

## **Catherine Collier**

**Board of Directors  
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**Catherine Collier** has worked in education for the last 28 years but has been a teacher practically since she was born. She forced her brother and sister to play school and loved getting a new box of carbon papers to make two worksheets at once. She has spent her 28 "official" years in education as a teacher of students with disabilities, a third-grade teacher, a kindergarten teacher (her favorite) and, currently, as a reading specialist. She spends as much time as she can wrangle in kindergarten classrooms and working with Early Emergent and Emergent Readers. She has spoken at conferences and workshops about early learners. She also maintains her own blog and collaborates on two other blogs about early literacy.

