

Stephanie Laird

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Stephanie Laird, instructional coach at Mitchellville Elementary in Mitchellville, Iowa, will serve on the International Literacy Association’s (ILA) Board of Directors from 2016 to 2019. She was the 2014 recipient of the ILA Technology and Literacy Award.

Stephanie is the President-Elect of the Iowa Reading Association and the 2017 Conference Chair of the Iowa Reading Association’s annual conference. Along with being an ambassador and advocate for education, literacy, and teacher leadership across her state, Stephanie was a member of ILA’s Literacy, eLearning, Communication, and Culture Committee and has contributed to the International Literacy Day Activity Kit, *Literacy Daily*, and ReadWriteThink and is the author of the ILA E-ssentials article “Sharing Student Writing With the World.”



Laird earned her BS in Elementary Education and Masters in Education with a specialization in Curriculum and Instructional Technology from Iowa State University. In 2016, she earned her Reading Specialist credential from Viterbo University, where she is currently an Administrative Licensure candidate.