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### Education:

Martin Spalding High School, 1966-1970  
Anne Arundel Community College, 1970-1972: Associates Degree in Multi-Media Technology  
Towson State University, 1972-1975: Bachelor's Degree in Art Education (K-12 certification)  
Towson State University, 1975-1981: Master's Degree in Art Education, Magna Cum Laude  
Masters plus 30: 1981-?

### Work Experience:

September, 1976-June 2009: taught Art in 18 different elementary schools in Anne Arundel County. Teacher of the Year of Brooklyn Park Elementary in 2002, and Elementary Art Teacher of the Year of Anne Arundel County, about 2004. Retired in June of 2009.

### Volunteer Work:

Banneker Museum and Park of Baltimore County, docent for school tours and volunteer for special events  
Center Stage Baltimore: usher for about 20 years  
Creative Alliance: volunteer  
American Visionary Art Museum: volunteer  
Maryland Food Bank: volunteer 2010  
Our Daily Bread: participated in cooking for ODB on 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays of month with First Unitarian Church.

### Affiliations:

First Unitarian Church of Baltimore since 1982: served as usher, Membership Committee, Worship Committee, Aesthetics Committee, Board member and Registrar. Sing with A capella group, "HarmoniUUs".  
Baltimore Folk Music Society since 1979: held many board positions, including Newsletter Editor, Special Events Chair, and Membership.  
Baltimore Bead Society since 2009: held several board positions, including Hospitality and Thursday Class Coordinator.

### Other Interests:

Gardening, Jewelry making, Mosaics, Singing, Folk Dance.