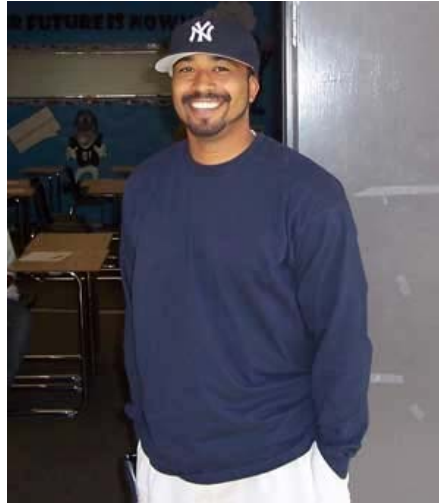


Teacher Profile

Name: Dennis Jimenez, Jr.



Degree(s)/Certification(s): Associate Degree in Liberal Arts; Bachelors Degree in Kinesiology with an Emphasis in Physical Education; Single Subject Credential

Education: DeAnza College; San Jose State University; California State University of Bakersfield

Teaching Experience: Blanton Junior High/ CLC Tech: March 2007-present

About Myself:

If you have been one of my students, you might describe me as athletic, competitive, and passionate. I enjoy teaching Physical Education, because I get to teach great students and do what I love to do- play sports.

I have been a member of a traveling basketball team for the past 8 years and do not plan to stop anytime soon!

Teaching Philosophy:

Quality Physical Education programs are needed to increase the physical competence, health-related fitness, self-esteem, and enjoyment of physical activity for all students, so that they can be physically active for a lifetime. By promoting health through physical activity, students are given opportunities to gain knowledge and skills needed to adopt physically active lifestyles. Physical activity develops the knowledge, attitudes, motor skills, behavioral skills, and confidence to maintain a healthy lifestyle.