Linda Joyce Gant

PROFILE

- Clear Multiple Subject California Teaching Credential BCLAD CLAD
 Spanish Supplemental Authorization to teach Spanish to Grades K-9
- Caring teacher with more than 20 years experience in elementary education
- Known for fun, creative classrooms, designed to promote student learning Photos and more information may be viewed at <u>www.lindagant.com</u>
- Dedicated to providing a positive environment, inspiring students to do their best, with Spanish proficiency to effectively communicate with parents and students
- Published author with international book sales in 15 countries

EDUCATION

Chapman University • Orange, California Masters Degree in Education (with honors) Thesis: Comparative Study of English Language Learners & English-Only Students Whittier College • Whittier, California	
Bachelors Degree in Child Development & Education (with honors)	1978
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	
Marshall Academy of The Arts, LBUSD • Sixth Grade Burbank Elementary School, LBUSD • Kindergarten	Sept 2013
Lafayette Elementary, Long Beach Unified School District Second Grade Teacher • Dual Immersion Program	2012
Lafayette Elementary, Long Beach Unified School District Third Grade Teacher • Dual Immersion Program	2010-2011
Avalon Schools K-12, Avalon, Catalina Island, California (LBUSD) Kindergarten Teacher • LEP & English-Only Students	2007-2010
Avalon Schools K-12, Avalon, Catalina Island, California (LBUSD) Fourth Grade Teacher • LEP & English-Only Students	2006-2007
Avalon Schools K-12, Avalon, Catalina Island, California (LBUSD) High School Spanish & Eighth Grade English • Middle School ELD	2005-2006
Santiago Elementary, Santa Ana Unified School District First Grade Teacher • Structured English Immersion Program (SEI)	1996-2005
Calvary Christian School, Santa Ana, California Kindergarten Grade Teacher • English-Only Students	1994-1996
Calvary Christian School, Santa Ana, California First Grade Teacher • English-Only Students	1990-1994