

Reflections of a Super School Year 2010-2011



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Kindergarten is Cool!
Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. Jones
2010-2011

Mrs. Gillespie and Mrs. Jones' kindergarten class has been very busy this school year. We have learned how to read, write and do arithmetic. Our class is full of excitement and fun! These are some of our favorite things:

Jackson and Brad like swinging on the swings.

Shani loves to listen to stories.

Kasey and Braniya like doing Starfall on the smartboard.

Star, Ky'len, Kailea, Cristal, Alwyn, Dimitri, Mariah and Emmanuel love to play at recess.

Owen and Connor like the fire and earthquake drills.

Amir and Ben like swinging and climbing on the monkey bars.

Tamia likes being the "Queen" and Riley likes being the "King" of the week.

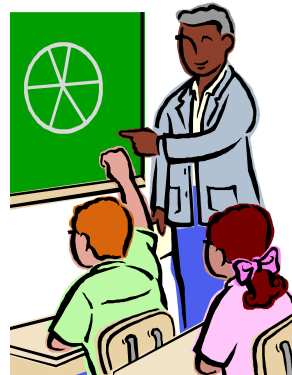
Nyhier loves PE.

Ken likes getting compliments.

Maya, Diana, and Collin like learning and working.

Gabriel likes to paint in art.

Kaylin loves to play in centers.



Reflections from K5 ~
Mrs. Hulsebus and Mrs. Hyler

Mrs. Hulsebus's kindergarten class had fun thinking back over the year and expressing what they learned and liked best. Aidan learned that water makes up most of our body and he enjoys centers and playing outside on the playground. Jadah learned that math can be fun. Joel and Chasidy said their favorite time of the day is calendar time with Mrs. Hyler. They learned about reading the calendar, numbers, and weather.

Our field trips this year have been great. Peyton remembered how much fun the field trip to the Strawberry Patch was and the yummy strawberries. Dallas enjoyed the trip to Communigraphics where they each made a t-shirt.

Matthew, Elizabeth M., and Darrian really enjoyed the Turkey Federation. Elizabeth learned that turkeys can run fast and funny, Darrian enjoyed the mounted turkeys, and Matthew enjoyed the simulated helicopter

ride.

One of the favorite times of the day is center time. Sydney loves housekeeping; Elizabeth F. and Patrick have fun in the block area, and Amber, Lilly, and Nevaeh like drawing in the art center.

A great time for building social relationships is recess. Trevor and Jaylen think the monkey bars are super. Christian, Jannah, and Daneyelle like playing tag outside. Each week the students try to happy faces on conduct everyday. If they do they get to pick something from the treasure chest. Nathaniel says this is something he looks forward to. Emmitt says he likes homework, Ivan loves his friends and teachers, and Ashton's favorite time of the day is lunch. We all made many life long friends we will cherish for years to come.

We Love To Read and Write!

Written by: Ms. Murphy and Mrs. Greer's Kindergarten Class

We have 25 students in our class. We start our mornings with our new letter of the week. We love to do our Sounds in Motions when we start with a new letter. The Sounds in Motion have really helped us learn quickly the sounds of letters and how to spell and decode words.

On one of our writings projects we read **The Very Hungry Caterpillar** by Eric Carle. We wrote what we would eat if we were very hungry. Our challenge in this writing was to describe what we ate. We wrote what we would bring in our lunch bag to school as our favorite things to eat. We had to use two describing words. **Abby Cook** wrote she ate a juicy pink watermelon. Her watermelon drawing was so good our class wanted to eat it up and spit out the seeds! **Jamereious Morris** said he ate a juicy red watermelon. He drew his watermelon to look so moist and juicy that we all felt our hands were sticky with watermelon juice.

In the fall our class studied about apples. We had to decide which kind of apples we liked the best. We graphed our results and found that more people liked green apples then red apples second. **Brian Robles'** writing was about eating juicy red apples. He drew his apples with bright green leaves and shiny red apple skins. **Demond Walker** also liked his apples red and juicy. He said one apple would be enough for his snack. **Mackenzie Ainsworth** wrote she loved to eat sour green apple slices. When she drew her apple slices, we made our lips pucker up to pretend we were eating sour apples. **Angelina Huey** was very hungry and ate a lot of juicy

green apples. Her apples looked like she had just picked them off the tree. **Cameron Jury** really liked to eat green apples because they were so crunchy. There is nothing better to eat than a crisp green apple. **Carter Padgett's** choice was shiny red apples. He said these apples taste best just as an apple, not in an apple pie

Zachary Williams' lunch bag had bunches of yellow bananas that were soft and ready to eat. **Montae Maldonado** had sour green pickles to eat in his bag. Montae said pickles were his favorite kind of snacks. **Samantha Bledsoe** packed cheese pizza in her bag. She liked extra cheese on her pizza.

The choice for **Timothy Price** was crunchy brown peanuts. We all pretended we were cracking open peanut shells to eat the great tasting peanuts. **Jonathen Rodriguez** selected a crunchy food also. His food was spicy yellow potato chips. His drawing was his lunch bag full of chips.

Kabriya Henderson's bag was filled with tart blueberries. We had read **Blueberries for Sal** by Robert McCloskey. We thought we could hear the blueberries plinking into the pail. **Nathaniel Hughes** put sweet orange oranges into his bag. He said he could taste the juice in the oranges just like orange juice in a glass. **Maniah Gilchrist** chose oranges also. Her oranges were orange and very juicy. Her bag was filled with oranges. **Dhilon Hawkins** ate sour yellow oranges. When he told about his snack, our lips puckered up like we tasted the sour oranges.

Nena Kimble had a big bowl of her Daddy's spicy gumbo in her bag. We all wanted her to bring a bowl big enough for all of us to eat. **Ephriam Freeman** filled his lunch bag with salty yellow French fries. His drawing made us look for some catsup to put on the fries. Also **Tyjua Satterwhite** chose French fries for her snack. She had hot salty fries that had just been cooked.

Theodore Hudson loved sweet yellow corn. The corn was on the cob and ready to eat. He said there is nothing better than sweet corn on the cob. **Ke'Airia Kimbrough** ate tasty orange carrots. Her bag was filled with baby orange carrots. She wanted to bring some baby carrots today to eat. **Ke'Andre Redfield** had jumbo juicy brown hot dogs with catsup to eat. His lunch bag smelled really good!

Blake Juinnies' bag had big bunches of sour purple grapes. Blake wanted to eat those grapes all day. She loved big purple grapes. **Zsa-Kiana Williams** had big purple grapes like Blake, but her grapes were sweet. The girls said they would compare their grapes to taste sour and sweet.

We have loved being together in K-4. We can't wait for our children to come back next year and read to us in our room.

K3 Spring Writing
Mrs. Burns and Mrs. Rangel
March 2011

Spring is for flying kites.

Spring has wiggly worms.

Spring is blooming flowers.

Spring is softball.

Spring is nice.

Spring is chirping birds.

Spring is pretty.

Spring is soccer.

Spring is pollen.

Spring is rainy.

Spring is singing birds.

Spring is fun!

Spring is playing outside.

Spring is budding trees.

Spring is playing baseball.

Spring is outside.

Spring is baby animals.

Spring is warm.

Spring is awesome.

Spring is beautiful.

Spring is sandals.

Spring is dirt.

Spring is a beautiful season.

Spring is delightful.

Reflections of First Grade in 1A

By: Mrs. Nave and Mrs. Dorfler's 2010 – 2011 First Grade Students

I learned about how to care for my teeth doing the egg experiment. I got to brush the egg with toothpaste. It was very, very fun! We did lots of fun stuff in 1st grade.

Marisel Baker



Fall has colorful leaves. Mrs. Nave took my picture with our tree that is outside. I like this time of year because I get to jump in the leaves. I love 1st grade!

Amaris Carter

I loved the fire truck visit. It was so cool.
The fireman blew the horn, but it was
really loud. I learned to stop, drop, and
roll. I wanted to drive the truck, but he
wouldn't let me!
Christopher Carter



I like to have a good time with my friends
at school. We were hanging out on the
carpet. We get to read books on the carpet.
It is lots of fun.
Ethan Chastain

I can count to 100. I brought 100 pictures
for the 100th day of school. Mrs. Nave had
lots of snacks for us too.
Michaela Faulkner



I learned about dinosaurs in 1st grade. In 1st
grade Mrs. Nave makes me work, work,
work. She makes me work all the time.
Thomas Fraizer

First grade is a lot of fun. I like playing on the playground with my friends. I like racing around the track. I am almost the fastest in my class. I'm going to be the fastest soon.

BrayShawn Glover



First grade is pretty neat. Some of the children in this 1st grade are kind of nice. I like it in 1st grade because you have nice teachers. I like going to recess a whole lot.

Kevin Gonzalez

I like 1st grade because we get to learn more about everything. I like to play outside. I get to eat as much as I want at our class parties. I like to play with my friends.

Aidan Hadley



1ST grade is fun. I like to read Dr. Seuss' books. Green Eggs and Ham is my favorite. I loved wearing the Seuss hats. We get to do fun experiments in class. One of my favorite experiments was brushing the eggs. That was so much fun!

Javar Holloway

In 1st grade I get to read and do lots of work. I love my Mrs. Dorfler. She helps me.

Aden Jackson



I liked being in 1st grade. I learned about other countries like Malawi. I learned a dance from there. I have fun learning.

Zuhairah Keith

I love 1st grade. I have lots of friends. I liked dressing up for Career Day. It was fun. I like our playground. My favorite is the half moon. I get to swing on it. I just like everything!

Emma McKinney



In 1st grade I get to do lots of fun stuff. I got to dress up on some days. I loved Crazy Sunglass Day. We all looked like clowns with our glasses on. I liked it a lot.

Ally Poole

I liked going to the Imperial Theatre. This was the first time I got to go to a play. I really liked Rumpelstiltskin. The seats were very fuzzy and comfortable. I got to sit with my friends. 1st grade is so much fun!

Taloria Scott



The Important Things About 1C
Are Mrs. Rutland and Ms. Blackwell

The important thing about first grade is reading and writing. I like to write stories and read books. I also like math and playing with my friends at recess. But the most important thing about first grade is reading and writing.

By Ciera Akin

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By Jack Greenway

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By Holley Hargrove

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By Ben Greene

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By Reagan Gillespie

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By Tavis Wardlaw

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By James Brooks

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By Aleah Sanders

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By Micah Huey

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By Taylor Muns

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By Kevin Reyes

Fabulous First Grade Fun

By: Mrs. Gates' First Grade Family
2010-2011

My favorite part about First Grade was the Christmas Party. I learned how to read and new vocabulary words. I thought Math was fun too. I met new friends.



