



## DANTE HARRIS

Percussionist & Instructor

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### PERCUSSIONIST

Accomplished percussionist in search of contractual opportunities working with religious organizations, private events, and local music venues.

### SKILLS & ABILITIES

Acoustics  
Active Learning  
Adaptability  
E Classroom Management  
Collaboration  
Consultation  
Creative Thinking  
Dependability  
Digital Audio Workstations  
Ensemble  
Instruction  
Interpersonal Communications  
Leadership  
Mentoring  
Music History  
Music Production  
Professional Development  
Strong Work Ethic  
Theory

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### HURLEY & ASSOCIATES, WASHINGTON D.C. APRIL 2021 - PRESENT

- Instructing one-hour weekly class with 15 6-12-year-olds in percussion history, instruments and fundamentals.
- Creating and implementing lesson plans to include beginning, intermediate, and advanced technical skills.

### FREELANCE MUSICIAN

#### JANUARY 1998 - PRESENT

- Moore Street Missionary Baptist Church  
01/1998 - 12/2004
- Mount Herman Baptist Church 01/2002 -  
12/2014
- First Baptist Church 01/2003 - 12/2007
- Boys Choir RDC 09/2003 - 06/2007
- Morning Star Baptist Church 01/2010 -  
12/2012
- Private Percussion Instructor 01/2015 -  
present

## EDUCATION

### HENRICO HIGH SCHOOL, RICHMOND, VA 2003 - 2007

Warrior Marching Band, Jazz Band, Gospel Choir

### GOSPEL MUSIC WORKSHOP OF AMERICA, HAMPTON, VA 2003 - 2005

## REFERENCES

AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST