

# India Edwards

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## Executive Bio



India Edwards is a highly educated and experienced Special Education professional with a strong focus on Exceptional Student Education and Autism Spectrum Disorders. She holds multiple master's degrees and certifications, demonstrating her commitment to her field.

Her distinguished career trajectory reflects a progression from foundational teaching and coordinating roles to influential leadership positions. This journey includes serving as a School-Based Team Leader, where she honed her skills in collaborative problem-solving and program development, and as a Local Education Agent, advocating for students' needs and ensuring compliance with educational standards. Throughout these roles, she has amassed extensive hands-on experience working directly with a diverse range of students facing various disabilities, including intellectual disabilities, cerebral palsy, and emotional behavior disorders. Her ability to connect with and support these students is a hallmark of her professional identity.

Beyond her impactful professional roles, India Edwards is also a dynamic entrepreneur and a passionate community leader. Her entrepreneurial spirit is demonstrated through the Co-founding of Raw Academic Services, Inc., a venture dedicated to providing specialized academic support, and The Edwards Raw Tutorial and Enrichment Services, LLC, which offers personalized educational enrichment. Furthermore, her commitment to the broader educational community is evident in her active membership within prestigious professional organizations such as the Council for Exceptional Children, where she contributes to advancing the field of special education. Her unwavering dedication and significant contributions have not gone unnoticed, as she has been deservedly recognized with nominations for the William T. Dwyer Awards for Excellence in Education, a testament to her profound impact on students and the educational landscape.

When India Edwards steps away from her professional duties, her focus shifts to embracing a well-rounded personal life rooted in connection, exploration, and rejuvenation. A key priority is spending quality time with family, cherishing those moments of togetherness and creating lasting memories. Beyond her home life, she has a passion for travel, seeking out new experiences and

destinations to broaden her perspective. Finally, she values the necessity of rest, making sure to schedule time to simply relax and recharge, ensuring she maintains a healthy balance between work and personal well-being.