Trey Armstrong



My favorite part about First Grade was learning how to read. I learned new words and how to write neatly. I learned how to color. I loved Veteran's Day.

Troy Cheadle

My favorite part about first grade was eating my lunch because it was the only time we eat in school for seven and a half hours. I learned my suffixes in Phonics. I learned multiplication.



Barrett Coleman



My favorite part about First Grade was learning to read. I liked taking AR tests the most. I liked going on field trips. I really liked the *Nutcracker*. One thing I learned the most was how to use

good manners.

Anna Corley

My favorite part about First Grade was learning to read. I liked meeting new friends. My favorite day was Pajama Day and Polar Express Day. I learned how to tell time and subtract in Math.

Olivia Cypress



My favorite part about First Grade was learning how to read. I also liked meeting new friends. I learned how to add and subtract. My favorite day was the Character Parade and we were ducklings.

Matia Davis

My favorite part about First Grade was learning how to read. I loved to go on the field trips. I really liked the *Emperor's Nightingale* play. I learned how to do multiplication and how to add.



Aleric Edwards



My favorite part about First Grade was learning about telling time. I learned how to read and write better. I learned about penguins, bats and planets. My favorite day was Polar Express Day.

Isabelle Jones

My favorite part about First Grade was playing at recess and talking with friends. I liked taking AR tests in the Library. My favorite day was Mondays because I got to see my family again.



McKenzie Love



My favorite part about First Grade was learning new things. I learned how to add and subtract, count money and how to measure. I also liked making geometric shapes. My favorite

day was Valentine's Day.

Deonna Mays

My favorite thing about First Grade was learning how to count money. I learned about the Earth. I liked going to Art and PE. My favorite day was the first day of First Grade. I met many new friends.

Hannah McClure



My favorite part about First Grade was reading. I learned to color. I learned how to tell time. My favorite thing in First Grade was recess and Christmas time.

Brant Pope

My favorite part about First Grade was my class and family. I learned how to read and speak English. I learned how to write. My favorite day was International Day when we learned about Malawi and listened to the



drums.

Evelyn Lopez



My favorite part about First Grade was coloring. I learned the alphabet. I learned how to count to 100. I learned how to be a STAR student. My favorite day was the 100th Day of School.

Nigeria Staley

Reflections from Mrs. Ritchie's First Grade Class

- I learned how to add and subtract in math. I liked going to PE and library. I learned about our class rules and to be kind to others.
by Taiya Wheeler



- I learned about letter sounds in phonics. I learned how to do addition facts. I think first grade is fun! by Robby Knox



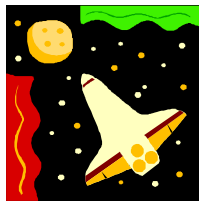
- I have learned how to do subtraction this year. I learned how to count syllables in words. I liked going to library and PE. by Madelyn Jones



- I learned about the presidents this year. I learned how to subtract big numbers in math. I liked my teachers. by Zeke Johnson



- I learned about dinosaurs in reading this year. I learned about the moon and the Earth. I liked doing addition in math the best. by Angrid Perez



- I have learned about pigs in reading this year. I liked going to art and PE at activity time. I liked reading about flowers, too. by Molly Hughes



- My favorite part about first grade was going to recess! I learned about dinosaurs and how to add. In research, we learned about different countries. by Ben Holton



- This year I have learned about animals that lay eggs. I learned how to read. My favorite books are about Pokemon. I liked to play at recess.

by Brandon Malcom



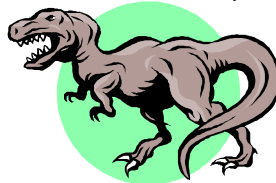
- I liked learning my math facts. I have learned a lot of phonics rules to help me sound out my words. I liked going to PE twice a week.
by Markus Moon



- I have learned my addition and subtraction facts this year. I liked learning about science. I liked getting to draw pictures.
by Kinleigh Widener



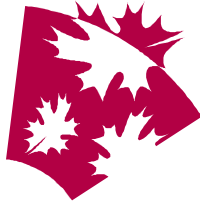
- I have learned about science connections. I learned about dinosaurs. I liked to read books about dinosaurs. by Owen McCallum



- I have learned how to add and subtract numbers in math this year. I have learned how to write sentences and stories. I liked going on field trips to see plays. by Jaden Jackson



- I have learned to read this year. I have learned about the four seasons. I liked going to the library to check out books.
by Avery Dixon



Reflections of First Grade in 1F Mrs. Dukes

I have learned what $200 + 200$ is. I learned about time. I know about globes. I learned letters and sounds. I spelled with letter tiles.

Gabriel Pace

I have learned about books and how to read books. I have learned to spell words. I have learned to be nice and no talking without permission.

Zakiyyah Keith

My favorite thing I did was to learn how to read so I can be smart when I get to second grade. I will be a smart girl.

Katie Swann

I have learned about dinosaurs. I liked learning about Ireland and leprechauns. I learned how to spell new words. I liked learning about pigs.

Kristen Franklin

I liked learning about spring. In spring, you can play with your kite and you can ride your bike.

Mathew Teuber

I learned how to count by 2's. I can count by 3's too. My favorite activity was art class. I liked my teacher too.

Lily Tucker

I learned about math and how to subtract. I liked to do the different subjects. I had fun in school.

Logan Eidell

I have learned a lot of stuff. I have learned to put a period at the end of a sentence. I liked learning about dinosaurs. It was so much fun to learn.

AnnElise Baxley

I learned about Ireland, St. Patrick's Day and leprechauns. I liked learning about time and how to count money.

Cyrus Brown

I have learned about math problems. I learned that $5 + 5 = 10$. I liked playing at recess. I liked taking tests and learning.

Rivers Boseman

I have learned to be a Star Dolphin and how to be kind to others. I liked learning about dinosaurs, pigs and leprechauns. I liked my classmates and Mrs. Dukes.

Taleyah Dunbar

I learned about the calendar. I learned about new sounds. I liked writing facts about dinosaurs.

Jadon Johnson

I learned about dinosaurs. I liked studying about spring. I liked first grade because I learned.

Brison Dixon

I learned how to read. I learned how to be quiet. My teacher read Wacky Wednesday. I liked when she read that at school. I liked first grade because it was fun.

Aniya Johnson

I learned a lot about math. I learned how to tell time, how to make patterns, and adding doubles.

Antonio Abrigo

Reflections of First Grade in 1H

By: Ms. Key and Ms. Lloyd's 2010 – 2011 First Grade Students

I learned how to measure things in math. I
learned how to spell some new words. I
liked to color in first grade. Alyssa
Braswell





I learned to subtract and add. I learned how to read. My favorite part of first grade was going to lunch to eat. Madison Baylee Burckhalter

It's fun to do math. It's fun to spell. I learned about baby otters. I liked coloring and drawing in first grade. Zoe Cooper



I learned how to answer math questions. I got to spell different types of words. I enjoyed going to this school because it was a big school. Hannah Cutshall

I learned how to read. I know how to do math. I liked riding the bus on field trips. - Emma Daniels





I learned how to read in first grade. First grade is fun. I like coloring and doing my journal. My favorite thing was recess so I could play on the swings, monkey bars, and slides. - Tracy Dixon

First grade is for big kids that don't act like two year olds. I liked going around the track outside. I learned how to do new things in math. I enjoyed doing work in first grade. - Irie Guglieri



First grade is so fun. I like having ice cream. The fun thing was reading in first grade. I liked reading in centers. - David Havasy



I liked math in first grade. I liked coloring pictures. I liked to learn in first grade. My favorite thing was wearing red and white during Dr. Seuss week. Chloe Holloway



We had a Valentine's Party where we got to decorate our own cupcake and cookies. We went to plays. I learned how to read very well. - Zakyus Holmes

In first grade you get to read. You go out the door to play and when you come back in and school is almost over sometimes you can have ice cream. I liked going to watch “The Nutcracker” - Darryl Lovett



I liked being in first grade. I liked watching “The Emperor’s New Clothes” show. I liked being in the one hundred book club. - Owen Newbegin

I liked going to centers in first grade. I learned how to subtract numbers. My favorite thing in first grade was making things like a dragon.
Bianca Pena



I wrote a pig story in first grade. I read books. I learned about sharing. My favorite thing was doing our journals everyday. - E.J. Sandstede

In first grade I liked centers. Mostly I liked the reading stations. I also like PE because I like to get exercise. I also liked AR. I learned a few new words to spell. - Bobby Shelton



I liked when we saw plays. I learned $100 + 100 = 200$. I liked reading from book baskets. My favorite thing in first grade was the Christmas party because we had cupcakes. - Allan Williams



Reflections of First Grade in 1G

Mrs. Leverett's Class 2010-2011



In first grade I liked to do math. I learned how to add and subtract. The 100th Day of school was fun!
Joshua Barksdale



I learned about being a STAR friend in class. I liked when we did Mountain Math. I liked when we did Research. Jacari Bowie

In first grade I learned how to read better. I liked doing AR and the Work Stations in first grade. We learned about electricity. We wrote things about electricity and did experiments. The Dr.Seuss Day was fun!
Caleb Durden

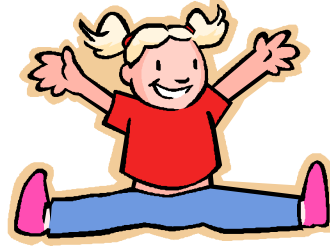


The first day of school and the 100th Day of school was fun. I learned about St. Patrick's Day and spring. I liked doing work stations and science. Aidan Gorrell

I liked when we made the turkey out of our hands. AR was fun! I learned about phonics and spelling. It is fun to learn to read in first grade. DaLee Gunter



In first grade I learned math. I liked to make friends. School is fun.
D'ashia Hood



In first grade I met new friends. I learned about spring and the wind. I learned about the world.
Courtanee Johnson



In first grade I read books. I like first grade. I wrote sentences at school. I like to read books.
Timothy Jones

In first grade I learned how to add 3 numbers and how to write better. I liked to read books in first grade. It was fun going to the Nutcracker Ballet.
Tiana Lee



In first grade I liked to do science projects and AR. I learned addition and subtraction. My favorite story was When the Dinosaurs Came Back. I liked to read at school.
Graham Morlan

In first grade I learned how to add three numbers. I liked research time. I liked reading and math. I liked weighing our potatoes.
Gavin Rutland



In first grade I liked to do science. I liked any kind of science. I learned to write and read better. Cooper Scroggs

In first grade I liked learning math. The 100th day of school was fun. I learned good manners and all about motion.
Hannah Washington



In first grade I met new friends. I learned how to read better. I liked Valentines because we made stuff. My favorite thing was a field trip. Scott White



Our Awesome 2B Class

Our awesome class did some special activities this year. We did some amazing class projects and experiments to learn. We made a booklet of our state symbols, and a graph of our favorite animal classifications. We also made an animal habitat immersion board, and an urban, suburban, and rural immersion board. We did fun science experiments with magnets, about matter, capacity, and with camouflage.

