

# Lynne Cassidy

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My aspiration as an arts integration specialist is to foster the development of interdisciplinary arts integration programs that nurture deeper learning and ignite the imaginations and creative capacities of students, teachers and teaching artists.

## EDUCATION

2017-18 **Arts Integration Specialist - 720 hour Certification - Education Closet Westminster, MD**

### **Coursework**

- Foundations of Arts Integration
- Curriculum Connections
- Assessment for Integration
- STEAM and Arts Integration
- Project-Based Integration
- Leading Change Efforts

2007-09 **M.Ed. - Educating for Sustainability - Antioch University New England - Keene, NH**

### **Coursework**

- Place-Based Learning
- History & Practice of Education for Sustainability
- Ecology of Learning
- Issues of Equity in Schools
- Connecting Curriculum & Communities
- Curriculum Design for Education for Sustainability
- Sustainable School Practices

1998 **Graphic Design Certification - Colorado Mountain College - Glenwood Springs, CO**

1992 **BA - Art - Gettysburg College - Gettysburg, PA**

1988 **Westfield High School - Westfield, NJ**

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014-present **K-8 Art Teacher** – Carbondale Community School, Carbondale, CO

2015-present **Owner, Inky Hands Studio** – New Castle, CO

2013-14 **Art Teacher / Substitute** - Yampah Mountain High School, Glenwood Springs, CO

2013-2014 **K-12 Substitute Teacher** – RE-1 Roaring Fork School District, Glenwood Springs, CO

2013-2014 **Outreach Educator** - Aspen Art Museum, Aspen, CO

2009-2015 **After-School Middle School Teacher** - Access Roaring Fork, Carbondale, CO

2002-2008 **K-5 Art Teacher** - Glenwood Spring Elementary School, Glenwood Springs, CO

## **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:**

- 2012-2013 **After School Program Director** - ACCESS Roaring Fork, Carbondale, CO
- 2010-2012 **Director of Sustainability** - Colorado Mountain College, Glenwood Springs, CO
- 2008-2010 **Sustainability Coordinator / Director & Curriculum Development**  
Colorado Mountain College - Glenwood Springs, CO
- 2008-2009 **Education Liaison** - Clean Energy Economy for the Region, Carbondale, CO
- 2007- 2008 **Sustainability Coordinator** - RE-1 Roaring Fork School District, Glenwood Springs, CO

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

- 2017-18 Teaching for Artistic Behavior Conference – Center for Integrated Arts Education, UNC
- 2017 Assessment for Makers – Education Closet
- 2017 Teaching for Artistic Behavior Graduate Class – University of Northern Colorado
- 2016 Colorado Art Education Association Conference - Graduate Class – University of N. CO
- 2016-18 Arts Integrations & STEAM online conferences (summer + winter) – Education Closet
- 2014-16 Colorado Creative Industries Conference Workshops
- 2016 STE(A)M Initiative Workshops - Education Closet
- 2015-16 Makerspace Workshops - Imagination Foundation
- 2015-16 Creative Placemaking Workshop - The National Consortium for Creative Placemaking
- 2015-16 Practices for Arts Integration Workshop - Think360Arts
- 2014 Restorative Justice Community Workshop
- 2014 Digital Storytelling Workshop – Colorado Mountain College
- 2014 STE(A)M initiative webinars
- 2014 Non-violent Communication Workshop
- 2014 Visual Thinking Strategies
- 2013 Expressive Arts Facilitator Training
- 2010 Fostering Sustainable Behavior Workshop
- 2010 Sustainability Across the Curriculum Leadership Workshop
- 2009 Renewable Energy for Educators Workshop
- 2009 Professional Grant Writing Training

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

- 2017-22 Professional Colorado Teaching License in K-12 Art
- 2014-19 K-12 Substitute Teacher Certification (5 year)
- 2002-14 Professional Colorado Teaching License in K-12 Art
- 2010 Permaculture Design Certification Workshop

## **VOLUNTEER WORK**

- 2016 Carbondale Arts Mobile Makerspace Educational Board Member - Carbondale, CO
- 2015-16 Imagination Foundation Chapter Leader – New Castle, CO
- 2015 Bookcliffs Art Center Advisory Board Member – Rifle, CO
- 2011-12 Garfield Clean Energy Board Member - Carbondale, CO
- 2008-10 Glenwood Springs Center for the Arts Advisory Board Member – Glenwood Springs, CO

## **HONORS**

- 2014 Inductee into the Westfield High School Sports Hall of Fame
- 2013 Inductee into the Middle Atlantic Conference Swimming Hall of Fame
- 2005 Colorado Western Slope High School Swim Coach of the Year
- 2002 Inductee of the Gettysburg College Athletic Hall of Honor
- 1991-92 NCAA, Division III, Two-Time National Swimming Champion, 500 Freestyle
- 1991-99 NCAA, Division III National Record Holder, 500 Freestyle

