# Sylvia Wright

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#### Education:

# **Fayetteville State University**

Fayetteville, North Carolina

Bachelor of Science in Middle Grades Education- Major: English Minor: Social Studies

## Columbia College

Columbia, South Carolina Master of Education in Divergent Learning

#### **Texas Tech University**

Lubbock, Texas Master of Arts in History

#### The Citadel

Charleston, SC

- Master of Education in Educational Leadership, School Administration
- Specialist in Educational Leadership, School Superintendent

# The University of South Carolina

Columbia, SC

Doctor of Education- Educational Systems Improvement (August 2026)

#### **Certification Fields:**

Middle Level Social Studies Social Studies (Grades 7-12) Middle Level Language Arts School Principal: Secondary- Tier 1

# **Experience:**

#### Mayewood Middle School, South Carolina (2004-2006)

• 6th Grade Language Arts Teacher

#### Tilden Middle School, Maryland (2006-2010)

- 6th Grade English and Reading Teacher
- 7th Grade Reading Teacher
- Academic Intervention Coordinator

#### Benton Middle School, Louisiana (2010-2012)

• 8th Grade English and Reading/Language! Live Teacher

## Cane Bay Middle School, South Carolina(2012-2015)

- 6th Grade Social Studies Teacher
- 7th Grade Social Studies and English Teacher
- Jostens Renaissance Sponsor- Renaissance Rallies
- Student Council Sponsor
- Community Outreach Liaison
- Red Ribbon Week Coordinator

## Smylie Wilson Middle School, Texas (2015-2017)

- •8th Grade Social Studies Teacher/ Content Academic Leader
- Mentor Teacher

#### **OL Slaton Middle School, Texas (2017-2019)**

- 6th/8th Grade Social Studies Teacher
- 6th/7th Grade AVID Teacher
- Mentor Teacher
- Organized Teacher Recognition program
- PD- Lead4ward, Solution Tree (PLCs and Data), and Capturing Kids Hearts

# Early College High School, Charleston (2019-2021)

- 9th Grade AVID Teacher
- AVID Co-Coordinator
- 9th Grade House Leader/MTSS
- Organized and Implemented Saturday School Initiative
- Presenter at District Level Professional Development (The Cornell Way)

# Deer Park Middle School, Charleston (2021-2023)

- 7th/8th Grade AVID Teacher
- AVID Coordinator/Site Team Leader- Implemented and Monitored Site Goals
- Social Studies Department Leader
- Mentor Teacher
- Title 1 Facilitator
- Member of MTSS
- Organized clubs schoolwide, PBIS celebrations, and AVID Ambassadors/ Scheduling

# **Charleston Southern University, Charleston (2021-2023)**

 Adjunct Professor, History- GEOG 200- Introduction to Geography, HIST 112 and HIST 113- World Civilizations

## Dorchester District 4, Dorchester, SC (2023-present)

- Instructional Coach/Curriculum Specialist(2022-23)supported teachers with lesson planning, led professional
  development sessions tailored to the needs of the school,
  and implemented systems and initiatives to improve the
  learning environment, create a collaborative culture, and
  address learning gaps.
- District Coordinator for Secondary Education (2023-present)

collaborate with teachers, school leaders, and community members to provide the best learning environment for students and teachers. I also lead professional development for curriculum and instruction mandates from the state department of education.

#### **Endorsements:**

- Read 2 Succeed Content Area Reading and Writing Middle Level and High School
- Gifted and Talented Certification

#### **Community Service/Volunteer Experience**

- Mentor for The Lauro Cavazos and Ophelia Powell-Malone Mentoring Program (Mentor Tech) at Texas Tech University
- Presenter and Mentor for New Teacher Induction in Lubbock ISD
- Mentor Teacher for Inspire Texas Educator Certification Program
- ADEPT/Induction Mentor
- YPD Director- Greater St. James AME Church
- Member of the Women's Missionary Society- Greater St. James AME Church
- Member of the Goose Creek NAACP
- Youth Council Advisor- NAACP Goose Creek Branch
- Secretary- Dorchester County Education Association, Local Branch of the SCEA