



South Texas ISD

Rising Scholars Academy

GRADES 6-8 | SAN BENITO



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SOCIAL STUDIES

BIOGRAPHY

I am excited to begin the 2023 - 2024 school year with our incoming students! Working with students has furthered my own love of learning, and I couldn't be happier to be here at Rising Scholars Academy. This will be my 11th year teaching and my 2nd year teaching at Rising Scholars Academy.

I received my Bachelor's degree from the University of Texas- Pan American in 2011. I graduated with honors and immediately started my career in education at Harlingen South High School with HCISD. I have also taught at Rio Hondo High School and Harlingen High School.

I was born and raised in Harlingen, Texas. I've also resided in San Diego, California and Edinburg, Texas. I live with my wife and three children, Juliana, Cameron and Mia. I also coach several sports at Rising Scholars Academy, including flag football, girls' basketball and boys' soccer. I am a big sports fan myself, and my favorite teams are the Dallas Cowboys, the Dallas Mavericks and the Texas Longhorns.

I am looking forward to inviting 6th and 7th grade students into my classroom and making the 2023-2024 school year the best yet!