The focus in education is always on classroom learning and rightly so. But in order to get children to school, make sure they are fed and have clean, well-maintained facilities in which to learn, a cadre of employees is necessary.

These workers, known as classified staff, who drive buses, mop floors and prepare the meals our students eat during the day, are critical components to any educational organization. Not only do they support education outside of the classroom, but inside of it as well.

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Diane Salais, Multingual/ Multicultural, Parent Advisor. The most imporimpact tant Diana has had on students and our SCUSD community, is the powerful access to services she has facilitated for students and families that otherwise would have little hope or opportunities. She has helped them navigate the complex system of services in order to succeed.

Linda Lee Smith, Office Manager, Luther Burbank. She is very helpful and positive, which is welcoming to visitors, students and staff alike. A positive attitude by front office staff, especially in administra-