



Curriculum Vita

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| EDUCATION |
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Ed. D. – Supervision, Curriculum, and Instruction (Emphasis: Reading Education)
Elementary Education Dept.
Year Awarded, 1998
Texas A & M University-Commerce

M. Ed. Early Childhood Education (Minor: English as a Second Language)
Year Awarded, 1992
East Texas State University

B. S. Elementary Education (Minor: Music Education)
Year Awarded, 1978
East Texas State University

Certifications: (State of Texas)

| Issue Date: | Expiration Date: | Description of Certificate(s): |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 01-04-1992 | Life | Provisional ESL |
| 08-06-1981 | Life | Provisional Kindergarten |
| 05-13-1978 | Life | Provisional Gen. Elem. (1-8) |
| 05-13-1978 | Life | Provisional Elem. Music |
| Written Bilingual ExCet | | Passed |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1998-Present Adjunct Faculty Texas A & M University-Commerce

Higher Education Courses Taught (TAMU-Commerce):

RDG 360 "Word Analysis Skills"
RDG 515 "Reading and Learning in Content Areas"
RDG 516 "Foundations of Reading Instruction"
RDG 520 "Literacy and Instruction I"
RDG 521 "Literacy and Instruction II"
RDG 522 "Reading in the Elementary School"
RDG 550 "Language and Literacy Development"
ELED 200 "Schools and Society"
ELED 514 "Management & Curriculum Development for Diverse Learners"
ELED 524 "Language Arts Curriculum for Grades One through Eight"
ECE 313 "Child Development: Early Years"
ECE 358 "Language Acquisition & Development in Early Childhood"
ECE 366 "Early Childhood Learning Environment"
ECE 460 "Early Childhood Curriculum"

Public and Private School Teaching Experience:

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| 1997-2008 (retired) | K (ESL), First Grade (ESL), Second Grade (GE) Teacher | Dallas ISD |
| 1994-1997 | K (ESL) Teacher | Kemp ISD |
| 1989-1994 | K (ESL) Teacher | Dallas ISD |
| 1988-1989 | PreK (ESL/GE) Teacher | Hillcrest PS |
| 1985-1988 | Principal, Teacher, Private Music Instructor | Canton CA |
| 1981-1985 | K (ESL) Teacher | Kemp ISD |
| 1978-1979 | Third Grade Teacher | Dallas ISD |

PUBLICATIONS

Book (Education); Self Published:

St.Clair, L. (2010): *Embedded Student Question Asking: Strategies and Thinking Map Ideas to Enhance Student Questioning* @.

Published:

St.Clair, L. (1998). *The Measurement of Kindergarten Question-Asking After Teacher-Modeling of Embedded Higher-Order Questions* @. Commerce, TX: TX A&M University Press.

Pilot Study:

St.Clair, L. (1995). *In the context of read-aloud experiences, do kindergarten students show evidence of emulating their teacher's modeling of higher-order types of questions?*

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RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

FUNDING

- 1997-2007** Secured Arts Partners Program Funding
- 2006** Secured Scottish Rite Dyslexia Tutorial Tapes for Teachers
- 1985-1988** Secured funding/donations for students as Principal at Canton Christian Academy
- 1984** Secured funding/donations for Manna, Inc.

AWARDS

- 2009** Invited representative to the China and Russia delegations in the “People to People Ambassador Program”
- 2007** Invited member of Ad Hoc Campus Instructional Leadership Team, DISD
- 2007** Awarded TX Lifetime PTA Membership, DISD
- 2006** Awarded fewer than Annual Appraisals Status
- 2003-2006** Invited Dyslexia Designee and Administrator of the “Comprehensive Test of Phonological Processing”, DISD
- 2001-2002** Awarded Mentor Teacher Status, DISD
- 1997** Recipient of Teacher Recognition Award, Kemp Public Schools
- 1966** Awarded Outstanding Student Vocalist, DISD
- 1966** Awarded KRLD Radio/TV “Music ‘Til Dawn” Scholarship
- 1966** Awarded Full Music Scholarship, ETSU