# Angelia Buckingham

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## **Professional Summary**

Experienced and dedicated K–3 educator with a Master of Arts in Education from Michigan State University. Demonstrated success in delivering district-aligned curriculum while managing classrooms of 20+ students. Passionate about culturally responsive instruction, whole-child development, and fostering a text-rich, inclusive classroom environment that supports engagement and academic growth for all learners.

#### Certification

State of Michigan **Interim** Teaching Certificate Expiration: June 30, 2029

#### **Education**

**Michigan State University** – Master of Arts in Education (MAED), 2025 - Graduate Certificates: Online Teaching and Learning, Educational Technology

**Wayne State University** – Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS), 2018 - Information Management

**Wayne State University** – Bachelor of Arts in English (Creative Writing), Minor in Film Studies. 2016

## **Professional Experience**

**Regent Park Scholars Academy** – 3rd Grade Teacher National Heritage Academies, Detroit, MI *March 2025 – Present* 

**Detroit Enterprise Academy** – Kindergarten Teacher & 2nd Grade Tutor National Heritage Academies, Detroit, MI September 2023 – March 2025 **Coleman A. Young Elementary School** – Kindergarten Teacher, 3rd–5th Grade Math & Science Teacher Detroit Public Schools Community District, Detroit, MI *September 2020 – May 2021* 

Note: Employment gaps reflect academic pursuits to complete B.A. and M.A. degrees.

### **Skills & Tools**

 $AIMSWEB \cdot EDCITE \cdot SchoolConnect \cdot Google\ Classroom \cdot Standards-Aligned\ Instruction \cdot Culturally\ Responsive\ Teaching \cdot Behavior\ Management \cdot Whole-Child\ Approach \cdot Digital\ Literacy \cdot Lesson\ Differentiation$ 

#### **Honors & Awards**

**Phi Kappa Phi** Honor Society – Inducted 2025



## **Professional Development**

**Professional Innovators in Teaching** (PIIT), MAPSA Program in progress – expected completion: 04/2027

Cohort 20 | 2024–2025 Completed coursework in:

- -Intro to Child Psychology
- -Teaching and Professional Standards (Part 1)
- -Empathetic Communication in Action
- Culturally Responsive Classroom Management
- Data-Driven Instruction
- Differentiation for Diverse Learners
- Leadership & Teacher Efficacy

(Program aligned with Michigan Department of Education standards and contributes to my professional licensure support)