This year, we had some terrific parties. For our Christmas party we got goodie bags and Mrs. Patterson gave us some nice presents. At our Valentine party, we had some amazing activities and ate ice cream Sundays.

We had some cool class procedures. In the morning when we come into the class we greet Mrs. Patterson with a hug, handshake or high five. The mayor is someone who leads for the day. At the end of the day, people "on blue" go in the treasure box for stickers or treats. Town Hall is where you get to read books and share about yourself. In Town Hall, we also greet each other with a different language everyday.

On Fridays, we practice spelling with a game called Sparkle. We also had journal work, math games, and life skill posters.

Here are some awesome things we start new in second grade. We made paper dolls of ourselves to hang on the walls in the second grade pod. In second grade, we have an agenda to write our homework. You also learn the cursive alphabet, lower case and upper case.

We also had some fun assemblies, a litter puppet show, a Kimberly Clark

science show, and career day. When we did our mouse house project, we chose to do an inside or outside mouse house in a shoe box. Then we paraded around to look at them all in the second grade pod. All these fun things we learned made this year in second grade terrific!

*Our Super Year in Second Grade
By Kurilla's Clever Stars*

We have 20 Clever Stars in 2E. We love and support each other like a family. Sometimes we don't see eye to eye on things and have to work together to resolve our disagreements. There are two things that we especially love to do - that is to eat and socialize. Needless to say, we love snack and recess time. We also like to go to art because we love to make and create things. (Jaheem Miller)

A lot of class time was spent writing essays. We wrote about about our experiences in first grade. (Laura Bachelder) We wrote about animals, friends, how to do things, why we love our parents, and our future careers . We even wrote about how to do math problems. (Julia Osborn)

Math was one of our favorite subjects. I liked learning about measuring the area and perimeter of objects. (Gault Goldman) Knowing how to measure the perimeter is helpful when measuring a room or a yard for a fence. We learned to measure in inches, feet, yards, centimeters, and meters. (Rashad McCain, Zionn Lazoya) I learned how to count money so I can buy things. (Claudia Elvira) This helps us to know how much change we need to get back. (Brooke Jiunnies) We

learned about geometric objects and their faces, edges and vertices. (Shane Gaines) Regrouping two and three digit numbers was a little challenging, but fun. (D. J. Shearouse, Melissa Murph)

Reading is another subject that we loved. I loved reading and taking AR tests (Ashlynn Mikell, Laura Bachelder)

Almost all of our class met or exceeded their AR goal of 20 points with 80% accuracy. It's important to learn to read so that you can do well in other subjects. We read biographies, fiction, nonfiction, and fairy tales. A biography is a story about someone else's life. (Julia Osborn, Brooke Jiunnies) Nonfiction is about real things and facts. (Brooke Jiunnies, Laura Bachelder) Fairy tales are make - believe stories and usually start with - Once upon a time. (Paris Whitlock) We learned about facts and opinions. Facts can be proven and an opinion is what someone thinks. (Kendra Sterling) We practiced our spelling and vocabulary words by playing games on the SMART board, making cards, writing vowel fractions and word ladders. (Alexis Meriweather) We learned to write in cursive. (Ashlynn Mikell)

We learned many new things in Science also. We learned that magnets attract and repel. (Paris Whitlock) Magnets are used everyday for things like hanging papers on our refrigerator and for latches on our cabinet doors. (Rebekah Young) We studied about the life cycles of animals and their habitats. Vicki Graf, a meteorologist from channel 12 came to talk to us about different types of weather. (Anthony Colafrancesco) We learned about the water cycle and that it starts with precipitation. We learned that the three states of matter are liquids, gases, and solids. (Shane Gaines) We got to be scientist and wear lab coats at Science Olympiad night. We made slime and had our pictures in the Star Newspaper. (Melissa Murph, Brooke Jiunnies, Paris Whitlock)

In Social Studies we studied about rural, suburb, and urban communities. We also learned about famous people and their contributions to our country. We learned about Rosa Parks, Ruby Bridges, Abraham Lincoln, and Harriet Tubman. (Trevin Ramos, Gault Goldman, Zionn Lazoya) I learned that Martin Luther King worked for equal rights for everyone. (Jaquay Washington)

This has been a wonderful year at N. A. E. (Melissa Murph) Second grade was awesome because I met new friends and got to go on field trips. (Anthony Colafrancesco, Kendra Sterling).

This has been a busy year and we have worked very hard. 2E'S Clever Stars is an awesome group of children and I have enjoyed teaching and getting to know each one of them. I hope that each of you have a wonderful summer! Remember to continue **READING** and practicing those math facts !! (Mrs. Kurilla)

Reflections of Second Grade in 2F

By: Mrs. O'Kelley's 2010--2011 Second Grade Students

I liked when we had the Valentine Party. It was fun. The Character Parade was fun, too. –Stephon Morris

I learned a lot in 2nd grade. I like learning cursive writing. I loved going to the plays at the Imperial Theater.—Joshua Lincoln

I like PE, because we play fun games. I like music, because we learn about new instruments. I like art, because we paint and make cool things.—Marquelle Walker

In Reading I learned how to read harder stories. In Math I learned how to tell time. In writing I learned how to write in cursive.—Savannah Padgett

I liked the parties we had, because we had cupcakes and ice cream. I liked to play at recess, because I get to play with my friends. I liked Art, because I like drawing and writing.—Tristan Shell

In Art we did a really cool cave art to take home. At the playground you get to play a lot to get exercise. At Music you learn about instruments around the world. It's fun!—Keshaun Johnson

My class learned about penguins. We learned about each other. We had Pajama Day.—Winter Appleton

I remember we had a field trip at the imperial Theater. We got to go upstairs. It was fun. We had a Christmas party and got to make a Christmas tree out of candy.—Shae Smith

I remember that we had a lot of fun at school learning things. My favorite thing to do was Math or Reading. I liked learning from Mrs. O'Kelly, because she is a very nice teacher.—Jude Walker

We learned about jellyfish, because it was one of our stories. I loved the Christmas party we had. I loved recess because we get to play and talk.—Emanuel Obie'-Latterell

I loved our Christmas party. We had our face painted. It was so much fun!—Emma Leopard

The field trip to the Imperial Theater was the best ever. It was fun. We all had a good time.—Jermaine Moment

I liked our field trip to the theater. It was fun. I also liked playing the Math games. I like PE because I like to play and work out.—Zallen Robinson

I like to go to recess with my friends. I like Art because we make rafts. I like Library, because I like to check out animal books.—Carson Jones

I remember that we had a fun Christmas party. We got to make a Christmas tree. It was fun.—Alayna Chambers

I like PE. It is fun. I also like dong Science and homework.—John Savage

I love Second grade. We did great field trips. I like our recess.—Adam Kitchens

I love school. We learned about our community. I loved Cat in the Hat week. The “Litter Trashes Everyone” program was great!—Bryson Holton

I like going to PE. It was fun. I also like lunch time.—Ayden McCoy

I like playing at recess with my friends. I liked learning to read better and learning cursive writing.—Via Johnson

Our Awesome Year in 2G!

Mrs. Macri 2010 - 2011

We have had an awesome year in 2G this year. We have 20 students that all do an amazing job each day. They are going to tell you what they have learned in each subject and our school activities. I am so proud of each and every one of my students this year. Have a safe and fun summer!

Much Love,
Mrs. Macri

MATH – *by: Leyton Watson, Jayla Williams, and Linda Zhang*

We have learned about shapes, addition and subtracting, weight and mass, measurement and capacity, graphing, fact families, time, and multiplication facts.

READING – *by: Jackson Bradsher, Jake Grabowskii, and Mark Gibbs*

We have done Book It!, Six Flags Reading Club, 100 Book Club, and Greenjackets Reading program. We have also learned how to take AR tests and completed MAP testing 3 times this year. We go to Study Island and use the SmartBoard to learn cursive handwriting. We do fun activities with our vocabulary words and Spelling words each week. We have used Time For Kids and learned how to use the dictionary. We have made posters with what skills we have learned each week and hung them in our classroom. Finally, we have learning centers that we get to use each day after morning work. We do a lot of reading in 2G.

LANGUAGE ARTS and WRITING – *by: Cody Hale, Asia Holloway, Taylor Hawes, and Maggie Huskey*

Some of the writing topics we have covered this year are: How to Take Care of my Teeth, Jellyfish writing, Snowman writing, All About Me, President's Day, Valentines Day, My Favorite Food, Animal Habitats, Famous Americans, and Earth Day writing. We have also learned how to write letters and we send them in the Dolphin Delivery each week. We learned about Black History Month in February and wrote about a famous African American. We write in our learning centers too. Finally, we learned the parts of a paragraph and different kinds of writing like invitations and biographies. We write a paragraph every week.

SOCIAL STUDIES – *by: Charlotte Kalbskopf, Micah Jackson, Cristian Linares*

We have learned about our country, our presidents, our family history, our state and town, cultures, and history of the United States in S.S. this year. We also studied Black History month and about Native Americans in S.S. this year. Finally, we studied different types of maps and how to use them. We have learned a lot about our history and where we live in Social Studies.

SCIENCE and HEALTH – *by: Blayne Lynch, LeVonne Robinson, and Matthew Price*

We have learned about weather, our Earth, habitats, animals, jellyfish, the Water Cycle, magnets, gravity, plants, and different regions in our world. We also had a Science Olympiad night and will have Math and Science Day in April. We have done a lot of Science experiments and activities in 2G this year. We liked the animal unit the best. Science was a lot of fun this year.

