Job Reflective Narrative

On Friday the 18th, I Job shadowed Silvia Cabrera, a 2nd grade teacher; this Job Shadow took place at Washington Elementary. During the Job Shadow, I was observing how Silvia was teaching, and how happy she was doing her job. I chose to Job Shadow a teacher because I love working with 2nd graders and to see their progress from the first day of school, until the last day of the school year.

When I walked inside the classroom, I saw all the students smiling and looking so happy to learn, I also looked at the walls and there was some really good information that would help the student throughout the school year. I was observing how Silvia was teaching, I also talked to some of her students and they told me that she is the best teacher ever and I saw the great work they were doing and how happy they were with Silvia as their teacher. I was surprised when I heard the students reading; they read really well and don’t make many mistakes.

 During this Job Shadow, I learned that to become a teacher you need to go to a 4-year University and get your Teacher Credential. I also learned that to become a teacher you need to have a lot of patience towards the students and you have to love working with them and helping them out when they need help doing an assignment. I liked the way Silvia teaches her class because she has a lot of patience towards the kids, when some students are talking and she’s about to talk, she says “Please be quiet” and all the kids stop what they are doing and look at her because they know that she’s about to give a lesson and they need to pay attention to learn how to do the work.

After I Job Shadowed Silvia, I am still interested in this job because I love working with kids because after the first day of school, their work will be getting better and better every day they go to school. I will like to become a teacher and work with the kids and help them learn cool things about school and how to become better and better at doing their assignments.