**Dawn Cannava**

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**CERTIFICATION**

* Florida/New York Educational Leadership (All Levels)
* Florida/New York Prekindergarten/Primary Education (Age 3-Grade 3)
* Florida/New York Elementary Education (Grades K - 6)

**EXPERIENCE**

**First Light Tutors**

**September 2006-present**

Teacher, Various Grades

* Worked closely with staff in implementing curriculum and meeting state standards.
* Adapted lessons for advanced students, students with disabilities and English Language Learners
* Maintaining a caring, supportive, developmentally appropriate environment to foster  student growth and development
* Outstanding ability to apply knowledge of current research and theory

**NYCDOE, PS 254 Brooklyn, NY**

September 1999-June, 2015

Teacher, Various

* Developed and implemented daily and unit lesson plans for grade based New York State standards
* Adapted lessons for advanced students, students with disabilities and English Language Learners
* Maintaining a caring, supportive, developmentally appropriate environment to foster  student growth and development
* Lead in parent, faculty and team meetings and citywide professional development days

**NYCDOE, PS 15 Brooklyn, NY**

September, 1998-June, 1999, Technology Specialist

* Hands-on experience of NYS Information Technology standards
* Exceptional knowledge of computer programming
* Thorough knowledge of the instructional programs within a school
* Outstanding ability to apply knowledge of current research and theory
* Excellent human relations and management skills
* Responsible for technology budget and grant implementation
* Support services including classroom, lab and administrative offices

**Technology Instructor/Technician, Macintosh Solutions, New York, NY 10010**

April, 1998-April, 2014

* Instructor of various computer programs, ie: Office, Web Browsers and Email programs.
* Troubleshoot Macintosh Operating System issues including networking and software conflicts, installation and setup of hardware.

**EDUCATION**

* CUNY Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, NY. Bachelor of Arts, Communications 1999
* Touro College, New York, NY. Master of Science, Administration and Leadership 2008

**Afterschool Programs, NYCDOE PS 254, Brooklyn, NY**

* NYS English Language Arts and Math, January, 2009-present
* English Language Learners Adult Program, September, 2013-November 2013
* Fit For Life Program, September 2009-2012
* School Newsletter, October 1999-June 2004

**TEACHING-RELATED EXPERIENCE**

**COMMITTEES**

 **NYDOE PS 254, Brooklyn, NY**

* National Blue Ribbon School Committee 2013-2014
* School Consultation Committee, September, 2013-2014
* School Social Committee, September 2000-2004
* Pre-K Grade Leader, September 2003-June, 2009