

Pat Grayson-DeJong

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AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY

- ◆ Administrator – Autism Program Support
- ◆ Program Specialist – Generalist ◆ Full Inclusion Facilitator
- ◆ Behavior ◆ Special Education Teacher ◆ Resource Specialist

CREDENTIALS

- ◆ Clear Administrative Services ◆ Learning Handicapped ◆ Resource Specialist Certificate
- ◆ Standard Elementary

EDUCATION

Participated in two-year autism training program in current methodologies/strategies being implemented in the field of autism organized by Region 11 1999 – 2001
University of LaVerne, La Verne, CA Master of Education
California Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA Bachelor of Arts, Liberal Studies
California State University, Northridge Learning Handicapped Credential
California Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA General Education and Resource Credentials

EXPERIENCE

Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles, CA

- Division of Special Education, Autism Program Development 2000 – Present
- Special Education Service Unit, West Valley, Program Specialist 1998 – 2000
- Special Education Service Unit, West Valley, Inclusion Facilitator 1995 – 1998
- El Oro Way Elementary, Granada Hills, CA, Resource Specialist 1994 – 1995
- Monlux Elementary, North Hollywood, CA, LH Teacher 1992 – 1994

CLASSIFIED

- Knollwood Elementary, Granada Hills, CA, Sped Asst (APH) 1988 – 1990
- Special Education Service Unit, West Valley, LRER Asst (SED) 1987 – 1988
- San Fernando Elementary, San Fernando, CA, Sped. Asst (APH) 1983 – 1987
- Knollwood Elementary, Granada Hills, CA, Sped. Asst (APH, AUT) 1978 – 1983
- Leichman High School, Reseda, CA, Special Education Asst. (TMR, AUT) 1977 – 1978

AREAS OF EFFECTIVENESS

Professional Autism Lecturer 1975 – Present
Staff Development 1995 – Present
Inclusion Facilitator 1996 – 1998
Professional Assault Crisis Training Trainer of Trainers (ProACT) 1996 – 2006
Mentor & Training Supervisor to Student Interns, CSUN 1997 – 1999
Designed and implemented Asperger/High Functioning Program 2002 – Present
Co-wrote and implemented an Intensive Intervention Autism Program for PK-K-1 students 1999 – Present
Program Specialist for Autism Program Development 2000 – 2001
Due Process Consultant 1999 – Present
Autism Specialist (Administrative) 2000 - Present
California Blue Ribbon Commission on Autism Workgroup 2006 - Present
California Commission on Teacher Credentialing Special Education Workgroup ... 2007 - Present

AWARDS

Magna Cum Laude Graduate, California Lutheran University
Fred & Esther Nusz Graduate Fellowship, Cal Lutheran University

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Autism Society of Los Angeles, Board of Directors 1972 – 2003
Valley Autism Parent Support Group Facilitator 1995 – 2003
Jay Nolan Community Services, Board of Directors 2004 - Present
Member of Community Special Education Advisory Com. CSUN 1995 – 2000
Technical Director for the documentary, “Autism: A World Apart” 1987
Script Advisor - Autism for television 1980’s