



The Learning Lane Employee Mini Bio

Name: Sarah Van Bourgondien

Position: Pre Academic / Acquisition

Please describe your educational / experience background.

I graduated from Miami University, Ohio, with a B.S in Early Childhood Education and a P-3 Reading endorsement. I substitute taught for 2 years in Columbus, Ohio before moving to Texas and starting at The Learning Lane. I am currently working on taking the EC-4 generalist test and receiving my full license in Texas.

How long have you worked with The Learning Lane?

I have been with The Learning Lane since May 2010 and I love everything about it!

Why have you chosen to work at The Learning Lane?

I knew I wanted to work with children with Autism when a family who I babysat for had their 2 ½ year-old diagnosed. It was very emotional to see them go through that process. I was unable to become their ABA therapist since I was moving to Texas. When I heard about The Learning Lane, I knew it was going to be a great opportunity. It has expanded my knowledge on ASD tremendously and is in turn helping me to become a stronger educator.

What do you like most about your job?

The most rewarding part about teaching here is seeing the progress these children make each and every day. Seeing the way they overcome challenges and the small ways in which they show you their appreciation is amazing. I also couldn't be more thankful for the hardworking, helpful, and fun staff that we have!