



Meet your Teacher:

Mrs. Vanessa Vance

is a career changer with a history of over 13 years of experience as a national project management professional and trainer. She has a passion for serving people and has worked across the nation with families affected by; Hurricane's Katrina, Rita, Ike, Gustave, Sandy, Irene and Tropical Storm Lee. During her time with FEMA/HUD Disaster Assistance Program (DHAP) Mrs. Vance provided Technical Support & training to over 340 Public Housing Authorities and who provided services to over 45,000 families. Mrs. Vance has a long track record of working hard to improve the lives of Lee County families by providing housing, employment, and neighborhood based community building services.

With a degree in Family and Consumer Science, Joining Goodwill L.I.F.E. Academy has allowed her to put her passion for cooking and home economics to good use.

Working with the super seniors in our school, she is able to take the unique curriculum and translate it into real-world situations that will help prepare our young men and women for anything that lies ahead of them!

"I absolutely love teaching life skills and it is my mission to foster a love for learning in my students and move them towards self-sufficiency."