



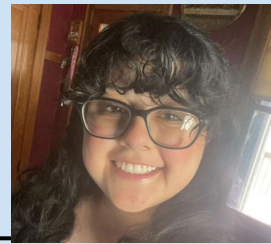
My name is Lynda Nadkarni. I'm a life-long member of RPC and am excited to start year 6 as preschool director! I taught public school and worked in non-profit fundraising prior to joining the RPC team. My favorite color is yellow just like Vincent Van Gogh. My husband and I have two adult daughters. Three dachshunds and one cat still live with us in LaGrange Park.



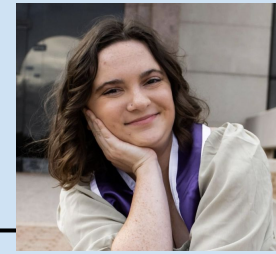
My name is Joan Kanatas. I have lived in the Riverside area all my life. I live with my husband and two daughters, along with 3 cute doggies. I have been a teacher for 25 years, 11 at the RPC Preschool. I love to hang out with Mr. Kanatas, go thrift shopping with my daughters, and kayak on the Desplaines River. I'm proud to be part of the PRC Preschool!



My name is Celina Anaya. I grew up in the area. There are five siblings in my family and I'm the only sister. I enjoy all things related to plants, Lego and trinkets. This is my third year at RPCPS. Prior to RPC I was a nanny for ten years. I'm working toward a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education at Rasmussen University.



My name is Guadalupe Manjarrez, The kids call me Miss Lupe. I am starting my third year at RPC. Hablo español y compartiré mi idioma con los estudiantes. I have always loved working with kids which is what led to a degree in Early Childhood Education. Outside of work I like to dance and collect vintage technology.



My name is Christina Bartholomew. I'll be working in the preschool and coordinating RPC's Christian Education for children and youth for the third year. I recently completed a MA in Biblical and Theological Studies at Wheaton College. I spent my younger days in California and Texas before settling in Chicago. My hobbies are reading books, walking, hammocking, and enjoying the outdoors.



My name is Tamara Moorhead. I was a camp counselor at RPC this summer and am delighted to join the team as an assistant teacher this fall! I'm the youngest of 14 so grew up surrounded by kids of all ages which led to my desire to work with children and youth. I'll be starting college in 2027. I plan to work in a healthcare setting with an advanced degree.