



# Tia Adkins

**Implementation Manager,  
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## **Tia can help you with:**

Increasing rigor and relevance in daily lesson through hands-on application

Providing instructional coaching designed to maximize reading achievement with struggling learners

Helping implement early foundational curricula with your youngest learners

As the Implementation Manager for Alabama and Tennessee, Tia Adkins manages a team of highly skilled, highly motivated consultants. She and her team strive to not only deliver but also facilitate top quality professional learning to district leaders, teachers, and support staff. Tia strives to build capacity in the districts where she works through collaboration with district stakeholders to support the needs of the district, teachers, and students. Her team's motto is: "Setting the Standard by Setting the Example."

Tia has always had a desire to work with children and was able to fulfill that dream by working in the Savannah-Chatham Public School System for 18 years. Over the years, Tia had witnessed the change in students and the way they learn as well as the struggles teachers were facing to meet those needs; for these reasons she left the classroom. Tia provided countless professional learning opportunities at the district level to help teachers understand differentiated learning and the need for data-driven differentiated instruction being implemented in every classroom. When the opportunity arose to move on and work at the state level (Governor's Office of Student Achievement), Tia jumped at the opportunity to reach even more teachers throughout the state of Georgia. During her time at the Governor's Office, she specialized in Early Childhood Literacy, working with the Annie E. Casey Foundation on a special project for Governor Nathan Deal which led to her becoming an advocate and leader for new standards. Tia worked with the states of Georgia, Nevada, and Tennessee on providing exemplar framework units that are being implemented by teachers in those states.

Tia graduated from Armstrong State College with a dual degree. She holds a bachelor of science in Early Childhood Education with a minor in Physical Science and a bachelor of science in Psychology. Tia earned her master degree in Integrated Curriculum and Design from Cambridge College.