

# Mark Lopez

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## Teacher, Non-Profit Organizer, Small Business Owner



Mark is passionate about coaching and mentoring students and has more than 10 years of experience in a variety of venues. With a vision of being a life-long learner, he sees every employment opportunity as a potential for growth.

He has managed the box office of a small university, gaining expertise in employee recruitment, performing business reviews of events, and honing the indispensable value of customer service. He has led a student organization on the campus of Clemson University, volunteered for a local fire department, and spent time mentoring leaders. Mark has also demonstrated an entrepreneurial flair, starting a small photography business. Now with nine years of experience in this business, he consistently captures moments of joy with high quality images and a great sense of timing.

Mark currently serves as a full-time teacher and coach, challenging students on a weekly basis to thrive and pursue significance and meaning in everything they do. He also works with several non-profit organizations, leading teams of volunteers and students on trips, work-days, and community activities.

Mark and his wife Catherine have been happily married for 11 years, and have three boys. He enjoys hiking, photography, time with his family, and is up for anything adventurous.