FIELD TRIPS and SCHOOL ACTIVITIES – *by: Marshall Robinson, Mary Strauss, and Emily Swetman*

We have been on 3 field trips to the Imperial Theatre to see live plays. We have a lot of activities at school too. They are: Runner's Club, Father/Daughter Dance, talent show, North Augusta Idol, carnival, Litter Trashes Everyone program, Career Day, International Day, Dental Health month with a visit from a local dentist, Class Picture Day, Book Parade, Study Island, Chorus program at PTO meeting, Guidance, class parties, Math/Science Day, Science Olympiad, Kimberly Clark presenters, Book Club, AR tests, 100 Book Club, Greenjackets reading program and game night. We are very busy here at NAE.

In conclusion, as you can see we have learned and participated in a lot this school year in 2G. I have enjoyed every minute of it. I will miss my class very much next year. Good luck in Third Grade!

Mrs. Macri ☺

Wow! What a great school year!

Written By: Mrs Stroud's 2nd Grade Class

We have 20 students in our class. We get along very well with one another, but sometimes we like to talk too much. Our class especially enjoys eating. We love snack time and lunch. (Grant Brown) At recess we like to race around the track, and play on the swings. When it rains outside, we like to play war with the playing cards. (Grayson Bridgers)

This year in 2nd grade we have learned so much. In math we have learned all about geometric shapes and how they can be moved. We learned how to count the faces, vertices, and edges of a geometric figure. (Rockwell Elser) We learned about lines of symmetry and congruent shapes. Congruent shapes are the same shape and size. (Victor Brenes) We have learned how to measure objects in centimeters, inches, feet, yards, and meters. We talked about capacity, weight, and the mass of an object. (David Altman) We learned how to find the perimeter of shapes. It is important to know how to find the perimeter when you are building a fence. (Payne Whitlock and Makayla Metcalf) We

spent a lot of time on regrouping and borrowing with two digit numbers. It took lots of practice, but we finally got it! (Khalil Henderson, Tyler Clark, and Emily Jones) We are learning about fractions, and how things can be divided into equal parts. (Grayson Bridgers) We now realize it is important to learn how to count money. When we go to the grocery store, we need to know how much change we should get back, and how much money we will need to purchase something that we want. (Ivan Hernandez)

We have been busy reading all school year. We love to read and take AR test. (Rennie Chavis) Reading is important so that you can make good grades. (Carmen Johnson) If you read every day, you will grow up and be a good reader. (Rockwell Elser) We have learned how to decode hard words, look for context clues to help us understand what we are reading, and how to improve our spelling and vocabulary. (Victor Brenes) We know the difference between fact and opinion. It is a fact that we go to school. It is my opinion that school is cool! (Ashlee Perry) We have read lots of fiction and nonfiction reading selections. A fiction story is made up and a nonfiction story is about something that is true. (Alaysha Vaughan) We love reading Junie B Jones books. Our class enjoys reading them out loud together with our teacher. (Madalyn Davis)

We have learned all about animals in science. We know that horses are mammals. Mammals have fur or hair, feed their babies milk, and they are warm blooded. (Savannah Moon) We have studied the three states of matter. They are solids, liquids, and gasses. Ice is a solid, but when it melts, it becomes a liquid. If you heat it up it can change to a gas. (Payne Whitlock) We have learned about weather and the different types of clouds. The water cycle repeats itself over and over. Water evaporates, condensates, and precipitates. Precipitation can fall from the sky in the form of rain, sleet, hail, or snow. (Ava Grier)

This has been a very busy school year. We are preparing to take our final MAP tests. We have been studying really hard. We are looking forward to spring break! (Myles Puckett) Summer is almost here. We have had a great time this school year. We are excited about going to the 3rd grade. (Makayla Metcalf) We wish everyone a happy and safe summer! Don't forget to READ, READ, READ!!!!!! (Ryan Dixon)

I have enjoyed this class so much! They are a great group of kids! (Mrs. Stroud)

We Made It !!

Written By: Mrs. Hughes 2nd Grade Class

Remember when we were just beginning. We all came into an empty classroom. We were not sure whether our class would be a class or not. Since then, we have become one big happy family. We have had friends come and go all year. We have welcomed new friends to our class and said goodbye to many old ones. We also added many personal touches to our classroom walls to make it a home for us. We have come a long way since August.

In math we learned many second grade standards. Lately, we learned about length and capacity. We learned about a gram and a kilogram. (Kaylen Allison) We learned how to weigh stuff and about weighing water. (Cierra Aldrich) I learned about weighing things. I learned that the tape dispenser is about one pound. In math, we learned the sum and the difference. But my favorite part about math is adding. (Brent Ferron) We learned about

counting vertices. We learned to count how many vertices each shape had. (Troy Barnes)
We learned a lot of things in math. We learned about shapes. (Michelle Furmage)

Reading has been fun this year. I love reading. I love reading because we learn about exciting and interesting new things. (Camrey Holley) I learned that when you are stuck on a word, sound it out. I also learned about quotation marks. (Caleb Miller) I love reading. We learned about ships. We also learned about true and false stuff. I read all the time. (Lily Garner) Reading is fun. We read cool books and learn cool things. (Abby Mays) I learned that if you do not know a word, keep reading over the sentences, then you can figure the word out. If you don't know a word just sound it out. (Sheilae Joseph) We learned about quotation marks. We learned about pronouns. (Jayla Jarrett) I read Lemonade for Sell. I also read, The Old Gollywompus. (Nathaniel Keoboupha)

Health was fun to study and it helped us to stay healthy. I learned to wash my hands after I blow my nose. (Markayla Noble) Health was awesome because I learned what to eat to keep my teeth and my body healthy. (Tiara Missey) We learned about head lice in health. We also learned about product labels and ads. (Hunter Morris) Something I learned in health is that some labels can trick you. Read the labels in toothpaste and soap before you buy it. (Madison Usry) I learned that after your baby teeth fall out, your adult teeth grow. Your body also grows when you eat healthy. (Sabrina Walker) I learned that when your baby teeth fall out, your permanent teeth will grow in. I also learned not to smoke because it is bad for your lungs. (Myles Price)

After hearing about our year, one can see that we have been busy. We are excited that Spring Break will be here soon and then only a couple of weeks until summer. We are looking forward to learning more when we enter third grade. I love each of these children and wish them the best of luck in third grade. (Mrs. Hughes)

Ms. Greene's Class Funnies

Alex Ramirez on trying to write a sentence with the spelling word
"recall". He wrote, "I can recall my stuff."

Katherine Dunaway wanted to wad up paper daily and toss it at
Alex Ramirez because he never stopped talking.

Michael McGee and Lou Ciamillo wanting to know if they could
have a cookie for everything they did in class.

Stephen Phillips telling the lady at the Ruth Patrick Science Center that we never look at graphs in class. (We look at them every day.)

Kelsey Toole giving a non-sensical answer and her nick name became “Our GT Princess.”

Elijah McKie always having an answer for everything. He became our “Peanut Gallery”.

Anthony Cash becoming our very own “Big Anthony” from out of Strega Nona.

Mrs. Reese calling Alex Ramirez “Alexyss Ramirez”. It took a long time for him to live that down!

Alexyss Poole answering the question “What is the name for shallow water created by sandbars?” Her answer: Horseshoe crap. Evan Newbegin came up with the same answer. He sits behind Alexyss.

Devario Hankins discovered a dirty sock in the hallway and announced it as if he had found an alien life form.

Kamora Johnson always announcing out loud her intentions in the bathroom.

Michael McGee keeps telling Alex Ramirez that he can have a talk with Katherine Dunaway silently.

Our class has learned so much this year. From South Carolina Standards to life lessons, we have learned a lot about each other and ourselves. We’ve learned our multiplication. (Abby Ashe) We have learned about singular and plural nouns. (Kelsey Toole) Ms. Greene has taught us a lot about the Civil War and stuff. (Kamora Johnson) We have learned how to regroup. (Michael VanMater)

She has taught us the states of matter, the solids, liquids, and gases.

(Katherine Dunaway) We have learned much about landforms.

(Tommy Lloyd) We have learned a ton about grammar and punctuation. (Alex Ramirez) We have learned how to correct sentences on our DOL's. (Alexyss Poole) Ms. Greene has taught us

about graphing. (Daniela Elvira) Our class received many, many compliments. (Stephen Phillips) Our South Carolina regions were

fun to learn. (Devario Hankins) Ms. Greene taught us how to stop talking. Well, most of us. (Brianna Taylor) We learned math

measurement. (DaVera Cartledge) We know how to find common and proper nouns. (Evan Newbegin) We learned how to round up

and round down. (Rusty Williams) We know how to summarize our reading. (Michael McGee) We have learned our plant life

cycles. (Brianna Valentine) We improved our reading comprehension. (Jamal Holloway) We learned how to draw.

(Anthony Cash)

Through the year we have learned test taking skills and many tricks to taking tests. We hope the lessons learned will follow us throughout our school lives.

"What a Year in 3-D!"



This year in third grade, I love that I have learned many things and that I was able to visit The Ruth Patrick Science Center. I will miss Mrs. Spires. Being in third grade was fun!

By: Zion Aaron

In third grade I learned many things. One thing that I learned in third grade was multiplication. A second thing was I learned about important people like Hernando De Soto, Jean Ribault, Juan Pardo, and Andrew Pickens. In Science my favorite learning was about rocks and minerals. I liked it all in

In third grade I learned a lot. Some things I didn't know was my multiplication facts and stuff about rocks and minerals. My favorite thing was when the artist came to our school and Driver Dave. I am going to miss our wonderful, spectacular, exciting, cheerful, funny, kind, sweet teacher, Mrs. Spires and not having a lot of homework.

By: Blake Shealy

I did so many things in third grade this year, my head is about to explode! My most favorite thing is having memories about my friends. I learned about yeoman farmers and farmers that had small amounts of land for themselves. I will miss third grade because of the great stories. We read, Because of Winn Dixie and Shiloh. I will miss having almost no homework, and the loving Mrs. Spires.

By: Kathrine Boone

I learned a lot in third grade. Two things that I learned about were rocks and minerals. My favorite times were when Mrs. Spires read Shiloh and Because of Winn Dixie.

I will miss Mrs. Spires in third grade!

By: Dakota Vincent

My favorite thing about third grade has been multiplication. I have learned my tables all the way through 11. I only have the twelve table to go! My best memory of third grade was when we went to Ruth Patrick Science Center because we learned about minerals. I will miss many things about third grade, but most of all my teacher!

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I learned math and reading. I learned about science and I played and learned to paint in art class.

