

# Lisa Nickles



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After 30 years of teaching high school and college mathematics, I recognized that my extensive experience in student and parent mentorship, curriculum development, and classroom instruction could continue to make a meaningful impact beyond the traditional classroom setting. My passion for working with teens to strengthen their academic abilities and build essential life skills has always remained at the heart of my work. I am committed to using my knowledge, experience, and dedication to support high school students, staff, and faculty in fostering achievement, confidence, and long-term success.

For the past five years, I have served as the Graduation Coach at Riverside High School, where I advocate for struggling students and work closely with teens, parents, and teachers to encourage, mentor, and motivate them toward success. In this role, I develop individualized academic plans tailored to each student's needs and provide targeted learning strategies across a variety of courses to strengthen understanding and performance. I offer both in-person and virtual tutoring and organize structured tutoring sessions to ensure they are effective and results-driven.

As a liaison among counselors, teachers, administrators, caregivers, and students, I promote clear communication and collaboration to support academic achievement. I also closely monitor the progress of students enrolled in online courses, ensuring they remain on track and receive the necessary support to graduate with confidence.