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Really do come true

COPELANDED EN TABISSE HOOL

Copeland Elementary School



The theme of our year book "Dreams Do Come True" is shown in "Our Dream Building" picture. We waited a long time for this dream to become a reality. We experienced anticipation, excitement, sadness and many emotions as we waited for our dream to come true.

Dedication of New Building



Mr. Lawson gives a warm welcome to all our guests.

Dr. Marsha Bledsoe praises everyone's work and dedication.

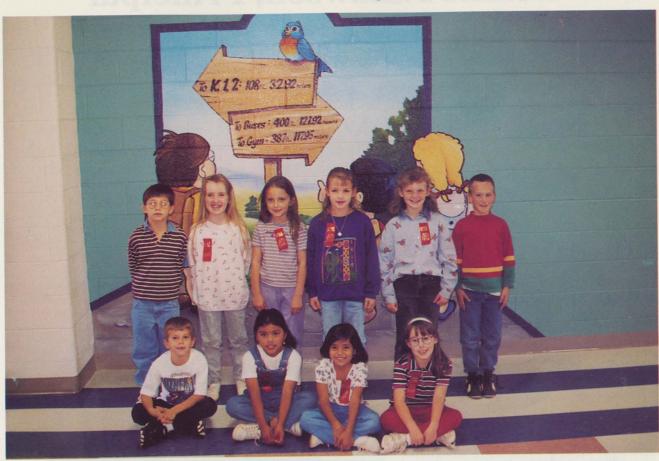


Attendance was great at dedication and reception.

Mr. Graham Atkinson delivers a brief history of our school.



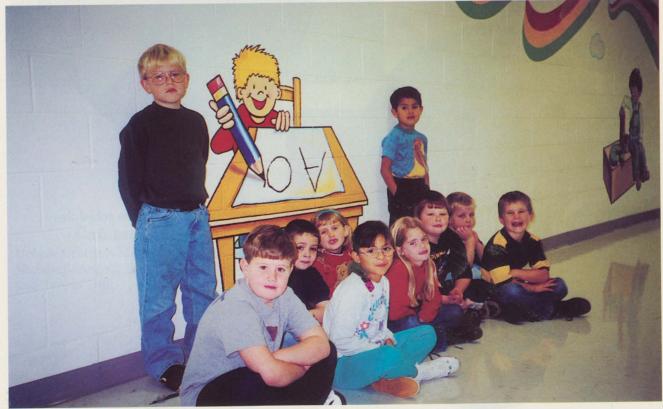
Directions Anybody?



all

These children know the right direction by looking at one of the beautiful murals in our new building.

The "Write" Direction

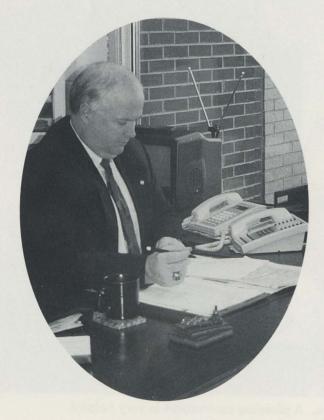


These children think writing can be fun. A pleasing environment is very helpful.

Dennis P. Lawson, Principal



These students are sharing their thoughts with Mr. Lawson.



A big thanks for leading us through changing and challenging times.



Mr. Lawson diligently works on schedules for everyone.

Thanks for all you do!

Janice Marion - the best secretary in the world





Melissa Bowles - SIMS Operator, keeps up with our attendance

Cafeteria Staff -

Debbie Crouse - Manager, Becky Marshall, Angela Shinault, Joyce Key and Teresa Hall.



We All Play A Part



Bus Drivers: Joyce Key, Fayrene Doss, Sandra Johnson, Leigh Ann Wall, Teresa Hall, Maxine Helvey

School Nurse, Liz Tilley, checks hearing.





Custodians:

Darla Jordan and Ray Shinault. They work hard to keep our school clean.

Faculty and Staff



Pat Altic Barbara Barnes Mary Beth Beasley Melissa Bowles Angela Bowman Ava Bowman Joyce Bunn

Evette Bustamante Margaret Carter Robert Caudle Lynette Cave Jane Collins Linda Collins Tammy Cosby

Jeana Cox Shirley Cox Brenda Davis Cathy Edmonds Charliece Friese Pue Fang Fung Ivy Head

Joy Hemmings Joyce High Teresa Hodges Gail Holston Rita Howell Staci Jessup Pat Johnson

Stephanie Jones Donna Journey Judy Joyce Frances Key Ann Klamfoth Gaynell Lewis Jackie Lindsay

Ann Lowry
LaDonna McCarther
Candy Mooney
Betty Patton
Fay Riddle
Rick Smith
Monette Snow