By: Ezekiel Boyd

My favorite things in third grade are Math, growing plants from beans, field trips, and all of my friends! My favorite thing about Math is adding and multiplying. My favorite thing about growing plants from beans is getting to see them every day to see how much they are growing. My favorite

My favorite things in third grade are Science, Social Studies, and Reading. I have over 71 AR points! In class, we learned about Indians that lived in South Carolina many years ago. I loved Science because we learned about cool stuff!

By: Ariana Hill-Jenkins

My favorite thing that I learned was my multiplication tables. My favorite thing that I knew about already was how to grow a plant from a bean. I will miss my favorite teacher, Mrs. Spires.

By: Aurora Pool

The most favorite thing that I learned in third grade was facts about the American Revolution. The most fun I had all year was learning about rocks and minerals. I loved being able to see Diamond Dell. The best memory from third grade that I will have is learning my multiplication tables 0-12!

By: Olivia G

You should be glad to be going to the third grade, second graders! You will learn multiplication tables 0-12. I will miss my friends and my favorite teacher. We learned how to grow a plant from a bean. You will love third grade!

By: Dawson Gallegos

Year



This year has been remarkable! My kids in 3-D are the smartest kids in the world. If you have a question about anything in third grade Math, Science, Social Studies, Reading, Writing, Spelling, or English just ask: Zion, Kathrine, Ezekiel, Myles, Melena, Kaden, Jasmine, Dawson, Olivia, Reese, Joshua, Ariana, Mearia, Izzy, Brooke, Melik, Aurora, Letrell, Blake, or Dakota. We also had two very smart kids that moved away – so if you see Antonio Usry or Tyler Street, they were a part of our family too! We are proud of what we have done this year and we are all shining stars! I will miss you 3-D and I love you all!

By: Mrs. Spires

My favorite thing about third grade is Math. I learned my multiplication tables because we got to listen to multiplication rap! I didn't know that Indians lived right here in South Carolina! I liked it when we went to the Diamond Dell truck to learn about rocks and minerals. I learned that the whiter rocks that float are called Pumas! I also liked going to the Ruth Patrick Science Center and I learned that my birthstone is EMERALD! One of my favorite memories was when we got on the 18 wheeler and go to blow the horn. It was AWESOME! My class has fun with snack, silent reading, and especially recess. The things that I won't let go from third grade are my sweet teacher, my friends, and my good grades. I love third grade!
 By: Israel Moody

My favorite things in third grade are the classes, math, reading, science, social studies, and most of all the teachers. The new thing that I learned in third grade was in 1910 there were 167 mills, a polygon has all straight sides and it is closed, and my times tables. The things that I am going to miss are my class, how easy the work and homework was, and most of all, well you know what I am going to miss most of all – YOUR RIGHT – My teacher!

By: Joshua Greene

This year I learned when S.C. became a state. I learned that during the Civil War there was cotton mills and the kids worked at age 8 or 9. Sometimes the children would fall asleep and get hurt. I will miss my teacher and not having a lot of homework.

By: Mearia Killings

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My favorite things in third grade are Science, Social Studies, and Reading. I have over 71 AR points! I wish third grade would never end! I hope to come back and visit some time. I will remember the third grade rooms being cold. I will miss our homework being quick. I loved Science because we learned about cool stuff! I will miss my lunch time at 11:13

By: Jasmine Ellison-Pope
By: Letrell Robinson

My favorite thing in third grade is learning. A new thing that I learned in third grade was information about other countries. I also learned to be proud of people. I will miss playing with my friends and running around the track and my teacher.

By: Melik Parker

My favorite thing in third grade is having the nicest teacher in third grade, Mrs. Spires. A new thing I learned is multiplication. One thing that I already knew before third grade was information about rocks and minerals. A few things that I will miss are Mrs. Spires, reading the book Shiloh, and my class.

By: Kaden Doom

My favorite thing about third grade is when we talked about the Civil War. The new thing that I learned was multiplying. The thing that I will miss about third grade is especially my teacher.

By: Myles Cooper

Johannsen's Clever Campers
Written By: Mrs. Johannsen's 3rd Grade Class

We have 21 students in our class. Sometimes our class can be talkative, but we are very kind. We always bring things to share with each other, especially for snack. As a class, we do well at getting along and playing together. At recess, we like to play soccer, kick the ball, tag and dodgeball. Our class is smart because we like to read and learn. We always try our best, especially when we are taking important tests. Our class has learned to never give up. (Omarion Byrd)

This year in third grade we have had a lot of fun learning from others. Driver Dave travels around the United States moving furniture. He sends souvenirs to the third grade from different places like New York, Chicago, Oregon, Boston and St. Louis. He has taught us about our country. The 3rd grade also got to meet the illustrator of The Library Dragon Michael P. White. He taught us how to draw silly pictures like "Hot Wings" and "Justin Beaver." He told us to always do our best and that if we mess up we should keep going and never give up. Diamond Dell is another person that came to visit 3rd grade. He helped us learn more about rocks and minerals. We were able to mine for minerals on the back of his trailer. On International Day, the third grade learned about the continent of Australia. Australia is one of the 7 continents known as the "Land Down Under." Some of the animals that live in Australia are kangaroos, duckbill platypus, emus, and alligators. The musical instrument that is popular there is the didgeridoo. The third grade also got to make paper with guests from Kimberly Clark. We were all able to help turn pulp into paper with glitter. Making paper was fun and we were able to take some home. We have already learned a lot in 3rd grade. (Omarion Byrd, Taylor Darville, Iris Nichols, and Lesia Dover)

Third grade Math is hard because we have to learn so much. We have learned that there are 6 types of triangles. There is an acute triangle which means all 3 angles are less than 90 degrees. An obtuse triangle has one angle that is greater than 90 degrees. A right triangle has 1 angle that is exactly 90 degrees. The 3 other triangles are equilateral, isosceles, and scalene. We have also learned our multiplication facts 0 - 12. We have learned about writing a rule for patterns to figure out the next numbers. We have learned that fractions are parts of a whole or part of a set. We have also learned a lot of geometry

and 3D shapes. To help us with Math, we go to Study Island and we do Mountain Math. (Kenneth Baker, Ashley Herrington, Tionah Foulks, Zhyne Ellison, Aaliyah Martin)

Our class loves Reading! We loved reading the book Because of Winn-Dixie and wrote letters to the author, Kate DiCamillo. The book taught us that we should not judge others by their mistakes. Our class loves having silent reading everyday. We can not get up during silent reading because our teacher rolls around to listen to us read. Because we do really well in reading almost everyone has met their Accelerated Reader goal of 40 points and 80% accuracy and will be able to go to the AR party. Together our class has 1,175 points with 87% accuracy. Our class also likes to read nonfiction books. We have read books about slavery, rocks and minerals, sharks, tigers, and other animals. Our favorite books are from the Boys Start the War series. In Reading we also get to do centers. Our favorite center is Buddy Reading which helps us read with expression. We also go to Fact and Opinion center where we read and write facts in our own words. We also love Written Communication center because we read poems and discuss them by writing back and forth in our Literacy Lake journals. (Zhyne Ellison, Ashley Herrington, Aaliyah Martin, Tionah Foulks, JahLil Dorsey, Steven Ramirez, Jamie Reyes, Rebecca O'Neal, Trey Matthews, Jack Ellefson, Haley Fox, Margaret Ann Tucker, Anthony Herrin)

In 3rd grade, we learn South Carolina History. Our favorite part of South Carolina History was learning about 3 of the Indian tribes in South Carolina: the Cherokee, Catawba, and Yemassee. The Cherokee settled in the northwestern area of the state. Sequoyah was a famous leader of the Cherokee tribe. The Cherokee had leaders called chiefs. The village council was more powerful than the chief. The Catawba settled in the northeastern

area of the state and were known for their pottery skills. Hagler was a peace making leader who led the Catawba. The Yemassee settled in the southern part of the state. One of our projects for South Carolina History was making map to show the location of the Indian tribes and what they were known for. (Ethan Dixon and Chase Bennett)

In Science, we have learned about rocks and minerals and solids, liquids and gases. We learned how the molecules are different in all states of matter. We have also learned about forces and motion. We did an experiment to show how force makes an object move different distances. Now, we are learning about sound and how to change the pitch and volume of sound. We are making musical instruments to show what we have learned. (Rebecca, O'Neal, Jack Ellefson, Trey Matthews, Parker Spires)

As you can see this class has been busy learning throughout this school year. We can't believe it is already the end of the 3rd 9 weeks and the PASS test is almost here! We will do our best to prove to others that we have worked hard this year!

3G is Loads of Fun!
Ms. Blackwell – 2010-2011

We are the best class in the third grade, or at least that is what I tell them. We have 21 bright students who have great personalities. Their likes and dislikes are not always the same, but what they can agree upon is food. My class loves to eat! They even count down the time until we go to lunch everyday. Boy they were put with the right teacher! As you read on, many of our activities throughout the year have centered around food, but when students are learning, everybody wins.

This school year, our class learned so much from South Carolina History to Mathematics and everything in between. Here are just a few activities that students have enjoyed and yes, some pertain to food. Students worked in groups and shared their thoughts about their favorite activities in each subject.

We have learned Reading skills by integrating with South Carolina History in 3G! We learned about the major Native American tribes in South Carolina, the Cherokee, Catawba, and the Yemassee. These tribes all had different lifestyles, but they all used rivers for transportation and in their everyday life. We created maps to show where each tribe lived. (Amy Reyes) Another thing we learned was the Civil War. The North was against slavery, while the South was for slavery. I learned so much about slavery. (Lyndon Crews) When the war was over, the North won! After the war, there was no more slavery, but blacks were still treated unfairly by laws called Jim Crow Laws which segregated blacks and whites. (Caroline O'Neal) During the Civil War, we learned about the H.L. Hunley. It was a submarine that the South used to break through the Blockade that took place in the Charleston Harbor. (Brayan Cabrera) Our government was another thing we learned; there are three branches in our national government. We made a book that showed the three branches of government and wrote facts about what each branch did. It was very interesting! (William

McGee) We also learned about how slaves escaped to freedom. It was called the Underground Railroad. It was not a real railroad though. They were also taught a song called, "The Drinking Gourd." (Trez Aldrich) We went on a fieldtrip to the Ruth Patrick Center that also showed us how they followed the North Star. We learned about

the Great Depression. It was a sad time when no one had jobs or money to buy food. (Tyler Holley)

We learned so much in Math! I have enjoyed everything in Math this year. (Emmie Matthews) Masters of Multiplication was challenging, but we learned our multiplication facts in a "timely" way. We were timed on each fact and if you made a 100, you were able to build an ice cream sundae on our bulletin board. After we were tested on all of the facts, we actually built a real ice cream sundae. (Tasia Wheeler) When building our sundaes, we could only get what you earned. We also used Math Centers that helped us practice our Multiplication facts. My favorite math center was Multiplication War. (Duan Drummings) We learned what if we know our multiplication facts we should also know how to divide. Division is what I enjoyed the most.

