

Sarah Ort

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EXPERIENCE

Ravenswood Community Child Care Center (NAEYC Accredited),
Chicago IL— *Infant Attachment Teacher*

September 6th, 2022 - present

Responsible for the daily care, engagement, and developmental observations of children assigned by the center director, with emphasis in helping infants form and maintain a secure attachment to their primary caregivers and myself.

Ravenswood Community Child Care Center (NAEYC Accredited),
Chicago IL— *Classroom Floater*

September 2021 - September 6th, 2022

Assisting and substituting teachers in a child care center with children ages 6 weeks to 5 years.

Galileo, A.N. Pritzker Elementary, Chicago IL— *Summer Extended Care Intern*

July 2021 through August 2021, June 2022 through August 2022

Assisted Group Instructors throughout the day, and led an extended care group of campers (ages 4-11) through projects and play, facilitating camp-wide creative STEAM and performance activities.

Freelance Artist— *Portraiture and Illustration*

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL— *Bachelor of Fine Arts 2022*

National Council for Behavioral Health — *Mental Health First Aid Certified 2019*

Stanford Medicine— *Compassion Cultivation Certified Trainee 2019*

National Restaurant Association, United States— *Certified Food Handler 2021*

National CPR Foundation, United States— *Certified CPR, Infant CPR, First Aid, Adult and Child AED 2023*

Gateways to Opportunity Professional Development— *151 Registered hours in Human Service training (can provide report of training and certificates upon request), completed between September 2021 and December 2023*

SKILLS

- Fine art and mixed media
- Creative Writing
- Infant and toddler care and human development
- non-judgment and cultural sensitivity
- Developmentally appropriate, creative projects
- Classroom/studio management and safety procedures
- Patience and empathy
- Building positive relationships with team members and families
- Active engagement with children's imagination and play

AWARDS AND HONORS

- School of the Art Institute of Chicago Merit Scholarship 2018
- Summa Award Recipient 2018
- National Art Honor Society 2018
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- Art Service Group President 2018