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## A new beginning: thanks, SAVES program

Yurimar Valero was born in Venezuela. She studied business administration and she worked as a manager in her native country. She emigrated with her family to the United States and was granted asylum in 2019.

Ms. Valero and her family began studying English at Miami Coral Park Adult Education Center, taking ESOL classes before she decided to start our Accounting vocational course in 2021. Ms. Valero spent three terms studying in our accounting program. She maintained good attendance and earned her accounting certificate which prepared her for the county exams. Yurimar Valero is grateful to the SAVES program because it helped her receive free tuition, books, and the guidnecessary to practice knowledge of English and Accounting. She is satisfied and she wants other refugees to know her story. Ms. Valero is currently working as an accounting assistant in a company called Virtual Zone Company. She has had a new beginning and has new hopes for the future.





