

JESUS MENCHACA

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin , Austin, TX	May 2028
<i>Bachelor of Arts, Psychology and Linguistics</i>	
GPA 3.92	
Minor in Educational Psychology and ASL	
Liberal Arts Honors (LAH) - Selective program that lifts Liberal Arts students to succeed in academic and professional goals	
South Texas College , McAllen, TX	May 2024
<i>Associate of Arts in Teaching - Secondary Education</i>	
GPA 3.90	
Jimmy Carter Early College High School , La Joya, TX	May 2024
<i>Valedictorian</i>	
GPA 3.90	
National Hispanic Recognition Program, Recipient	
Advanced Placement Scholar Award	
Scholastic Art & Writing Award, 2x Silver Key for Short Story and Poetry	
Harvard Division of Continuing Education , Cambridge, MA	June 2023
<i>Summer Program, Credit</i>	
Astronomy S-41 (The Life and Death of Stars)	
Government S-1315 (Race and US Politics)	

SKILLS

Technical Skills: Microsoft Office, Google Suite

Languages: Native Spanish, Native English, Intermediate American Sign Language

Certifications: Texas Education Agency Education Aide I, SubDiploma Certification Complete, Southwest Airlines Professional Communications Certification

EXPERIENCE

University of Texas at Austin - Child Development Center (Leona) , Austin, TX	Aug 2024 - Present
<i>Student Assistant</i>	
- Managing front desk operations, ensuring accurate documentation, and efficient workflow to support daily operations - Assisting teachers in classroom activities and providing one-on-one support to children	

LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Texas Taekwondo , Austin, TX	Jan 2025 - Present
<i>Member</i>	
- Focusing on fostering community on campus and building relationships - Actively volunteering in local events	
Texas Folklorico , Austin, TX	Aug 2025 - Present
<i>Member</i>	
- Focusing on preserving Mexican traditional culture and dance - Actively volunteering and performing in local community events	
Summer Bridge Program at Jimmy Carter Early College High School , La Joya, TX	June 2021 - June 2024
<i>Organizer</i>	
- Engaged with incoming freshmen to welcome them into high school for a smooth transition - Managed organization to ensure daily operations of the program	