

## Education

### Julio Flores

*6th Grade Dual-Immersion Teacher*  
Saddleback Valley Unified School District

#### Education Background:

B.A. Liberal Studies from CSU Fullerton  
M.A. Teaching from UC Irvine  
Multiple Subject Teaching Credential from UC Irvine

#### Current Job Tasks:

I currently teach a 6th grade Dual Immersion class. As the teacher, I plan, teach, and assess in all content areas and in both languages (English and Spanish).

#### Favorite Thing About Their Job:

I absolutely love my kids! They are my reason for going to work every single day. Simply seeing them and getting the chance to chat with them makes my day. I love being a part of their lives and having the ability to interact with them on a daily basis. The potential to help them learn, cope, or smile makes me be so passionate about my career.

#### Piece of Advice:

Get out there and make sure this is really what you would like to do! Volunteer, observe, work...anything!!! Just make sure this is really what you want to do. Our "customer" is too valuable to not be in it 100%!

### Ian Roncskevitz

*Area Coordinator and Camp Director*  
Galileo Learning

#### Education Background:

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga—Bachelor of Science in Political Science

#### Current Job Tasks:

Marketing; Recruiting; Professional Development & Training; Site Management

#### Favorite Thing About Their Job:

The transformative nature of my work not only affects my campers and families, but equally impacts me on a daily basis.

#### Piece of Advice:

Your work should bring joy to those you serve, and to yourself. If both of those outcomes are not being met, have the courage and determination to find a solution. Start any project or action by clearly defining your desired outcomes, and only then generate methods for achieving those outcomes.



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### Roxane Olsh

*School Psychologist*  
Irvine Unified School District

**Education Background:**

I received a BA in Liberal Studies and a minor in Behavioral Science (criminal justice) from Cal Poly Pomona. I completed a teaching credential program and MS in School Counseling and School Psychology from National University, and I also took admin courses at UCI.

**Current Job Tasks:**

School Psychology works with students in both the Spec Ed and General Ed population. I counsel students, conduct assessments for processing disorders, consult and collaborate with teachers on classroom management and interventions. I work as a resource for parents and so much more!

**Favorite Thing About Their Job:**

The variety. No day is ever the same.

**Piece of Advice:**

Understand that this is VAST field and you will not be an expert in all areas, but must be knowledgeable in all areas. Work in a school in some capacity prior to going into the field (as an aide, or a teacher) to truly understand how a school works. Understand the pedagogy of education to understand the perspective of a teacher so that you can advocate for the student.

### Laura Hanaford

*Lead Speech Language Pathologist*  
Capistrano Unified School District

**Education Background:**

I have both B.A. and M.A. degrees in Speech Pathology and Audiology from California State University Chico. The major is now called Communication Sciences and Disorders.

**Current Job Tasks:**

I provide leadership to support to the speech language pathologists (SLP) and speech language pathology assistants (SLPA) in my district.

**Favorite Thing About Their Job:**

The best thing about being an SLP is helping children and their families.

**Piece of Advice:**

Love what you do and never forget why you do it.

