

**COMMUNITY MEMBER VIDEO - LOS ANGELES PUBLIC LIBRARY**

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>> SERGIO: My dream always was to become a citizen of the United States. Thanks to the Los Angeles Public Library, my dream came true.

Last year I saw a sign for the citizenship class here in the library. I was here every Saturday for three months. I borrowed CDs, flashcards, and books to practice and study at home.

>> FRANCISCA: He encouraged me to take the class and we studied and practiced with it.

>> SERGIO: I became a citizen April 10, 2014.

>> FRANCISCA: And I became a citizen five months later.

When a new family moves to the community, I tell them the most important place is the library, a place where everyone is welcome.

>> SERGIO: And their dreams can come true.