

Celebration of Excellence

Employee of the Month

FLM – Damaris Nunez Correa

College attended: ITESM, Master in Education

Years in education: 3

Who is your greatest supporter/inspiration? My mother taught me to be the best I can be, and to work hard always.



Why did you choose to become an educator? I became an educator because I believe that education is perhaps the most important function performed in any culture. I believe that teachers individually and collectively can not only change the world, but improve it, and in the process find personal and professional rewards. I want to be part of this noble profession, and someday to be counted among those in whom future teachers found inspiration.

What makes a good teacher? As Professor Leblac quotes in his top ten requirements for good teaching: *"Good teaching is as much about passion as it is about reason. It's about not only motivating students to learn, but teaching them how to learn students how to learn doing so in a manner that is relevant, meaningful, and memorable. It's about caring for your carrier, having a passion for it, and conveying that passion to everyone, most importantly to your students."*

A career in education means constant growth. What is one area in which you wish to improve? I would like to learn about speech pathology diagnosis for ESL learners.

What do you love about CISD? The support I have from colleges and administrators, and freedom I have to do new things on my classroom.

From around campus:

"She is a hard worker and has brought a lot to our team!!"

"She is very professional and friendly with her colleagues and students. She has high expectations for her students and teaches them accordingly."

"Ms. Damaris is very hard working. She works well with the other teachers. She is very kind to everyone."

"Damaris is a very hard worker and willing to help anyone that needs help. She is a team player!"

"Hard worker and a great team player! Has adapted to our grade level very well."