(Quinton Tillman) We took surveys by polling the class and used the information to make different types of graphs. (Rebeccah Ogbuefi) I enjoyed polling the class because we were able to see what their favorite things were. (Naomi Owusu) We built a Gallon man to show gallons, quarts, pints, and cups. I really enjoyed building our Gallonman. (Jacob Smith)

Science was a blast with hands on learning. This year, I enjoyed learning about Plant Life Cycles because we planted lima bean seeds and watched them grow. (Hannah Noonan) I enjoyed learning about animal life cycles because I enjoy animals. (Garrett Brandt) I enjoyed learning about solids, liquids, and gases because we sang songs about matter. (Justin Ellison-Pope) Learning about sounds was the best part. I learned that sound has various pitches and travels through vibrations. (Chase Chiswell) I enjoyed learning about rocks and minerals. We had a fieldtrip with Diamond Dave where we were able to pan for minerals. (Patrick Malcom) We experimented with semi-sweet chocolate chips and melted

them just to watch them cool on wax paper. It was like watching lava cool like an Igneous Rock would do. (Noah Barnett) I learned all the layers in the soil. We built the layers of soil by using food to represent each layer of soil. (Jessica Johnson)

It has been a great year in third grade!



Hook's Highlights of the 2010-2011 School Year!

As our school year began, so did our family. We all came together like we had known each other for years. We enjoyed learning our "Family Promise" and reciting it each morning. It really did help us to prepare for our exciting days filled with learning!

*Each day I'll do my very best,
My work will always please me,*

*And I won't accept a mess.
I'll work so very carefully,
My writing will be neat,
And I simply will not be happy
'Til my work is all complete.
I'll always do my homework
And I'll try on every test,
And I won't forget my promise...
TO DO MY VERY BEST!!!!*

One of our most favorite parts of our day was reading and math stations. Mrs. Brown-Hooks would gather us around for our "Morning Meeting." She would write all of us a letter and we would need to find all of the mistakes. That was really fun! After that, we would have a read aloud about our skill of the day. We would then have our shared reading time. We liked that best because we all read together. Finally, we were able to go to stations. Our favorite part was being able to learn while having fun at the very same time. When the timer went off, we knew we needed to clean up and meet in our "family room" so we could share our evidence.

We also enjoyed all of our writing topics. We wrote all of the time! We took notes in all of our subjects. We created stories and poems too! For those that have not been in our class----we also must write and speak all of our answers in COMPLETE SENTENCES!

Math was not one of Mrs. Brown-Hooks's favorite subjects, but she hid it well. Our favorite math activity (besides stations and Mountain Math) was our "Multiplication Challenge." We had to try to beat her when answering twenty-five multiplication facts! Well, so far, Ruth and Logan S. were the only ones to beat Mrs. Brown-Hooks! Go Ruth and Logan S.!!

Our field trips were amazing! Diamond Dell was voted our best trip. We got to go to his truck and pan for gems and rocks! It made learning about rocks and minerals a blast. We also went to Ruth Patrick Science Center. We enjoyed the graphing lessons and the planetarium. We each got to make our own piece of paper because

Kimberly Clark came to the school. Because SC History was one of our favorite subjects, two of Mrs. Brown-Hooks's friends came to our school to talk to us about the history of Aiken County and invited us to go to the Aiken County Historical Museum. We went back in time! Our field trips were amazing!

We especially liked that Mrs. Brown-Hooks gave a "Golden Apple" award each month to two students that worked diligently, not only on their school work, but on friendships as well. We got a special golden apple that used to be her grandma's (her favorite person in the whole wide world!) and a certificate.

We learned a great deal this year! Mrs. Brown-Hooks made learning fun. Sometimes concepts were difficult, but we all studied hard to make the grade! We also made long-lasting friendships. It is sad to see this year come to an end, but we know that we will always remember third grade!

Reflections of a Super School Year
4A – Mrs. Burket

The students in Mrs. Burket's room had a very exciting year. They were a single-gender class, which means only girls were in it. They dressed up as characters from Mr. Popper's Penguins for the school Character Parade, went on many exciting field trips, and learned many new and interesting things. They read many books and played games. Below, the students will share some of their favorite memories.

My favorite thing was eating cupcakes for Brooke's birthday. – Kayden Jackson

My favorite time this year was when I met my teacher, Mrs. Burket. – Darnai Williams

I liked Math and Science Day because we got to do cool things like dissect owl pellets. – Chloe McCallum

My favorite thing this year was when we learned about the five “civilized tribes” and the science of the rainbow. – Selena Gallegos

My class is great! I have 24 friends. I wish they could be my sisters! -- Hannah Hunt

My favorite part of the school year was the Character Parade when we dressed up as Mr. Popper’s Penguins. -- Taryn Vazquez

My favorite moment of the school year was Math and Science day because we learned a lot of things. – Nastasjia Barrino

The thing that I liked the most was making the Liberty Character Portraits. I like them because they helped me study. -- Brooke Couture

The best thing was the field trips we took. – Erica Mathis

My favorite thing was watching the fables. Also something I will never forget was doing Character Portraits. -- Rylee Knox

It was awesome when we did “Vocabulary Theatre!” -- Fantashia Lyons

The funniest thing was the Character Parade because we walked down the hall as penguins! -- Melinda Elser

I liked doing the moon phases activity because we got to eat Oreos! -- Kiara Gilchrist

I liked watching things on the smart board and doing “Vocabulary Theatre.” -- LaTia Hankins

I’m going to remember having a great and funny teacher, Mrs. Burket. -- Alyssa Britt

One time we performed a drama and one of the characters said, “You better believe it baby!” I laughed so hard it hurt! – Bailey Bolton

My favorite moment was doing Character Portraits. – Jenny Pawlowski

My favorite part of the year is when we do dances. – Valerie Richardson

One of the best things we did this year was learn about Harriet Tubman. – Allie Crawley

My teachers were important. -- MaKayla Bennett

In 4A we got to learn about the Civil War and we got to switch classes. – Nia Graham

My favorite thing was learning about the Zebulon Pike Expedition. – Ty”Keila Snelling

The best thing about this school year was being in a class with my friends. – Audrey Bridges

Reflections of a Super School Year
4D – Mrs. Hein-Bodiford's

The students in Mrs. Hein-Bodiford's class did a lot of interesting things this year. They worked hard learning difficult skills, but also had a lot of fun. They went on field trips to the Ruth Patrick Science Center and the Living History Park. They dressed as characters from the book The Chicken Doesn't Skate for the Character Parade. They made many friends and learned many new things. Below, they will tell you some of their favorite moments.

One thing I learned this year is quadrilaterals. A quadrilateral is a shape with four sides. Mrs. Hein-Bodiford taught me about them. -- Jalen Hallums

I like it when Mrs. Hein-Bodiford teaches math. -- Patrick Stern

One fun time this year was our first field trip at the Ruth Patrick Science Center. – Savannah Taylor

My funniest moment was when Venus dressed up like a chicken for the Character Parade. – Emmalee Cooper

My best moment was when I got my first A honor roll. I liked it when I went up on stage. Most of all, I made my parents happy. -- Asa Holland

My favorite school memory was doing circuits in science class. It was really funny. – Raven Flicek

I really remember Math and Science Day and touching the owl pellets. – Katie Smith

My favorite thing was Math and Science Day. – Tara Arnold

I liked learning about light in science class. – Haley Madden

My favorite funniest moment was when Venus was a chicken in the school Character Parade. – Charity Taylor

I loved seeing old friends and new friends. – Shelby Cousino

My funniest moment was telling jokes with my friends. – Dorien Cobb

My funniest moment was playing on the monkey bars with my friends. – Carmen Jury

My funniest moment was when I was a nerd for the costume party. It was fun but embarrassing. – Blake Turner

I liked playing soccer at recess. – Daniel Brito

My favorite moment was playing dodge ball with everyone. – Erick Cabrera

My favorite memory was when we had the class Christmas Party. – Courtney Bolton

My funniest moment was when I tripped and did a split. – Jaron Mabry

My funniest moment was when I fell asleep after the PASS test. – Gini Queen

My funniest moment was when I got to be the chicken for the school Character Parade. It was a really fun moment and a cool experience. – Venus Walker

My best class moment was really funny. It was when my friend was a chicken in the school Character Parade. -- Taylin Jarrett

Meyer and Spieker's Family Huddle
What a Fabulous Year!
Written by 4B & 4F
Mrs. Speiker and Mrs. Meyer

In 4th grade I learned a lot of new things that were fun and interesting! One of the funniest moments to me was when my classmate came with his ventriloquist doll. He was hilarious. (Taylor Adams)

My favorite memory in fourth grade was when I got to play the drums in the talent show. I loved it when Mrs. Meyer read *Family Huddle*. I loved playing kickball with Mrs. Spieker. (Briggs Ballard)

I like to go to different activities and learn all subjects. I like 4th grade because I can talk with my friends. I also liked to go outside at recess and play kickball. I love 4th grade. (Erin Andrews)

I like the 4th grade. I have fun in the 4th grade. The teachers are cool. (Brycen Bessey)

I like fourth grade because I got to eat ice-cream. The funniest time was when Darrius kicked a foul ball and someone caught it. I ended up being out. My favorite time is when we went on a field trip to Ruth Patrick and learned about electricity. (Lane Beam)

My favorite memory in the 4th grade was when I was playing dodgeball and I was the only one left on my team. There were two people left on the other team and I got them both out. The funniest memory was when I was playing kickball. I caught the ball but it bounced back and hit me in the face. (Will Biebesheimer)

I love 4th grade. I love to do science and reading. I like when Mrs. Spieker reads to us and when she plays kickball at recess. (Shontaria Byrd)

My favorite memory was when we had the wax museum and I got to dress like Paul Revere. I learned about weather and how to multiply and divide decimals. The funniest moment was when we were playing football and Cameron hit the ball up into the air and Austin caught it for a touchdown. (Pat Clark)

I learned a lot about the constitution in reading and social studies. My favorite memory is playing kickball at recess. The funniest moment is when I totally forgot my lines at the wax museum. I love 4th grade. (Gaia Colafrancesco)

