

Contact Information

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Bio

Education/Certification

- UC Santa Barbara: BA Global Studies (Emphasis in Peace and Ideology)
- CSU Northridge: Special Education Teaching Credential (Emphasis in Moderate/Severe Disabilities)
 - SOS grant (focus on Inclusion)
- San Francisco State University: MA Special Education (Emphasis in Physical and Health Impairments)
 - Alternative Augmentative Communication (AAC) grant
- Dr. Pamela Wolfberg: Integrated Play Group Master Guide
- Yoga Alliance: 200 hour yoga teacher training

Work Experience

- LAUSD: Inclusion Facilitator
- SFUSD: Special Education teacher
- Aspire Charter School: Resource Specialist
- Santa Barbara Family Vacation Center: Kids Group Program Director and Yoga Instructor
- The Bridge School: paraprofessional
- Integrated Play Group: Master Guide

Mission Statement

Working in the field of Special Education is a constant learning opportunity. I love being exposed to the unique insight of the children, and I love bringing children and families together so that they can share those insights with one another. I believe that it is through connections, with both the physical and social environment, that children derive their sense of self and purpose.

Gentle, creative, and patiently facilitated play, provides the unique opportunity for different kinds of thinkers to share a common experience. It is through this a common experience that I bring the group together into a place of acceptance, joy, and a celebration of possibility and potential.