My name is Dolores Lopez, I started my career as an instructional aide in the Baldwin Park School District, soon after, I started substitute teaching for several years in Los Angeles Unified School District, and now I have been teaching at Dr. Doug Sears Learning Center for the last 4 years.

I really love helping students in general, but I found that this particular population is my niche. My students not only have unique gifts and talents but also a powerful story to share.

I work at a small campus that allows me to customize learning according to students’ needs and interests. My classes are generally smaller than other settings. I utilize technology for instruction daily. Also, I focus on Project Based Learning which allows my students to collaborate and be proactive in their learning experience.

Lastly, I work with the best team! We communicate daily about ways we can improve instruction, social skills, and the culture of the school. I look forward to becoming a model school in the future.

Thank you TCUSD staff for supporting our school so that we can help all children succeed!