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## *Savanna Yarn- Lead Teacher*

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### **Career History:**

I have been working at L.I.F.E. for about four years. I started as a paraprofessional in the classroom in 2016. In the summer of 2017, I was given the opportunity to move up and become a Lead Paraprofessional. I learned so much during my time being a Lead. My passion for the classroom grew stronger and I soon realized that I wanted to have a classroom of my own. During May of 2019, I took on the role of Lead Teacher. I am very passionate about what I do and wouldn't trade working with our kids for anything. I am so lucky and excited to continue this teaching journey with L.I.F.E.!

### **Personal Teaching Philosophy:**

My philosophy of teaching is that all children are different, therefore it is important to me to teach to each child. I believe in having an encouraging environment where the child will grow mentally and socially. I hope to create this educational setting using different teaching strategies to help the child reach their maximum potential. I will keep my mind open, my attitude positive, and my expectations high. I learned so much during my first year of teaching and I am so thrilled to start my second year with you!

### **Personal:**

I am 24 years old and I'm a Valentine's Day baby! I have some hobbies which include travelling, camping, and playing the piano. I also have a strong love for beauty, makeup and nails. During my free time you can find me spending time with my family, friends, or my boyfriend!