# Montana Gear Up

## April 10 – May 10, 2019

## **Dorrina Patacsil**

**Number of Activities:** For most of the month I had to keep up on GEARS to make sure GEAR UP program GEARS was updated with our school numbers. Helping Olson with getting everything ready for the summer Yellow Stone trip in the first week of June. I filled everything out for her al she must do is get it coded. We went on the SKC and Missoula college visit and we all had a great time the visits went well. I helped Ty with the Igraduate so hopefully he could close that grant out.

### **Budget:**

Completed Task: ACT testing, Summer budget and IP

### **Upcoming Task**

ACT Aspire and Explore testing

Thus, I have been offered and have accepted a job at Plain Green as the Community Development manager. While I am excited about this position and the new opportunities and challenges it will bring, saying goodbye to all of you is an enormously difficult task.

I have so enjoyed working with all of you in this important work the past 8 years and appreciate everything each of you has brought to the educational world both professionally and personally. Please know that I will always have the utmost respect the work that each of you does in support of our mission to help students attain personal and educational success. You are the ones who make this program work as you have the difficult but rewarding task of helping students understand the world of possibilities available to them on a daily basis. I will look back on my time in the Montana GEAR UP family and the Rocky Boy School district with fondness and satisfaction knowing so many students' lives were improved through our collective efforts.

So THANK YOU EVERYONE