



Polina Chistyakova

Art & Drama teacher

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced and passionate professional with a natural affinity for connecting with children. Throughout my life, I have delighted in engaging with children through various creative activities such as drawing, game-making, singing, acting, and designing original lessons tailored to both group settings and individual needs. My ability to inspire children with my creative energy is matched by the inspiration I receive from their unique perspectives and boundless imagination. Seeking a fulfilling opportunity to channel my passion into a career working with children, where I can contribute to their growth, development, and overall well-being.

EXPERIENCE

- May - Dec 2021** **Teacher of Drama and Art at the First Studio of Television, Media Broadcasting and Creative Development**
- At the studio we were doing a lot of fun with children on the Art and Drama classes. Art classes included: original lesson programme, modern materials and smart solutions to improve imagination, in addition we were making costumes and requisites for the Drama classes. Drama classes: mini games to warm up the body, poetry and music performances, work on characters, script reading and acting.
- 2019 - 2021** **Private teacher of Art and Drama**
- I was doing private lessons for children from 4 years old, with the personalised direction, according to the child's interests, from basic art classes to the animation course, acting skills, story boarding and video making.
- 2014 - 2015** **Educator assistant at DAR - Russian pre-school**
- I was working as an educator assistant at russian pre-school Dar, with 4-6 y.o. kids. I was supporting teachers during the classes, accompanying the children to the toilet, playing with kids on their breaks, and helping to prepare snacks.
- May 2015** **Master class Lead at Animation project for children, in collaboration with a producer of children edition "Kengurokot"**
- I had a great opportunity to make an Animation Master class for children 4-8 y.o. During 2.5 hours we were working on the hand-drawing animation.
- 2014 - 2015** **Designer-volunteer at City YMCA**
- Full Design support, including illustrations, logo design, leaflet designs etc. Also, I made some master classes for teenagers here in London.

CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- Creativity
- Organisational skills
- Multi-disciplined
- Practiced professional
- Responsabe
- Punctual
- Attention to details
- Hand drawing
- Poetry and Screen writer
- Teamwork
- Leadership
- IT
- ADOBE CS
- Graphic Design
- Motion Design
- Microsoft Office
- Microsoft Power Point

EDUCATION

- 2022 - present** **MSc Psychology at ARDEN University**
Online course
- 2004 - 2009** **BA Advertising at Moscow State University of Culture and Arts, Faculty of MASS MEDIA and Advertising.**
Moscow, RUSSIA
Diploma of qualification achieved.
- 2002 - 2004** **Artist-Animator at Professional College of Animation and Cinematography, Faculty of Animation.**
Moscow, RUSSIA
Diploma of qualification achieved.

REFERENCES

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