

# Regionalized Deaf/Hard of Hearing Program

Serving DHH students in the  
South East Los Angeles area  
for over 50 years.

**Early Start Infant  
Total Communication  
Auditory Oral  
DHH Itinerant Services  
Adult Transition**

## Founder: Herb Larson

In 1969 Herb Larson saw a need to bring deaf and hard of hearing students who were alone in districts together. He founded the South East Los Angeles Regionalized program to unite DHH students in county.



**Program Administrator  
Rebecca Piepho**



**Asst. Program Administrator  
Heather Princiotta**





# Proudly Serving DHH Students From 20 Districts

EL RANCHO

MONTEBELLO

ALHAMBRA

WHITTIER UNION

EL MONTE

BASSETT

VALLE LINDO

EAST WHITTIER

PARAMOUNT

BREA OLINDA

INGLEWOOD

LA HABRA

LYNWOOD

NORWALK/LA MIRADA

COMPTON

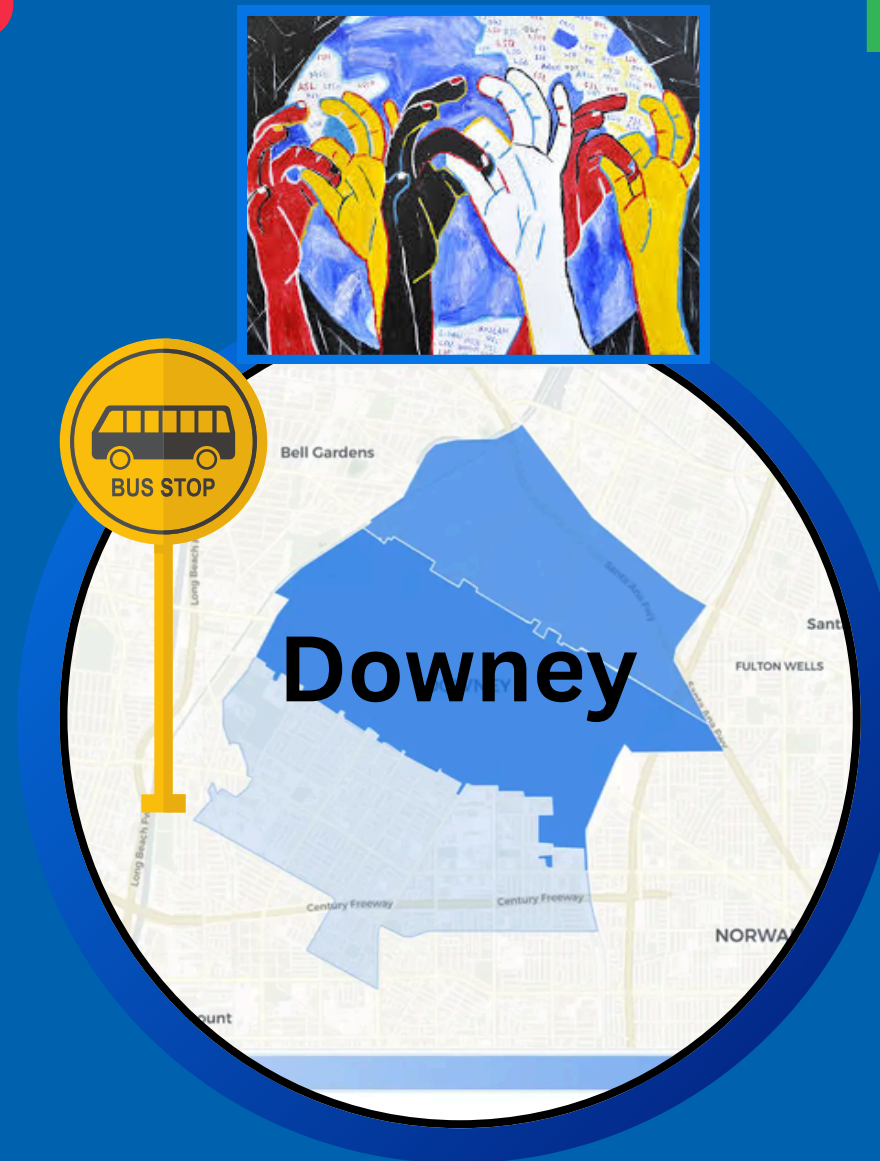
LONG BEACH

ABC

FULLERTON JOINT

LITTLE LAKE

SOUTH WHITTIER





# Early Start Infant Program



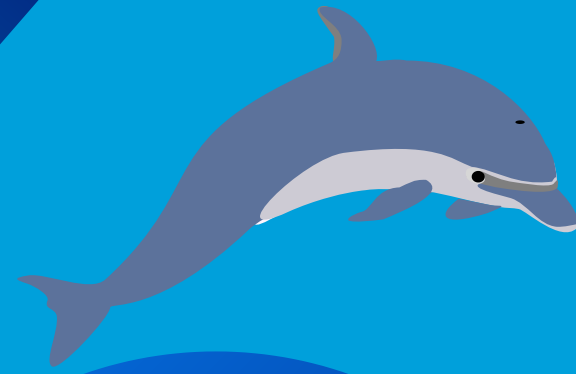
