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Laura Bogush

Education 1991-present **Various Colleges, Universities, Professional Conferences**

- Over 30 semester hours of graduate coursework earned with additional workshops attended in the areas of technology, mathematics, and reading instruction.

1990-1991 **Kent State University** Kent, OH

Master of Education Degree, August 1991

- Concentrated in Early Childhood Education

1976-1980 **Lake Erie College** Painesville, OH

Bachelor of Arts, June 1980

- Concentrated in Elementary Education

Certification

- Standard Permanent Kindergarten Elementary (K-8) certificate with reading (K-12) and pre-kindergarten validation issued by the State of Ohio Department of Education
- National Board Certified Teacher in the area of Early Childhood/Generalist valid 1998-2008

Teaching Experience 1982 to 2011 **Maple Elementary** Chardon, OH
Chardon Local Schools

- First Grade Classroom Teacher
- Responsible for instruction in all subject areas
- Incorporated technology as an instructional tool
- Served special needs students in regular education setting
- Mentored entry-year teachers using Pathwise as part of Praxis assessment

1981 to 1982 **Notre Dame Elementary** Chardon, OH
Chardon Local Schools

- Tutor for students in grades 1-8
- Responsible for remedial instruction in reading, mathematics, composition

1980 to 1981 **Maple Elementary** Chardon, OH
Chardon Local Schools

- First Grade Classroom Teacher
- Responsible for instruction in all subject areas

Additional Professional Experiences	2003-present	Professional Development Seminar Instructor Lake Erie College	Painesville, OH
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plan and present graduate-level seminars to educators Courses include Getting Smarter with Smart Boards, Smart Boards: Using Notebook Software; Using PowerPoint with a Smart Board; Microsoft Word for Teachers (levels one and two), Creating Lessons with Lesson Planning Using the Internet, Using PowerPoint to Teach Reading, Computers in the Early Childhood Classroom, Using a Computerized Grade Book: Easy Grade Pro 	
	1992-present	Miscellaneous Workshop Presentations	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Numerous presentations and workshops given for various organizations, including University School, Willo-Hill Christian School, Chardon Local Schools, the Northeast Ohio Education Association, Math Their Way, Ohio Association for the Education of Young Children, and the Cleveland Doll Club 	
		Trainer/Validator/Assessor	
	2000-2003	National Board of Professional Teaching Standards	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scored responses of candidates seeking certification Trained assessors in using scoring tools and online software Supervised scoring staff 		
	1999	Disney Learning Partnerships	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Employed as a consultant to evaluate grant proposals 	
	1994-1999	President of the Chardon Education Association	Chardon, OH
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acted on behalf of certified staff in local school district for collective bargaining and resolution of problems using collaborative models Represented local teachers in the educational community through district committees, community organizations, the Ohio Education Association, and the National Education Association 	
Awards and Honors	Smart Exemplary Educator (2009); Superintendent's Award for Exemplary Service to Education (1999); National Board Certified Teacher (1998); Ohio Governor's Educational Leadership Award (1998); listed in Who's Who Among America's Educators (1998 and 2002); Chardon High School Topper Club Honored Educator (1996 and 2001)		
Grants Received	"Informational Literacy" from Chardon Schools Foundation (2002) "Family Math Games" from Chardon Schools Foundation (1996) "Cooking in the Classroom" from Chardon Schools Foundation (1992)		