I am a fully bilingual teacher who was born in Puerto Rico but grew up in New York City. I also lived for many years in Chicago where my son was born. I moved and lived in Boston, Massachusetts where after working on a different trade, I decided to go to college and finish a degree. I worked hard to finish my academic studies. It was always in my mind to finish my doctorate in E.S.O.L Education but life's adversities did not allow it. So I completed a Specialty in ESOL Education. I have been a teacher for 27 years.  
  
In 2006 I moved to Augusta where I have been working for the Richmond County Public Schools Department for 14 years. I can't believe the years have come and gone so fast.  
I am currently an E.S.O.L. teacher at Bayvale Elementary School. I work with a very cooperative group of peers, students, and parents. My wish as a teacher is to be able to help all students with all their needs so that they can get the best out of their school experiences.  
  
As an ESOL professional, it is interesting to notice that more and more professionals in the field of teaching are working to achieve a higher goal not for their own satisfaction but for the benefit of our students. As I always tell my students, the learning process should never stop, despite age or time, and the more knowledge one seeks the better one can serve our fellow men.  
  
My main purpose to achieve this teaching goal is to obtain the opportunity to work harder with ESOL students at Bayvale Elementary so I can learn different ways to reach the problems that are affecting ESOL students in this community of Augusta Georgia. It is needless to say that ESOL students always confront difficulties with their new environment, such as an appropriate curriculum on where their skills can improve, but when these difficulties are not resolved on time not only they are affected, but also parents and the rest of the minority community. I hope that by working on a higher scale within the School Department, I will be able to reach a higher number of students in need rather than in a regular classroom. Hoping to do the very best here.