**Pace Education  
Center**



**Ms. Ray  
DHH Infant  
Teacher**

**Serving Deaf/Hard of  
Hearing infants with  
eligibility and their  
families.**





# Total Communication Gauldin Elementary



**Ms. Valerie**  
**Preschool**



**Ms. White**  
**Grades K-1**



**Ms. Nancy**  
**Grades 2-3**



**Ms. Kim**  
**Grades 4-5**



# Auditory Oral– Lewis Elementary



**Ms. Franklin**  
Preschool



**Ms. Megan**  
Grades K-1



**Ms. Sonya**  
Grades 2-3



**Ms. Verastegui**  
Grades 4-5



# Sussman Middle School

## Total Communication

## Auditory Oral



**Mr. St Clair**  
Math/Science



**Ms. Ardis**  
Language/Social Studies  
Mainstream Support



**Mr. Trinh**  
English/Social Studies/ASL

**SUSSMAN**  
**PIONEERS**



**Ms. Estrada**  
Language/ Science  
Mainstream Support



# Downey High School

## Total Communication

## Auditory Oral



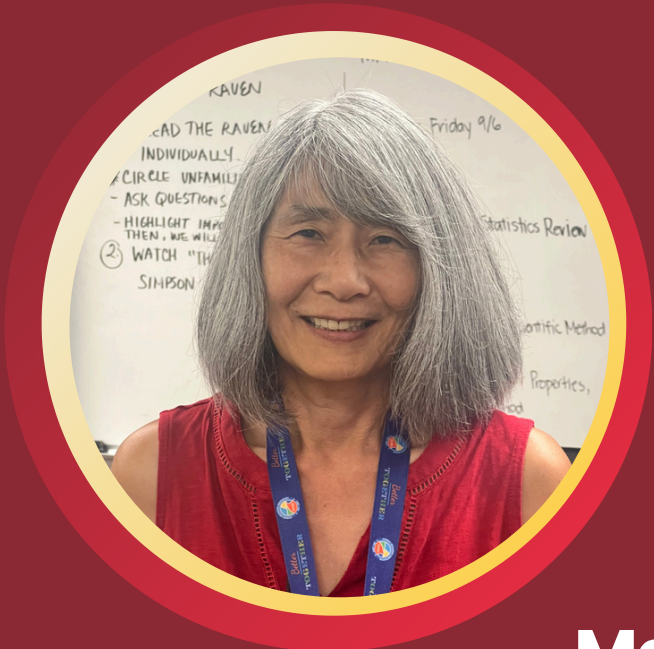
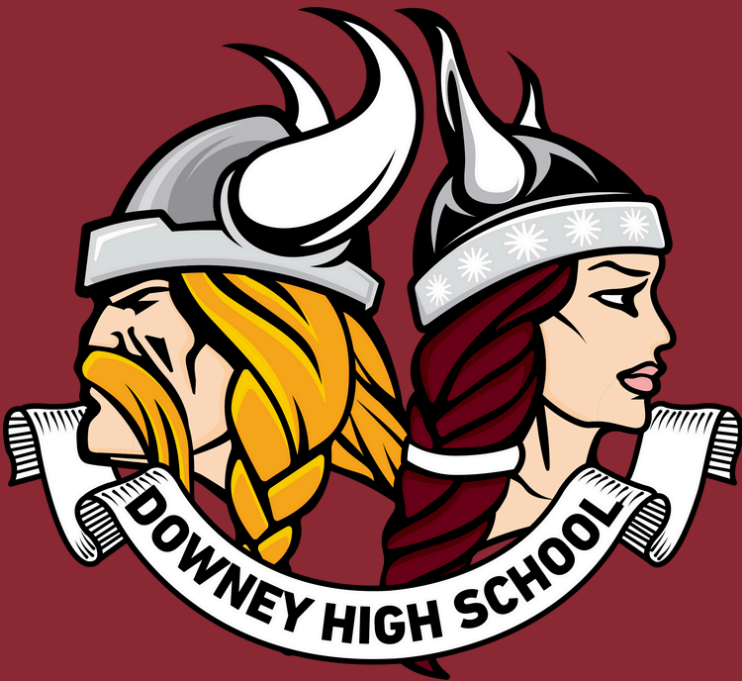
**Ms. Teh**  
**Math & Science**



