

Isabella Torres

Teaching Assistant | Elementary & Inclusion Support | Bilingual (English/Spanish)

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SUMMARY

Dedicated bilingual Teaching Assistant with 3.5 years of experience supporting K–3 classrooms and students with diverse learning needs. Delivered small-group reading and math instruction to 30+ students per week, helped raise reading-level proficiency by 31%, and supported students with IEPs and English learners in an inclusive setting. Skilled in classroom support, behavior management, parent communication, and instructional technology; fluent in English and Spanish.

SKILLS

Classroom Support: Small-Group Instruction, One-on-One Tutoring, Reading & Math Interventions, Classroom Management, Behavior Support, Lesson Preparation, Student Assessment Support

Special Populations: English Learner Support, IEP Implementation, Inclusion Support, Social-Emotional Learning, De-escalation Techniques

Skills & Tools: Bilingual (English/Spanish), Google Classroom, Seesaw, Microsoft Office, Istation, Parent Communication

EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Grades 1–2

Aug 2023 – Present

Alamo Heights Elementary School — San Antonio, TX

- Support two first- and second-grade teachers and 44 students; run daily small-group reading and math sessions for 30+ students each week.
- Helped raise students' reading-level proficiency by 31% through guided reading groups and nightly-reading follow-up.
- Provide in-class support for 5 English learners and 3 students with IEPs, implementing accommodations and recording progress data.
- Translate for family conferences and communications, strengthening relationships with 20+ Spanish-speaking families.
- Prepare materials, assist with assessments, and maintain a calm, orderly classroom during transitions and centers.

Instructional Aide / Substitute Teaching Assistant

Aug 2022 – Jun 2023

Bexar County Independent School District — San Antonio, TX

- Assisted in kindergarten and first-grade classrooms across 3 campuses, supporting up to 50 students daily.
- Tutored 12 students after school in phonics and number sense; 10 met grade-level benchmarks by year end.
- Supervised lunch, recess, and bus duties while maintaining student safety and positive behavior.
- Helped organize 4 family-literacy nights attended by 200+ parents and students.

VOLUNTEER & COMMUNITY

Weekend reading mentor at a local library; bilingual story-time volunteer; summer day-camp counselor for 40 children.

EDUCATION

Associate of Arts in Education

San Antonio College — San Antonio, TX

2022 | GPA 3.7

Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies (EC–6) — in progress

University of Texas at San Antonio — San Antonio, TX

Expected 2027

CERTIFICATIONS

- Texas Educational Aide Certificate
- CPR / First Aid / AED
- Crisis Prevention Institute (CPI) Trained — in progress