

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

Meet Michelle!

VOLUNTEER AREAS:

Throughout the pandemic, Michelle virtually tutored ESL to two members of the Center. In addition, she has helped Maria and our compañeras in the kitchen a few times to serve meals to the workers on Saturdays. We recently started in-person activities again and Michelle is currently teaching an ESL class once a week at the Center! Michelle is always willing to lend a hand as she often substitute teaches ESL classes as well.

WHY DID YOU WANT TO VOLUNTEER AT THE CENTER?

I wanted to work to give language access to people.

WHAT HAS VOLUNTEERING AT THE CENTER MEANT TO YOU?

I've been fortunate to form real friendships with some of the people I've worked with. I'm honestly grateful for the opportunity that the Center provides to all the populations that it serves.

ARE THERE ANY SPECIFIC MEMORIES YOU HAVE?

Recently, I had the profound satisfaction of watching one of my students "get it," making a big leap in her learning.