**Mrs. Cabrera**  
**English 9-12**



**Ms. Ruiz**  
**Social Studies/Work Experience**



**Ms. Matsumoto**  
**Math/Science**  
**Mainstream Support**



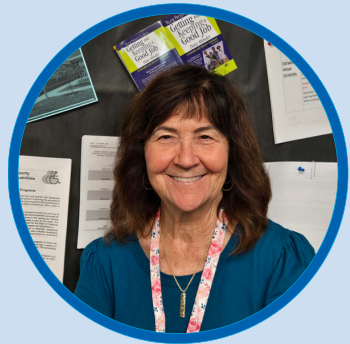
**Ms. Rodriguez**  
**English/Social Studies**  
**Mainstream Support**



# Work Ability Team

Our dedicated Career Education team provides and implements important services for our students to ready themselves for a person centered, successful future including:

Transition Planning/Goal Setting for Post Secondary Education/ Employment/Independent Living  
Career Interest Inventories/Job Search Assistance/Paid Work Training  
Self-Advocacy/Accommodations Awareness  
Interview Skills/Uniforms/Portfolio Building  
Community /Career Exploration



**Linda Osborn**  
**DHH Career Education Teacher**



**Mario Aloway- DHH Translator**



**Maria Pena- DHH Translator**







Deaf Prom

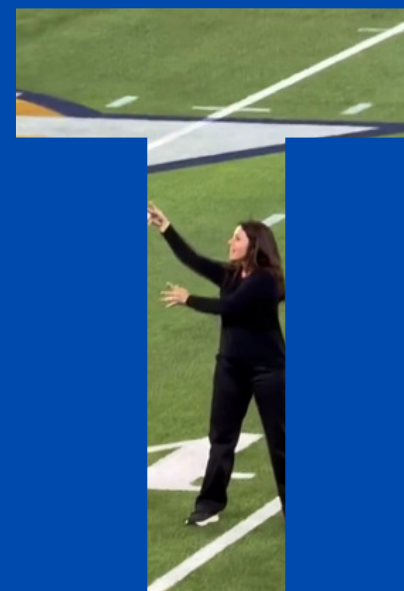
# DHH Activities

GLAD Career Day

CSDR College Career Day

ASL Club

Deaf Arts Jubilee



Deaf Culture Festival

Close Up- Washington DC/Gallaudet University



# Downey School Spirit



**Softball**

**Basketball**

**Avid**

**Lacrosse**

**Football**

**Soccer**

**Track**

**Viking Nation Station**

**Spirit Days**

**Jr. ROTC**

**Wrestling**

**ASL Club**



# DHH Itinerant Teachers



**Margoth Granados**



**Natalie Fisser**



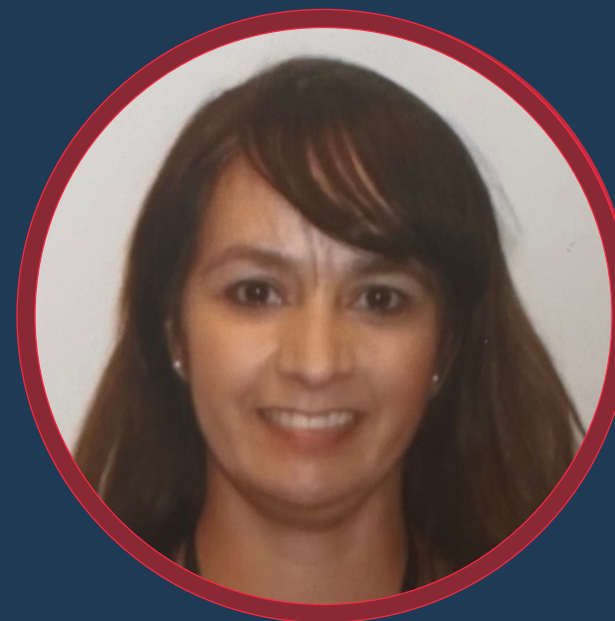
