



Cisco Family Connection

Meet Your Enrichment Teacher



Hello I am 'Mr. John.'

For twenty-five years I have worked in early childhood education beginning with Montessori Certification through the University of California at Berkeley. As an artist educator with a Master's of Science in education and a Bachelor of Arts in interdisciplinary studies I am excited to further the development of a STEAM Curriculum for young children.

STEAM is an acronym representing science, technology, engineering, arts and math. My aspiration is to help demonstrate how the 'expressive arts and sciences' through music, movement, exploration and play can sustain an essential role in constructing children's early learning experiences. I am an accomplished musician and as a visual artist in traditional painting I have been professionally recognized by curators from The Oakland Museum of Art, The Los Angeles County Museum of Modern Art, and The San Diego Museum of Modern Art. As a child development specialist, adjunct professor and consultant I have presented workshops for NAEYC, CAEYC, The California STEM Symposium, along with in-service trainings for parents, teachers, and staff in public and private early childhood education programs.

I am looking forward to supporting your children's interest in the science and arts in a way that sustains their enrichment, their engagement, and their love for learning. 'Full Steam Ahead!'

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