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Carol Meyer has worked in education for 28 years. She has taught English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) and Spanish at all grade levels, from kindergarten through college. She has also directed Teacher Education programs at Bennington and Bard Colleges. Currently, she is the Coordinator of Instructional Services at the Educational Opportunity Center, an adult education center located in Troy and Albany.

Carol has continued her education throughout her career. She earned a Bachelor's in Spanish, with a certificate in interpretation; a master's in teaching ESOL and Spanish, and a Ph.D. in Curriculum and Instruction.

Before deciding to go into education, Carol explored a few professions and traveled. She worked as an interpreter, a paralegal, a vocational counselor, and a waitress. She was also lucky enough to spend three months bicycling in Spain, Portugal, and France as well as go on an eight-month trip to Costa Rica, Guatemala, and Honduras. She still likes to travel – with regular trips to Madrid Spain, where she has family; head out on her bicycle; or stay home and cook (and of course, eat) a good meal.