



Primary Teacher Bios

Griselda Serrano

Griselda started at Turtle River in 2022 and serves as a Primary Directress. She obtained her Bachelor's degree in Psychology and Spanish from Florida Atlantic University and is currently in the process of receiving her Primary Montessori certification from the Authentic Institute of Montessori. Additionally, Griselda has completed her 40 Hour DCF and attended Conscious Discipline workshops. In her free time, Griselda enjoys reading and spending time at the beach!

Isabel Raese

Isabel started at Turtle River in 2023 and serves as a Primary Directress. She obtained her Bachelor's degree in Food Service Management from Johnson & Wales University and is currently in the process of receiving her Primary Montessori certification from Montessori Academy Training Institute. Additionally, Isabel has completed her 40-hour DCF and attended Conscious Discipline workshops. In her free time, she enjoys taking care of her two dogs, Luna and Skyler, reading, and baking.

Vicky Gardini

Vicky started at Turtle River in 2020 and serves as a Primary Directress. She received her Bachelor's degree in Graphic Design from ORT University in Uruguay. Vicky also holds a Primary Montessori certification from the Center for Guided Montessori Studies. Additionally, Vicky has completed her 40-hour DCF and attended Conscious Discipline workshops. In her free time, she enjoys reading, spending time with her children, and going to the beach.

Nicole DelVecchio

Nicole started at Turtle River in 2020 and serves as a Primary Directress. She received her Bachelor's degree in Elementary education from Shippensburg University and her Master's degree in Elementary Math and Reading from Walden University. Nicole also holds a Primary Montessori certification from the Center for Guided Montessori Studies. Additionally, she has completed her 40-hour DCF and attended Conscious Discipline workshops. In her free time, Nicole enjoys reading, working on puzzles, going to the beach, and spending time with her husband and kitties!