

Distinguished Graduate

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Annie Williams

EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES

*“Don’t judge each day by the harvest you reap,
but by the seeds that you plant”*

Robert Louis Stevenson

Annie Williams is originally from Jackson, Mississippi. She is married to Larry Williams, who is retired from the Army. She is a mother, grandmother, and a fur mom to two labs. She enjoys traveling, reading poetry, canning, and preserving pickles as well as preparing various desserts.

Annie has worked as a preschool teacher and is currently employed as a substitute paraprofessional with Northside Independent School District. Balancing school and work while attending to a husband with disabilities has been challenging at times, but Annie’s love for helping children grow and develop inspired her to continue her path to graduation. After retiring from Audie L. Murphy Memorial Veterans Hospital, she decided to pursue her lifelong dream of becoming an educator.

She has received several honors as a student, including being named to the President’s List, receiving the Trust Fund Award to attend the Texas Association for the Education of Young Children, induction into the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, and membership to the National Society of Leadership and Success.

Annie has also been recognized by the National association for the Education of Young Children, Learning Disabilities Association of America, League of Women Voters of Texas, National Women’s Law Center, San Antonio Coalition for Veterans and Families, Soldiers’s Angels, and Order of the Eastern Star.

