive skills using hands-on activities
* Collaborate with lead teachers in the process of creating lesson plans
* Work in a team with other teachers to prepare children for grade school courses and activities

# SKILLS

**Computer:** Microsoft Office Suite, myLongwood, Degree Works, Prezi, Smart Board Technology

**Organizational:** team management, decision making, team leadership, problem-solving

**Professional:** communication, public speaking, critical thinking, flexibility