

Who is **Delecie Martin**? She's a young and vibrant educator, eager to teach and learn with her students helping with guiding them on the right path. Giving them opportunities and lessons to help them survive this earth and prepare them for our heavenly home above. Ms. Martin is a member of the Beth-El Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Jersey City NJ, where she is the Youth Pastor/Youth Director she is also a part of the Jersey City Navajos Pathfinder Club.

Ms. Martin's passion is the Lord and His ministry with young people are forever in her heart. She believes that the future of the church is here (the young people), but that it is up to us as the leaders to lead and guide them, not criticize them. Ms. Martin is also an alumni of Washington Adventist University where she had the pleasure of obtaining a Bachelor of Science in Physical Education.

Over the past 2 years, Ms. Martin has worked in the public school system working as a paraprofessional in both inclusion and self-contained classrooms. Her goal is to "make sure my students learn at any means necessary, understanding that every student learns differently and at their own pace." Ms. Martin believes learning should be fun, "when a child is enjoying there is a higher chance of them remembering." Ms. Martin thinks of herself as a teacher of the future, always learning and growing with her students. To her students just remember "you miss 100% of the shots you don't take" (Wayne Gretzky).

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