I like 4th grade because we get to do projects like make moon phases out of Oreo cookies. The teachers are great. (Andrew Clemens)

My favorite memory of the 4th grade was Polar Express Day. I also liked doing the wax museum. I liked 4th grade. (Carson Goddard)

My favorite thing about 4th grade is playing kickball with my friends and teachers. The Wax Museum was the best. (Darrius Curtis)

My favorite part of the school year was when I brought my ventriloquist doll to school to perform for my class. The funniest part was when my teacher took a picture when my mouth was big. The coolest thing I did was the wax museum. I learned about cirrus clouds in science. I liked it when our teacher let the class design and put up a spring bulletin board all by ourselves. I like when we play kickball and when we did reading centers. I loved the 4th grade. (Thomas Godsey)

The funniest part of the school year was when I put my hands on the electric ball and it made my hair stand up at the Ruth Patrick Center. The best part of the school year was when after the wax museum 4B and 4F had a giant game of kickball. 4th grade was really fun and I especially liked my teachers, Mrs. Spieker and Mrs. Meyer. (Zach Finch)

4th grade is fun. My favorite part was going to the planetarium. (Michael Havasy)

My favorite memory was when we played kickball. I learned about pronoun and antecedents, math, science and social studies. (Jamar Holston)

I learned that fractions and decimals are related. My favorite times were the wax museum and the Living History park. At recess my teacher plays kickball. At PE my favorite activity is beach ball blast. I live the 4th grade. (Clark Hughes)

My favorite part of the school year was when we went to the Ruth Patrick Science Center and learned about electricity. I also like how we played kickball together. (Marcus Huey)

My favorite memory when was able to come to North Augusta Elementary in January. I learned how to do different kinds of math. My favorite special is PE. My funniest part is when I had to dress up as Harriet Tubman. I like 4th grade best. (Tiauna Johnson)

I like learning about the constitution and I love playing football. I love the fourth grade. (Logan Hughes)

My favorite memory is when we had the Christmas party. I learned multiplication and division. We also learned algebra. The funniest thing was when I was playing dodge ball. Someone threw the ball at me so I deflected it by making it bounce off my ball. It hit somebody in the head before they could throw the ball. (Tegarius Kea)

One of my favorite moments is when I met my teachers and friends. We got to go to Ruth Patrick Science Center on a field trip. (Savannah Leopard)

I like 4th grade because we play kickball at recess. I liked how Mrs. Spieker got to roll the ball to us. It was fun when we played kickball after the wax museum. I had a blast. (Jon Lykins)

I have learned my timetables, division, science, social studies, reading and math. I enjoyed doing all my homework. (Justin Landers)

I learned about pronouns this year in 4th grade. I have made some new friends. My favorite part of school is learning. We got to do a historical wax museum and it was a lot of fun. I love 4th grade. (J'Naya Lyons)

My favorite memory is when we play kickball, dodge ball, and basketball. Even Mrs. Meyer sometimes plays basketball. Science was cool when we did the Oreo Cookie moon phase project. I love math, runner's club and lunch. (Sean Lloyd)

My favorite memory of the school year is that I made new friends. I learned how to spell hard words. The funniest things that happened were when someone brought in their ventriloquist dummy to do an act for us. (Kathryn McGee)

In 4th grade the thing I like the most is my teachers. They are so kind and loving. My teachers are the best. They also can play some kickball. (Colton Monroe)

I will remember in 4th grade the wax museum. It was fun but very tiring. (Julian Martinez)

My favorite part of the year is when I went to Ruth Patrick and learned about electricity. I also enjoyed the wax museum. It was fun to dress up and act like famous people. I got to be Clara Barton. I love 4th grade. It is fun and exciting. (Christine Nguyen)

My favorite thing about 4th grade was the wax museum. I also liked kickball and dodge ball. The favorite thing I learned was lines, angles and polygons. I like shooting the little foam basketball into the hoops. (Matthew McClure)

In 4th grade I liked math and my teachers. My teachers are so great and I learned about math, reading, social studies, and science. We got to participate in a wax museum. My teachers are cool and I want to stay in fourth grade forever. (Sydney Pace)

My favorite time was when we played kickball with Mrs. Spieker and Mrs. Meyer after the wax museum. It seemed like we had three recesses and it was fun. (Cameron Mitchem)

I learned the sentence "My very early mother just served us nachos", to memorize the order of the planets. My funniest moment was when my teachers get out and play kickball. I really like 4th grade and my wonderful teachers. (Anna Grace Parker)

In 4th grade I like my teacher. She is the best teacher in the world. She is so funny. (Adeline Craft)

One of the funniest times of the year was when Mrs. Spieker and Mrs. Meyer wore funny t-shirts. Mrs. Spieker wore Ms. America and Mrs. Meyer wore a cop shirt. It was so funny. I loved learning about the planets. (Reagan Hargrove)

I learned about electricity this year during a field trip to Ruth Patrick. The funniest moment was acting for the wax museum. (Matt Puckett)

My funniest moment in my school year was when I told a joke at lunch and made the kids milk comes out of their noses and onto me. This school year was fun and the teachers rocked. (Asher Parson)

I liked the wax museum. I loved playing kickball at recess. (Reginald Price)

The funniest moment was when I had a basketball in my hand and fell down in the sand. I laughed at myself really hard. I loved playing basketball at recess. (JD Pye)

I really liked the wax museum, Polar Express and International Day. (Austin Sterling)

My favorite memory was when I came to fourth grade. I like both of my teachers. (Marquise Walker)

I have learned a lot of new things. I have fun in PE. (Ethen Wright)

A Year in Review by 4C
Mrs. Simpson – 2010-2011

What a great year this has been!! We have learned so much in all five of our subjects with lots of activities too. We have also had some fabulous field trips that we will always remember. Here are some of our greatest memories:

- In social studies we learned about the Land Bridge Theory and in math we learned about polygons. In reading we did a lot of reading, silent reading, and pleasure reading.

_Katelynn Chason

-I learned many things, but the thing I liked learning the most was about vertebrates and invertebrates in Science. I also liked doing all the projects in math, science, and social studies.

-Tyler Nichols

-The most fun thing we learned was about clouds. But, another fun thing was going to the Colonial Days. These are only a small bit of the fun things.

-Anna Wischhof

-This year, we did lots of fun things. We did experiments. In math, we did projects, in science we made wind tools like a wind vane, anemometer, and rain gauge.

Brycen Hyde

-You will enjoy fourth grade. We did anemometers. We went on field trips. We did projects on almost every single subject.

Isaiah Lyons

-In fourth grade you will go on field trips, have fun on math and science days, and have lots of activities. In math, we learned about fractions. In reading, we did cause and effect. In social studies, we learned about French and Indian War to the Civil War. In science, we learned about the properties of light.

-Justin Manning

-This year, we have gone to Ruth Patrick Science Center. We learned division and multiplication. We learned about the Revolutionary War and the different wars, like Cowpens.

-Ben DeLaughter

-This year, we learned division, and about the Revolutionary War. We also learned about plot and how to write a good introduction.

-Brandy Kirkland

-In science, I learned about light.

-Malia Brown

-We went outside in our science lesson and had to grab coins. Blue stood for water. Red stood for food. White stood for shelter. That was fun.

-Skylar Lindale

-In math we learned about geometric shapes. In reading, we learned about context clues and in science we learned about clouds. We watched the Special Olympians. It was fun.

-Breonna Davis

-I learned about what light is. It is the visible spectrum. In math, I learned my multiples. In social studies, I learned why they looked for the Northwest Passage.

-Levar Robinson

-In science, we learned about wind direction and clouds. In reading, we learned about homophones and onomatopoeia.

-Al'lisha Adams

-I learned that light can reflect off of clear things. We went on a field trip to the Ruth Patrick Science Center.

-Tocara Ashley

-In science class, we learned that ROYGBIV means colors of the rainbow. In reading, we learned about homophones, like to, too, and two. We did the wind vane and went outside.

-Aireal Davis

-We learned a lot when we went on field trips, like Ruth Patrick Science Center. We learned when we get good grades; we go to the Award Ceremony.

-RayQuan Mays

-In fourth grade, we learned about planets, stars, and space. We went to Ruth Patrick Science Center and learned about animals and electricity. We also learned about the 13 colonies.

-Matthew Ebenroth

-In fourth grade, we made cloud flip books. We learned about homophones. In science, we learned about wind vanes and anemometers.

-Sarai Barron

-In science, I learned about open and closed circuits. At Ruth Patrick Science Center, I learned that a battery and wires can help light up the light bulb.

-Justin Fields

-We have gone on many field trips like Ruth Patrick and Colonial Days. In social studies, we learned about citizenship and did writing. In science, we learned about clouds: cumulous, stratus, and cirrus.

-Sommer Altman

-In math, we studied and learned many things in geometry. In science, we made many tools. In social studies, we learned about many new and important wars.

-Duncan Crowder

-In math, we learned to use grids. In reading, we drew plot maps. In social studies, we learned who Sacagawea was and her job. She was a mother and a Native American guide.

-Makay Markwalter

-I have learned about algebra. In science, I learned about electricity and made a cloud flip book. We also learned about owls, like that they cough up pellets.

-Keegan Brown

Reflections of a Super School Year
2010-2011
Ms. Swygert

Students in 5B were asked to write down what they will miss about NAE, A good memory they had, and people they appreciated at NAE.

Amari Young

I will miss my friends.

One good memory I had was when third grade went to Columbia.

I appreciate Ms. Pat at NAE because she will always go out of her way to help someone.

Mary Watts

I will miss my teachers the most at NAE.

A good memory I have about NAE is when Kianna Carr knocked a roach in the trashcan.

I appreciate Ms. Taylor at NAE because she helps people solve their problems.

Brooklyn Herold

I will miss all the people the most because all of the people in my class are so nice to me.

Watching Kianna flick a bug in the trashcan is one of my favorite memories.

I appreciate the teacher for helping me through the year so far because if she didn't help me I would be clueless.

Kianna Carr

I will miss having my friends, teachers and recess.

A good memory I have is laughing every time we heard the word explosion and working on a book with Sophie.

I appreciate Officer Tom at NAE because he has helped me learn the dangers of drugs.

Erin Redwood

What I will always miss about NAE is all the fun activities.

A good memory I have about NAE is all the teachers I have had in the past years.

I appreciate Ms. Swygert for being a great teacher and having a great fifth year although she gave us too much homework.

Aakeyla Leysath

What I will miss most about NAE is recess.

A good memory I recall is splash day when the fire truck came.

