

## **Cheryl Kay Burditt Gooch**

### **Schools:**

**Sidney Lanier High School, Austin TX, 1972**

**The University of Texas**

BS in Education with an emphasis in Reading  
1979

**The University of Texas**

Master of Library and Information Science  
2000

### **Career:**

**IBM**, Marketing Division, 1980-1993

**Austin Independent School District**

Robert E. Lee Elementary School, Teacher  
1993 - 1999

Patton Elementary School, Librarian  
1999 - 2001

T. A. Gullett Elementary School, Librarian  
2001 - 2020

(In at 9/11... Out with Covid-19)

### **Honors and Awards:**

**Texas Library Association:**

TLA Newcomer Award (It has a name but I cannot remember what it is.... And I don't think they do it anymore) 2000

TLA TALL Texan Class - 2008

TLA District 3 Chair - 2009

TLA Local Arrangement Committee 2011, 2015, 2019

TLA Children's Round Table

Chair of Round Table Breakfast with keynote  
by Chris Van Alsburg 2015

Siddie Joe Johnson Award - 2015

Bluebonnet Selection Committee 2015-18

ELI: Executive Leadership Immersion - Presenter - 2019

**Amerian Library Association:**

ALA Penguin Young Reader Award 2007

Bound to Stay Bound AASL Award 2009

**Scholastic BookFairs:**

Inaugural Customer Advisory Council - 2003-06

Scholastic Customer Advisory Board/Chair 2005-06

**Reading Is Fundamental (RIF):**

Anne Hazzard Richardson Volunteer of the Year Award 2013

Washington, DC/Gala keynote by Kareem Abdul Jabaar with school visits in the area and a day on The Hill

**Mother Ginger - Ballet Austin Nutcracker 2012**