



# Ms. Ivette Cerda

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Hi Jackrabbits! I am Ms. Ivette and I am your new full time Mesa Community College advisor.

I grew up in Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico. At the age of 16, I relocated to the United States to pursue my higher education. My passion for education encouraged me to pursue a Bachelor's Degree in Organizational Communication and a Master's Degree in Educational Leadership from Northern Arizona University.

As a former Mesa Community College student-athlete, I decided to pursue a career in Academia. In 2006, I began working at Mesa Community College where I have served in many different capacities. I am excited to transition and be a part of the Mesa High School community. I enjoy working with a diverse population of students and their families and love to create and maintain meaningful relationships with others. My goal is to serve students and families from Mesa High School by providing access to information and resources that will inform them of the early to college and post-graduation opportunities available to them at Mesa Community College. I also provide a one-stop enrollment experience to offer high school students a seamless transition to Mesa Community College. I am enthusiastic about being a part in the students' lives and sharing their academic success.

I currently served in the MCC/MPS Latino Advisory Committee, Bridging Cultures Committee and as one of the Movimiento Estudiantil Chicanx de Aztlán (M.E.Ch.A. de MCC) advisors.

My husband and I enjoy watching movies, working out, traveling and walking our three small dogs. I also enjoy playing tennis and practicing martial arts.



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