Sofia Ariona

Teacher of the Deaf

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Sofia joined our team in August of 2021. She was born and raised in Texas, which is where she went to undergraduate and graduate school. In 2017, she received her Bachelors of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies - Early Childhood Education through 6th grade with a focus in English as a Second Language. Upon graduation, she worked hard to receive her license to Teach English as a Foreign Language. Sofia taught English in several different countries before returning to the United States to continue her education. In 2021, she graduated with her Master's Degree in Deaf Education and Hearing Science from the University of Texas Health Science Center.

Before her career brought her to Arizona, Sofia taught at a School for Deaf Children for two years during her graduate studies. There, she gained experience working with preschool aged children. As part of our Desert Voices preschool team, she will be working with a group of our students who are 3 to 5 years old. She is so excited to get to know and work with your children!

Sofia loves reading, hiking, camping, traveling and trying new foods. She spends most of her free time enjoying the outdoors with her dog, Atlanta, and planning her next adventure!

