



## EXPERIENCE

# Gabriela Rios

## Art Teacher/Graphic Designer

Bachelor of Science Visual Communications and Graphic Design  
Present-Masters in Art Education K-12

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- 2024-PRESENT **ART TEACHER**
    - Location: 120 Greenwich St, Hempstead, NY 11550
    - Teach art to 5th-6th grade students across 8 class sections
    - Create and implement standards-based art lessons
    - Adapt projects for students with IEPs and diverse needs
    - Integrate SEL and student identity into visual art units
    - Use digital tools (Google Classroom, Canva) for instruction
    - Manage rotating classrooms and traveling art setup
    - Organize student work for displays and school events
  - 2024-2024 **ART AND ACTIVITY SPECIALIST CMS**
    - Location: M.S. 053 Brian Piccolo 10-45 Nameoke St, Far Rockaway, NY 11691
    - Teach diverse art styles with creative lesson plans.
    - Facilitate student activities and chaperone trips.
    - Manage records, recruitment, and program compliance.
    - Collaborate with coordinators to support program needs.
    - Engage in training, team initiatives, and school activities.
  - 2024-2024 **ART/LIFE SKILLS INSTRUCTOR**
    - Location: 2076 Deer Park Avenue, Deer Park, NY 11729
    - Leading students with disabilities one-on-one/group settings through basic life skills lessons such as Sewing & Knitting/Art/Yoga/Cooking/ Graphic Design/Zumba/Photography & Money Management
    - Motivate students using a positive teaching approach to help them grow individually
  - 2024-2024 **ART INSTRUCTOR**
    - Location: Wyandanch Memorial High School, 54 S 32nd St, Wyandanch, NY 11798
    - Leading students in an art class through basic painting instruction.
    - Motivate high school level students through Social-Emotional Painting
  - 2022-2023 **CREATIVE WEB DEPARTMENT INTERN**
    - Location: 300 Jericho Quadrangle, Jericho, NY 11753
    - Assist Art Directors by developing tests for the direct mail program
    - Create PDF's and Graphics using Photoshop
    - Update Artwork, PCX's & Microprints
    - Create emails to outside counsel Using Dreamweaver
    - Assist daily workflow responsibilities of the testing group
  - 2020-2021 **VISUAL COMMUNICATIONS INTERN**
    - Location: 2350 NY-110, Farmingdale, NY 11735
    - Communications intern for RAM Department
    - Duties include: Creating advertisements for instagram posts and flyers for Farmingdale College Activities , Creating tiktoks for school activities and posting them on RAM Social Media
    - Completed 100 hours per semester of interning under Dr. Lisa Cullington
  - 2019 - 2019 **GRAPHIC DESIGN TEACHERS ASSISTANT**
    - Location: 1196 Prospect Avenue Westbury, NY 11590
    - Teachers Assistant Hofstra art summer camp
    - Duties include: Teaching students how to use graphic design applications and make personal logos
  - 2018 - 2019 **GRAPHIC DESIGN INTERN**
    - Location: Nassau Boces Graphics & Printing Dept. Internship Program 100 Haskett Drive Syosset, NY 11797
    - Duties include: Creating take away cards for Boces Barry Tech catalogs using Indesign

## EDUCATION

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- 2020-2023 **FARMINGDALE STATE COLLEGE**
  - 2024-PRESENT **ADELPHI UNIVERSITY**
  - 2018-2020 **NASSAU BOCES BARRY TECH**
  - 2016-2020 **FREEPORT HIGHSCHOOL**
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## SKILLS

- Adaptive Instruction
- Holistic Development
- Social-Emotional Learning
- Creative Expression
- Individualized Teaching
- Classroom Management