I appreciate Ms. Pat because she always has faith in me.

Abigail Cutshall

What I will miss most about NAE are the teachers.

A good memory I have at NAE is when I go to art and make pretty things.

I appreciate Ms. Allee at NAE because she helps us with things we do not understand.

Taylor Shockley

I will miss Ms. Leopard the most because she inspires me to draw.
My good memory is when I got popular in the classroom.
I appreciate books because they take me on great adventures.

Sidney Hobbs

I will miss my teacher, Ms. Swygert, because she helped me through hard things.

A good memory I have is when it was twin day and me and my sister got in the newspaper.

I appreciate all the teachers I had because they taught me many things.

Caroline Crowder

What I will miss most at NAE is Ms. Rutland.

A good memory I have is winning my bike in second grade.

I will miss Ms. Spires because I got all A's which made me proud and ready for fourth grade. Thank you so much!

Chloe McGee

I will miss art the most.

A good memory I have about NAE is at GT when I met my friend Mary.

I appreciate Ms. Burket at NAE because she was a great teacher.

Sophie Ryan

I will miss the teachers.

A good memory I have is third grade.

I appreciate Ms. Swygert because she is awesome and kind.

Shantaria Byrd

I will miss Ms. Freeman and Ms. Morse.

A good memory I have is learning.

I appreciate learning too much math, because it is fun.

Amelia Ward

What I will miss about NAE is my mom being a teacher here.

A good memory I have about NAE is my third grade teacher, Ms. Vaughn.

I appreciate Ms. Swygert at NAE.

Shy'Teria Morris

What I will miss the most is the Runner's Club.

A good memory I have is The Dolphin's News Show at NAE.

I appreciate the teachers at NAE because I can get a good education.

Akira VanMater

I will miss my past teachers and my friends.

A memory I will have about NAE is my art teacher.

I appreciate Ms. Pat at NAE because she has helped me when I needed my medication.

Canisha Davis

What I will miss the most about NAE are my wonderful teachers.

I have a good memory about Splash Day.

I appreciate Ms. Burket, she is a nice teacher.

Kristian Eubanks

I will miss about NAE is P.E.

I will remember the day we had a party.

I appreciate MS. Swygert at NAE because she helps me do a lot of things.

Kira Byce

I will miss friends and teachers.

A good memory I have is third grade.

I appreciate teachers at NAE because they helped me learn.

The ABC's of NAE

Ms. Allee's Fifth Grade Class

A is for Awesome art class

B is for Best friends

C is for Caring custodians

D is for D.A.R.E. graduation

E is for Eating together

F is for Field trips

G is for Girls classes

H is for Holiday parties

I is for Ice cream Fridays

J is for Jump rope Club



K is for



Kickball

L is for Long-lasting recess

M is for Music

N is for News Show

O is for Outstanding test scores

P is for P.E.

Q is for Quiet library

R is for Runner's Club

S is for Splash Day

T is for Talent Show

U is for Understanding teachers

V is for Veteran's Day program

X is for X-Mas break

Y is for Yellow and Blue

Z is for Zany Sunglasses Day



Our Favorite N.A.E.

Memories...

5th Grade ~ Ms. Hasty's Class

"Playing with my friends," **Steven Butler**.

"My favorite thing about N.A.E. was my very first day here," **Grant Calloway**.

"In Kindergarten I won an Easter egg coloring contest. I won some chalk," **Niahna Canty**.

"My favorite was my first day of school when I saw my best friend Joey," **Jalen Daniel**.

"I had fun on all of the field trips," **I'Asia Dixon**.

"I liked reading time in 3rd grade when we could give Ms. Brown-Hooks a back massage," **Heriberto Dominguez**.

"My favorite memory at N.A.E. is that I passed all the grades! I will pass fifth grade next," **JahKhyrah Dorsey**.

"I remember when I was in 4th grade in an all boys class for the first time and having a man teacher for the first time," **Benjamin Formby**.

"Meeting great friends," **Alex Bridges**.

"My favorite part of going to school at N.A.E would have to be the teachers. They are so much nicer than teachers at my old school," **Nathan Greene**.

"I remember the first time I got to be in the 'Good Chair' in Mrs. Stroud's class," **Montrez Williams**.

"My favorite memory from N.A.E is my kindergarten Math and Science Day when I stood in a pool and made a big bubble with a hoola-hoop," **Aliyah Johnson**.

"This year I enjoyed learning about measurements because my teacher, Ms. Hasty, had really cool games to go with it," **Tyrell Robinson**.

"I enjoy mentoring. It is very fun," **Caleb Johnson**.

"My favorite was my first day of school when I saw my best friend Joey," **Jalen Daniel**.

I remember when the Fire Department came and wet us, it was fun," **Desmond Lyons**.

"The best day of school ever was in 4th grade when we read our poem books and ate Wifesaver," **Sarah May**.

"One memory from N.A.E. is when I won the school spelling bee. I won by spelling the word piano," **Josh McGee**.

"My favorite things about school are recess and art," **Chi Nguyen**.

"One of my favorite things was the D.A.R.E program," **Joseph Nguyen**.

"My favorite things at N.A.E. are the D.A.R.E program and studying WWII," **Andrew Porter**.

"I really liked art this year," **Amber Scruggs**.

"My favorite memory is the character parade because I could walk around in my costume," **Luke Simmers**.

A Great Year Last Year at NAE

Written By: Mr. Lobaugh and Ms. Huffman's 5th Grade Class

In our fifth grade class, we have twenty students (all boys). Our class is a team and we work together to earn many things. Our class is very obedient, but struggles in being quiet. At recess, the majority play football and basketball, but some play tag or swing. In our class we have learned to take responsibility in what we do and say. As a class, if we work together, we are able to achieve anything. (Brandon Smith)

We have had a lot of fun learning during our last year in elementary school. Some of our best times were had during our Science labs. Experiments are exciting and they make learning more interesting. We especially enjoyed the Separating Matter lab, where we got to use skittles candy and cereal (we got to eat it when we were

finished). We also enjoyed the Filtration lab using sifters, filters and magnets to separate sand, stones, salt and other materials. Study Island was a fun place to learn! We loved using the computers to learn. Another great learning environment was our DARE class. Officer Tom taught us about being responsible and respectful to ourselves and others. (Parker Baxley, Kobe Forester, Justice Jay, Cranston Jones)

Some of our other favorite times during 5th grade were outside of the classroom. Going on field trips to Brick Pond Park, the Ruth Patrick Science Center and the Lake Thurmond Hydroelectric Power Plant were awesome. When we went on field trips we learned so much and had so much fun! Getting out of the classroom to go to our activity classes was another highlight of 5th grade. One of our favorite memories is playing dodge ball in Physical Education class. (Matthew Chambers, Tailun Dicks, Michael Lovett, Wyatt McMahan, Alex Santa-Maria, Brandon Smith)

When we go to middle school next year, we will miss all the wonderful teachers and other adults who helped us at North Augusta Elementary. Our teachers, Ms Blankenship, Ms Huffman, Ms Chandler and Mr. Lobaugh taught us a lot. We had many other adults who cared for us too. Ms Taylor, Ms Carpenter, and Ms Collins were always helping one of us. Ms Kinser and Ms Lindale were in our classrooms everyday. They were there to work with certain students, but they always made time for anybody who needed help and they did a lot of extra things for our class. (Esai Gullian, Amon Parson, Rex Perez, Khalif Vaughn)

There are a lot of things about NAE that we are going to miss next year. We are going to miss being the role model for the younger kids. Many of us have had the opportunity to assist younger students by reading with them, helping them get to their classrooms, or being on the Safety Patrol. We will also miss some of the "little things" like recess, no homework on weekends, and having lunch in the classroom on early release days. But what we will miss most of all when we leave the 5th grade is our NAE friends! (Hayden Brown, Kwaidan Duncan, Kyle Newbegin, Jourdon Newman, Clayton O'Neal, Damien Taylor)

Mrs. Blankenship's Class

Our Favorite Things about 5th Grade...

- "Doing D.A.R.E."- Kyle Morris
- "My friends and teachers"- Chandler Roberts
- "Going to Ms. Collin's Class"- Coby Burlage
- "When we went on our field trip"- Devin Merriweather
- "When I got pop"- Chance Myers
- "Parties, food, and games"- Darrell King

Boys
Love lunch
Always having fun
Nice to teachers
Knows a lot
Energetic
Noisy
Super
Hyper
Intelligent
Promising

By: Andy MacMurray

“The recess and friends”- Elijah Thomas
“Being able to go to G.T.”- Cole Garnett
“Everything!”- Andy MacMurray
“Meeting Mrs. Blankenship”- Sean McDonald
“My favorite part was when D.A.R.E. came”- Devin Reaves
“Teachers and friends”- Dylan Bates
“Everything!”- Jalen Sturgis
“My teachers”- Michael Gibbs
“My favorite part was going to Ms. Collin’s class”- Justin Satterwhite
“Doing D.A.R.E.”- Kyle Morris

Some “Shout-Outs”...

“Thank you Mrs. Blankenship because she taught me what I needed to learn.”- Devin Merriweather
“Thank you to all of the teachers.”- Michael Gibbs
“Thank you Mr. Doman for helping me when I didn’t do anything but lie. You also helped me get my act back together.”- Brian Sharp
“Thank you Ms. Chandler because she got us half way there so the other teacher can teach the rest.”- Jalen Sturgis
“Thank you Mrs. Lynn Hyler for taking me home and helping me with homework.”- Dylan Bates
“Thank you Mrs. Harris for helping me whenever I needed it.”- Devin Reaves
“Thank you Ms. Barbara for being such a good friend.”- Sean McDonald
“Thank you Mrs. Blankenship because she helped my grade go up and being a fun teacher.”- Andy MacMurray
“Thank you my teacher Mrs. Blankenship for teaching us and preparing us for middle school.”- Cole Garnett
“Thank you Ms. Pat. She helped me in 3rd and 4th grades.”- Elijah Thomas
“Thank you Mrs. Blankenship for helping and making it fun.”- Darrell King
“Thank you Mrs. Spieker.”- Chance Myers
“I want to thank Ms. Kinser for helping me with reading.”- Coby Burlage
“Thank you Ms. Kinser because she is always there for me and the class.”- Chandler Roberts
“Thank you Ms. Kinser for helping me with my work and reading.”- Justin Satterwhite
“Thank you Mrs. Jones for being the most helpful and best teacher I ever had.”- Kyle Morris

Have A Great Summer!

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