Mamta Motwani

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Ontario Certified Teacher with about 25 years in education across all grades, in Canadian and international schools. Grade 2 Team Lead at an independent school in Ontario since Sep 2024. I have written units and unit tests across all grades, including Grades 1–5 curriculum websites in math, science, social studies and Language. Alongside the classroom I design Ontario-curriculum units, assessments and learning sites in my own independent projects.

Qualifications

Ontario Certified Teacher
Ontario College of Teachers (OCT) member in good standing, registration #726699

Principal's Qualification Program
Parts 1 and 2 (2026)

MA in Education
University of Mumbai, 2019

Bachelor of Education
University of Mumbai, 2009

Bachelor of Commerce
University of Mumbai, 2001

International Diploma in TESOL, Teaching and Training (Asian College of Teachers)
360 hours; passed the TESOL Canada examinations

Also

Earlier teaching: Trained 100 pre-service teachers at H.J. College of Education, Mumbai, as workshop facilitator in creative writing and language teaching.

Experience

Sep 2024 – Present

Grade 2 Team Lead

Independent school, Ontario

- Run and facilitate the Grade 2 team's weekly meetings.
- Meet with the school heads and convey information between them and the team.
- Provide training to the team as required.
- Ensure the unit plans and long-range plans are in place.
- Plan field trips and experiential learning for the grade.
- Wrote Grade 2 units and tests in math, language, science and social studies.

Mar 2024 – 2025

Long-Term Occasional Teacher and Summer Assessor

York Region District School Board

- Long-term occasional (LTO) teacher, Grades 7–11, including at Hodan Nalayeh Secondary School (May–June 2024).
- Summer assessor: literacy and numeracy assessments for Grades 7–12.
- Supply teacher, YRDSB Night School: taught Business and other subjects as needed.
- Appointed to YRDSB's International Languages (Hindi) roster.

Sep 2023 – Mar 2024

High School Teacher

Newton International College

- High school teacher; created Ontario-curriculum science material for an elementary sister school in China.
- Wrote the lesson plans, unit plans, course overviews and course outlines for my courses, eight Ontario credits: four ESL levels, Civics and Citizenship (CHV2O), Career Studies (GLC2O), Fashion, and Visual Arts.
- In March 2024, at the school's request, trained teachers in China.

Sep 2022 – Jul 2023

Homeroom Teacher, Grade 5

Seneca Hill Private School

- Ran whole-school mock elections.
- Trained students for a whole-school fashion show presentation.

Aug 2020 – May 2022

Homeroom Teacher, Grades 3 and 4

Hill Spring International School (IB World School)

- Taught Grades 3 and 4, and mentored Grade 5 in the IB Primary Years Programme (PYP).
- Ran teacher workshops at Hill Spring on assessment, translanguaging and inquiry-based learning, for about 50 educators.

Jan 2019 – Jul 2020

Learning Support Associate, Grades 2 and 3

American School of Bombay (IB)

- One-to-one support for students with special needs in math, language and the core subjects.
- Used Fountas & Pinnell Leveled Literacy Intervention (LLI) with students.
- Worked with the support team on students' IEPs. The school used a US, Common Core math curriculum.

2012 – 2019

Founder

Raising Hope Kids Club

- Founded Raising Hope and wrote its curriculum.

2005 – 2012

Tutor and Academic Coach

Independent practice, Mumbai

- Independent tutoring and academic coaching, including adult ESL.

Jun 2000 – Apr 2005

Senior Kindergarten Homeroom Teacher

Podar's Blossoms, Mumbai

- Senior Kindergarten homeroom teacher.

Professional learning

Leaders of Learning — HarvardX

Concept-Based Curriculum — Professional Learning International

IBO — Making the PYP Happen, Concept-Driven Learners, Your Exhibition

Management Excellence — Microsoft

ECCE, ORT India (affiliated with Oxford University), 1998

SEE Learning — Emory University

Responsive Classroom

LinkedIn Learning, 2024: Instructional Design Essentials: Models of ID; Brain-Based Elearning Design; Articulate Storyline Essential Training (training only)

Apple Teacher · Microsoft Certified Educator