# Jennifer D. Walker

Associate Professor of Special Education at University of Mary Washington Fredericksburg, VA, US

Dr. Walker specializes in special education, specifically as it relates to behavior and classroom management.

## **Biography**

Jennifer D. Walker, associate professor and program director of special education in the College of Education, teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in special education. Her research interests include positive behavioral intervention supports (PBIS), students with emotional and behavioral disabilities, social skill instruction, teacher education, and exclusionary discipline. She has presented nationally and is a member of the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC), the Teacher Educator Division of CEC, and the Council for Learning Disabilities. Dr. Walker has published a textbook, several peer-reviewed journal articles and book chapters on PBIS, student engagement and tiered interventions.

#### **Industry Expertise**

Education/Learning

## **Areas of Expertise**

Special Education, Classroom and Behavior Management, Emotional/Behavioral Disabilities, Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports (PBIS), Exclusionary Discipline, Manifestation Determination Reviews, Executive Functioning, Social Skill Instruction

#### **Affiliations**

Council for Exceptional Children, American Educational Research Association, Council for Learning Disabilities

#### **Education**

George Mason University Ph.D. Special Education

George Mason University M.Ed. Special Education

**University of Mary Washington** 

**B.S. Psychology** 

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