# **BRAYDIE ALDRICH**

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# **EDUCATION**

Samford University, Bachelors of Fine Arts in Theatre for Youth & Performance

## EXPERIENCE

## Birmingham Children's Theatre

Teaching Artist & Actor, September 2022 - Present

- Works with after school drama program teaching children, 7-13 years old.
- Teached "Intro to Theatre" at Bragg Middle school. Develops original lessons for the program and directs a show for them each semester.
- Taught after school drama at I3 Academy with classes focusing on world building, improv work and creating characters. Developed original lessons and content for 2nd grade and 4th/5th grade age groups.

## Alliance Theatre

#### Teaching Artist, 2021 - 2022

- Taught a range of students from 1st-9th grade during the summer and winter months, typically spending a week with each group of students.
- Specialized in "Camera Acting", "Intro to Acting", "Sketch Comedy", "Musical Theatre", and "Creative Drama".

# Samford University

## Teaching Artist, October 2020 - 2023

- Taught an Art's Integration Unit on the "Tuskegee Airmen" for a class of 4th Graders at Shades Cahaba Elementary School.
- Co-taught a "Creating Character" unit and a drama fun class over Zoom for 5th-8th Graders at Harvester Christian Academy in Douglasville, Georgia.
- Taught "The Actor's Tools" at Vestavia Hills High School, guiding an introductory acting course tailored for high school students.

# North Highland Elementary School

Teaching Artist/Playwright, 2018-2019

• Created content for the school's drama club, including writing two original children's plays for 4th-5th graders and aiding in the production of these plays.

# SPECIAL SKILLS

Playwriting, Directing, Lesson Planning, Filmmaking, Experience in improv and comedy, Musician, Creative classroom management, Strives for excellence from himself and others, Students always have something to say about his hair