

Sonya Tate-Smith



Sonya Tate-Smith, Parent Liaison, moved from Brockton, Massachusetts to Atlanta, Georgia over twenty years ago. She is a loving and caring wife, mother of three, daughter and friend to many. For almost twenty years Sonya Tate Smith has been an educator and advocate for children. She currently works in Fulton County Schools as a Literacy Coach but has spent many years educating students with special needs and those experiencing academic deficits in a variety of areas. As a Special Education Teacher Mrs. Tate-Smith was nominated as Teacher of the Year. During her career as an educator, Mrs. Tate-Smith has served on the Superintendent Teacher's Advisory Council. She has also supported other teachers as a Grade Level Chair for the Special Education Department and as a New Teacher Mentor. Mrs. Tate-Smith has a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Howard University and a Masters' degree in Learning and Behavior Disorders from Georgia State University. Mrs. Tate-Smith's philosophy on learning and life hinges on the idea that exposure, educating and loving the whole child can awaken a world of possibilities. She has served as a parent contact for both the Prodigy and Junior Companies for several years and now is happy to serve on the I AM ARTS board as a Parent Liaison.