# Jessica Childs

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### Education

## **Arcadia University**

Glenside, PA

## Masters of Special Education

- Certifications in Early Childhood Education PreK-4 and Special Education PreK-8
- Expected graduation date: December 2020

## **Ursinus College**

Collegeville, PA

## Bachelor of Science in Psychology

- Emphasis in Education, Neuroscience, and Wellness Education
- Graduated: May 2018

### Saint Basil Academy

Jenkintown, PA

Graduated: June 2014

## Experience

## MaST Community Charter School II

Philadelphia, PA

Personal Care Assistant

August 2018 – Present

- Work with first grade special education student to assist with transitions, class work, behavior management, and daily skills
- Track student's behaviors using 5 minute interval trackers, online Easy TRAC system, and daily communication log

## Oaks Early Learning Center

Phoenixville, PA

One-Year-Old Room Assistant and Center Substitute

July 2017 – August 2018

- Assist in the classroom in the afternoon
- Supervise the children on the playground and during free play until children are picked up.

#### **New Foundations Charter School**

Philadelphia, PA

Camp Counselor and After Care Work

June 2012 – August 2016

- Worked as both a lead counselor for two years and a one-on-one's assistant in an Extended School Year Program
- Worked mainly with 8-12 year olds during the regular hours of camp but ran after-care programs for ages 4-14 year olds
- Worked closely with both individual students and large groups in class settings and during recreational times

## Leadership

## Peer Advocate at Ursinus College

August 2016-Present

- Work alongside Title IX directors and professional staff to educate the student body on sexual assault misconduct and advocacy.
- Trained to respond to sexual assault survivors and aid them through the process of reporting the incident
- Run program on campus in small and large group settings on topics such as sexual assault, dating violence, consent, and upstander intervention

### Vice President of Tau Sigma Gamma at Ursinus College

May 2017 - Present

- Form partnerships with other organizations to plan social events and keep an organized list of events that occur throughout the year
- Assisted the president with anything needed including running meetings, overseeing new member education, and communicating with our advisor

#### Summer Research Fellow at Ursinus College

May 2017 – July 2017

Theater for Social Justice: Sexual Violence Prevention for College Orientations

- Eight week long intensive research on sexual assault epidemic on college campuses, sexual assault prevention programs, and theater for social justice pieces
- Proposed a redesign of the first year orientation program at Ursinus College to be more inclusive and engage students in sexual assault prevention and advocacy on campus

### President of Ursinus College Women's Rugby Club

January 2014 – January 2017

- Kept records of finances, reimbursed team for equipment purchases, communicated with our coach and the school for scheduling, and kept good relations with other teams in league
- Helped plan trip to National Small College Championships in May of 2016 to North Carolina