

# Noel Montes

## Learning Facilitator

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### Skills and Qualifications

- Math Curriculum Design
- Design Thinking
- Project Based Learning
- Certified in Behavior Intervention
- Certified Medical Interpreter (Spanish)
- CPR/AED/First Aid Certified

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### Experience

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#### High Tech High Chula Vista / Teaching Resident

August 2020 - June 2021, Chula Vista, Ca

- Co-taught 9th grade Math and Advisory.
- Worked alongside the 9th grade math team to plan and deliver math lessons.
- Actively included equitable and culturally responsive lessons into the 9th grade math content.
- Facilitated online (zoom) and in person lessons with students.
- Helped plan and deliver content that included math curriculum, financial literacy, and mini art project lessons.

#### E3 Civic High School / Learning Facilitator and ACE Program Lead

June 2018 - August 2020, Downtown San Diego, Ca

- Actively support teaching professionals on effective strategies with neurodiverse students, emerging bilinguals, and at risk students.
- Attended staff development, IEP, parent, and school improvement team meetings.
- Worked 1:1 with IEP students in multiple subjects and settings providing a safe, successful, and motivational learning environment.
- Planned/implemented curriculum for students in Integrated Math, Spanish, Advisory, Architecture, Construction, and Engineering, eSports, and a Fitness Club.
- Pioneered an emotional well being space through interior design for the school entrance.
- Worked alongside Special Education Directors and other members of the IEP team to provide interpretations for calls and meetings.

#### Second Start - Pine Hill School / Behavior Specialist

San Jose, Ca

- Experience writing Behavior Intervention Plans for students with developmental disabilities.
- Provided a multi-disciplinary, academic and therapeutic program to neurodiverse students and emotionally troubled students across all grade levels.
- Led classroom teaching by planning and conducting lesson plans.
- Physically and mentally prepared to work with the most at risk student population.
- Lead school wide exercise and team building activities for all grade levels.

**Scheu Family YMCA/Program Coordinator for HEAL (Healthy Eating Active Living Program)**

Southern California Region

- Coordinated creative and motivating exercise programs, sports related activities, and healthy lifestyle mentorship for students at several school sites.
- Worked in partnership with school district PE Instructors to learn new and creative approaches to exercise activities through SPARK curriculum.
- Led programs such as Hip-Hop Dance, Zumba, after school and lunchtime sports, fitness, and healthy lifestyle mentorship.
- Held position of Exercise Coordinator at De Anza Middle School which included creating several sports tournaments for students.

**Palomar Medical Center/Medical Interpreter and Newborn Hearing Screener**

Escondido, Ca

- Performed medical interpretations for all staff requiring assistance within the hospital but primarily in the Birth Center and Pediatric Unit.
- Knowledgeable in medical terminology in both English and Spanish: Anatomy, diseases, medical conditions, emotions, sensations, symptoms, diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, medications, healthcare supplies and equipment.
- Diplomatic skills to negotiate cultural differences and prevent or mend misunderstandings.
- Able to remain calm, and maintain an even temper in stressful situations, including end of life patient care.
- Compassionate: Empathy for patient physical or emotional needs, and able to tolerate unpleasant and difficult situations.
- Planned, prepared, and conducted hearing tests on newborns using the Auditory Brainstem Response technique.

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## Education

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### High Tech High Graduate School of Education / M.Ed. in Teaching and Learning

San Diego, Ca

- Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential in Math.
- San Diego Teaching Resident (SDTR).
- Masters in Education during the second year of the program.

### University of California, San Diego/ Bachelor of Arts in Psychology and Minor in Studio Art

La Jolla, Ca

### Mt. San Antonio College/Spanish Medical Interpreting Certificate

Escondido, Ca

- Program was offered through HOPE Health Solutions and the Clinical Care Extender Program in partnership with Palomar Pomerado Health.

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## Research, Internship, and Awards

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### Palomar Medical Center/Clinical Care Extender Program, Volunteer Intern/Medical Interpreter

Escondido, Ca

- Gained experience by working hands on with patients and was able to rotate in different units such as Emergency, Surgery, and Oncology.
- Communicated effectively for all staff as a Spanish Medical Interpreter particularly in the Emergency Department and Labor and Delivery/Pediatrics.
- Interpretations consisted of admitting patients in the triage room and acquiring all information for a complete and accurate diagnosis.
- Conducted interpretations during special procedures such as surgery, x-ray, trauma, accident victims, etc.

### Torrey Pines Elementary School/Senior Research: 5th Dimension After School Program

La Jolla, Ca

- Mentored young individuals using mixed learning and play in a developmentally appropriate, theoretically based educational program.
- Conducted field notes and worked collaboratively with peers to analyze and discuss the behavior of Torrey Pines elementary students.
- Guided elementary students to grow emotionally and intellectually through a buddy system.
- Instructed students during recess playtime, short group activities, educational activities such as self produced play, and homework help.

### Awards:

- **Behavior Intervention Training (SELPA)** Santa Clara County,

December 2016.

- **Spanish Medical Interpreting**, Mt. San Antonio College, June 2006.
- YMCA Healthy Lifestyle Principles Certificate, August 2011.
- **Applied Behavior Analysis** Training, Pine-Hill Second Start School