

# Cynthia Kaump

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## Certifications

- Michigan Provisional Certificate K-5 All subjects, K-8 Self Contained Classroom
- Michigan 6-8 English Language Arts Endorsement (BX)

## Education

- 2008-2009 **Michigan State University** **East Lansing, Michigan**  
Teacher Certification Internship Program  
Completed 12 credits toward a Master of Arts in Education
- 2004-2008 **Michigan State University** **East Lansing, Michigan**  
Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education

## Teaching Experiences

- 2010-present **Paint Creek Elementary School** **Lake Orion, Michigan**  
*Teacher – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade*  
*District Balanced Literacy Committee Representative*  
*School Improvement Team Representative* *Writing Goal Committee member*  
*Green School Committee member* *Reading Month Committee member*
- Maintained complete responsibility for the organization, teaching and assessment of a self-contained 4<sup>th</sup> grade classroom
  - Involved families in the classroom through “Mystery Reader” and volunteering opportunities, picnics and “Writer’s Cafes” in addition to weekly newsletters
  - Integrated Reading and Writing Workshop strategies into literacy instruction daily
  - Tutored at risk students after school for multiplication
  - Facilitated water bottle recycling to keep our school’s “Evergreen” Green School status
  - Planned school-wide Reading Month activities, assemblies and incentives
  - Participated in a Teacher Lab for Reading Workshop
- 2009-2010 **Oakview Middle School** **Lake Orion, Michigan**  
*Michigan Exemplary Blue Ribbon School | National and Michigan School to Watch*  
*Teacher – Modern Technology, Media Productions and Curriculum Support*  
*Modern Technology Department Chair*
- Utilized technology to engage students and extend their technology use
  - Implemented Response to Intervention Tier 2 reading and math interventions for 20 sixth graders
  - Aligned district curriculum to state and national technology standards
  - Integrated core subject state standards into electives classes
  - Wrote school’s vision statement with the school’s professional learning community
  - Produced school wide morning news broadcast
  - Supported students’ educational success by tutoring at-risk students after school
- 2008-2009 **Whitehills Elementary School** **East Lansing, Michigan**  
*Elementary School Year Long Internship – Fifth Grade*
- Performed all teacher responsibilities during eight-week lead teaching experience including parent and staff communication, social and behavioral management and parent/teacher conferences
  - Differentiated instruction and assessment in all subject areas
  - Planned English Language Arts lessons using techniques from Lucy Calkins, Fountas and Pinnell and Harvey Daniels
  - Evaluated students using a variety of formative and summative assessments
  - Facilitated school-wide food drive for the Mid-Michigan Food Bank
  - Promoted Heifer International “Read to Feed” program during reading month

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## Related Experiences

- 2008-2009 **Whitehills Elementary School** **East Lansing, Michigan**  
*Speech and Debate Club Advisor*
- Lead weekly meetings and attended all competitions
  - Prepared club members for competition by revising student written poetry and developing public speaking skills
- Newspaper Club Advisor*
- Edited student written newspaper articles
  - Facilitated the publication of three newspapers during the school year
- 2008-2009 **DeWitt Public Schools** **DeWitt, Michigan**  
*KIDS Assistant Caregiver*
- Planned activities and crafts for preschool - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade aged children
  - Supervised children while in a classroom setting and on field trips
  - Communicated with parents about the social and behavioral development of their children
- 2008-2009 **Michigan State University Pompon** **East Lansing, Michigan**  
*President and Head Coach*
- Prepared team for competition by leading practices three times a week
  - Collaborated with area businesses for fundraising and philanthropic efforts
  - Organized seasonal pompon clinics for elementary through college aged girls

## Technology

*Proficient in using:*

- Microsoft Office Software (Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Publisher)
- Video, document and digital cameras
- Software and Internet Applications (Accelerated Reader, Blogs, BrainPOP, Education2020, Fast ForWord, Google Apps, Ignite, IXL, Kidspiration, LabVolt, Moodle, Pearson Inform, Pivot, United Streaming, VoiceThread, Weebly, Wikispaces, Windows Movie Maker, Wordle, Yearly Progress Profile)
- Easiteach Interactive Whiteboard and software

## Professional Development

- 2011
- Lake Orion 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade Reading Workshop Teacher Lab
- 2010
- *Oakland Writing Project – part of the National Writing Project*
  - *Michigan Association of Middle School Educators Conference*
  - *Michigan's Content Literacy Assessments, Standards and Strategies - Laura Shiller, Oakland Schools*
- 2009
- *Professional Learning Communities – Jennifer Davidson, Oakland Schools*
  - *Moodle and Ignite Training – Melissa Middleton, Lake Orion Community Schools*
  - *Bridges to Lifelong Literacy, Michigan Reading Association*
  - *Special Education Inclusion Seminar, Michigan State University*
  - *Technology and Differentiated Instruction, East Lansing Public School District*
- 2008
- *Technology Conference, Michigan State University College of Education*
  - *Closing the Achievement Gap for African American Students – Dr. Dorinda Carter-Andrews, East Lansing Public School District*
  - *Cultures that Succeed – Dr. Deborah Wortham, Ingham County ISD*