**Celeste Flores**



**Shoshanna Payne**



**Daisy Proudfoot**



**Teresa Sandoval**



**Erin Slaney**



# DHH Service Providers



**Vickie Weldon**  
Audiologist



**Rita Aquiro**  
Psychologist



**Samantha Fogel**  
Speech Language Pathologist



**Erica Hernandez**  
SLP Assistant



**Veronica Cuellar**  
LSLS, Cert. AVT



**Claire Stopher**  
Audiologist



**Jody Fink**  
Counselor



**Tammy Epps**  
Speech Language Pathologist



**Beyali Parado**  
SLP Assistant



**Stephanie Green**  
LSLS, Cert. AVEd.



**Christina Baker**  
Audiologist



**College/Career Counselor**  
**Alexis Enrriquez**



**Karen Miramontes**  
Speech Language Pathologist



**Arlene Puebla**  
SLP Assistant



**Lily Santana**  
LSLS, Cert. AVT



# Parent & Community ASL Class

✓ October – May

✓ Downey High School

✓ 6:00 – 7:30

✓ Join anytime

## DHH Program is offering **ASL COMMUNITY CLASSES**

At Downey High School



**Starting  
OCT 2nd**

**every WEDNESDAY from 6pm-7pm**  
**Downey High School**  
**Building E / RM # E205**  
**11040 Brookshire Ave.**  
**Downey, CA 90241**

South Parking Lot on Firestone Blvd will be open.

**Join Anytime!**

NO Classes on the following dates: 11/27, 12/25, 1/1, 4/16

\*Please note NO Childcare will be provided\*

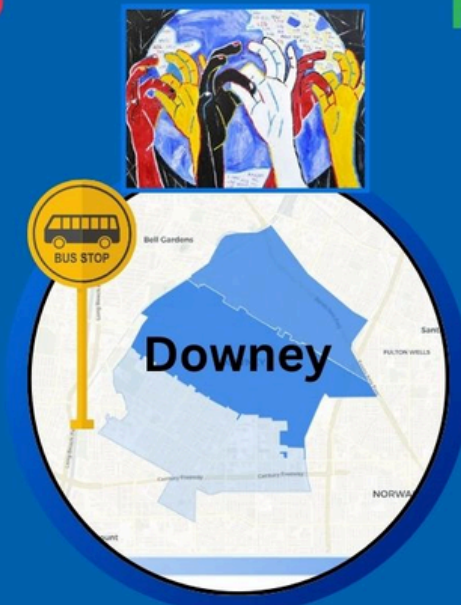



*We deserve the best  
and being here makes  
that happen!*

THANK  
YOU



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