

# IRIS LAUREANO



## ESL TEACHER ASSISTANT

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Results-oriented ESL Teacher Assistant with a Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics and 2 years of experience supporting English language learners. Skilled in providing individualized instruction, fostering a positive learning environment, and facilitating cultural understanding. Proficient in English and Spanish with a strong commitment to promoting language acquisition and academic success.

### EXPERIENCE

June 2022 - Now

Sunnybrook Elementary School / Jacksonville, FL

ESL Teacher Assistant

- Support ESL teachers in developing and implementing tailored lesson plans for English language learners.
- Provide individualized instruction in speaking, listening, reading, and writing English to enhance language acquisition.
- Collaborate with classroom teachers to integrate language learning into content areas and promote academic success for ESL students.

2020 - 2022

Hispanic Linguistic Center / Jacksonville, FL

ESL Tutor

- Conducted one-on-one tutoring sessions for English language learners of diverse backgrounds and proficiency levels.
- Developed customized lesson plans focusing on students' language goals, interests, and learning styles.
- Assisted students in preparing for standardized English proficiency exams such as TOEFL and IELTS, achieving measurable improvements in test scores.

### EDUCATION

2018 - 2022

University of North Florida / United States, Jacksonville, FL

Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics

- Relevant coursework: Second Language Acquisition, Linguistic Diversity, Intercultural Communication
- Graduated with honors: GPA 3.8
- Thesis: "The Impact of Cultural Factors on Language Learning Strategies"

### SKILLS

English as a Second Language (ESL)

Expert

Curriculum Development

Expert

Classroom Management

Expert

Intercultural Competence

Expert

Planning and Organization

Expert

Technology Integration

Expert

### LANGUAGES

Spanish (bilingual)