

Janenne graduated from Bloomington High School in 1965 and earned her Bachelor's and Master's degrees at Illinois State University. Janenne served District 87 as a 3rd grade teacher at Oakland Elementary School from 1980 until her retirement in 2008. Janenne served on numerous district committees and received many grants from Beyond the Books Educational Foundation to improve students' reading and math skills. She worked with the McLean County Historical Society and Oakland School students to obtain legislation in the spring of 2010 naming an official statewide day for Adlai E. Stevenson. Janenne's nomination stated, "Her passion for kids and their well-being was a wonder to behold."