Linda Wallace Mae Werner Cathy Wetter

Not Pictured: Patsy Flynn

Edmonds - Kindergarten

Mrs. Cathy Edmonds Mrs. Melissa Bowles Alexis Alonso Israel Alonso Samantha Beck Jessica Bullin

Jessica Creed Leslie Fernandez Jodie Gammons Lyndsey Henderson Nathan Holyfield Whitney Joyner

Pong Lor Alejandro Marquez Roberto Montoya Jacqueline Salgado Joseph Shinault Kyle Simpson

Brittany Tolbert Gladys Vega Heather White

















































Hemmings - Kindergarten



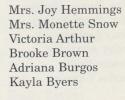


















































Gloria Pena Jonathan Pipinos Arnulfo Rodriquez Beau Taylor Tyler Anne Tucker Jannette Vera









Hodges - Kindergarten

Mrs. Teresa Hodges Mrs. Betty Patton Cody Amburn Daisy Aparicio Kenny Bailey Carlos Campos

Pablo Castillo Taylor Collins Alison Crouse Kayla Fowler Allison Gwyn Monica Hernandez

Tyler Hutchens Tamara Johnson Lauren Key Tony Martinez Cesar Pena Armando Perez

Jessica Thomas Atoneil Velazquez Samantha White Amanda Yawn

















































Davis - First











Ms. Brenda Davis Mrs. Shirley Cox Nicole Boone Stefania Bravo Ethan Brown Emily Bryant







Casey Davis Savanna Foley Joshua Gwyn Jacob Hardy Stephanie Herrera Kevin Hutcherson









Dorothy Landgren B.J. Murphy Amanda Parker Jessie Robertson Jared Salyers Chayito Saucedo









Justin Shelton Jordan Snow Orlando Valezquez Zachary Wall









Friese - First

Mrs. Charliece Friese Mrs. Linda Collins Jeremy Ashburn Jessica Boyles Justin Childress Brittany Cline

Jac Creed Ashley Danley Nicole Danley Johnnie Eldridge Thomas Hernandez Hannah Holder

Alex Lopez Ethan Marvin Veronica Montero Britney Ortiz Angelita Saucedo Lacy Schmidt

Daniel Scott Keesha Sneed Kevin Stanley Alex Vargas Corey Wood











































Howell - First































Mrs. Rita Howell Oscar Avila Buck Blevins Christopher Bowman Chris Bullins Casey Cooke



Paige Martin Timothy McMillian Daisy Ortiz Charlie Oxendine Shaylee Rogers Juan Ruiz

Kelly Spraker Tanner Trivette Sarah Wall

Not Pictured: Mrs. Patsy Flynn







Johnson - First

Mrs. Pat Johnson Mrs. Frances Key Raul Belmonte B.W. Bottoms Brett Boyles Trevor Burchette

Dalton Cave Eric Cervantes Will Darden Luis Diaz Tabitha Edwards Montia Galyean

Sarah Hardy Coley Hodges Hannah Holyfield Brandon Hutchins Rebekah McLaughlin Tyler Monday

Amanda Moore Blanca Nava Kelly Perkins Beth Peters Kayla Stanley















































Head - Second



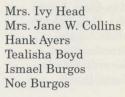
















































Haley Smith Alfredo Urquiza Yadisvet Urquiza Joey Wolfe Not Pictured: Yazmin Martinez









Jessup - Second

Mrs. Staci Jessup Mrs. Gail Holston Alicia Austin Brandon Bond Gerardo Botello Korey Buelin

Brittany Burkhart Ricky Colchado Leigh Ann Correa Zack Draughon Brandi Fowler Austin Frye

Britney Gwyn Rocky Hall Beth Key Wade Lindsay Ramiro Orozco Guillermo Patino

Jeremy Sams Todd Sands Zilpha Snow Katie Zimmerman











Mooney - Second



Mrs. Candy Mooney Mrs. Fay Riddle Kayla Bowles Stormy Bullins Otoniel Burgos Bethany Casstevens



Hugo Lopez Brian Norman Claudia Ojeda Eric Potts Elizabeth Priest Levi Schmidt

Tyler Simpson Colton Tolbert Janet Vega Lauren Williams Not Pictured: Gabriel Rodriguez





Wetter - Second

Mrs. Cathy Wetter Ms. Mae Werner Esther Alonso Courtney Barker Brittany Boles Bristole Bottoms

Gonzalo Chavez Ally Coe Caroline Crouse Stephanie Doby Keaton Doerner Vanessa Flores

Ethan Funk Nathan Hodge Roberto Marquez Vicente Martinez Carlos Nava Billy Nelson

Raleigh Scales Tina Snow Patrick Swaim

Not Pictured: Bronica Rodriguez



















































Cox - Third













Mrs. Jeana Cox Katie Baker Kayla Beck **Brook Bottoms** Adiel Burgos Jaime Burgos







































Leigh Marion Leticia Martinez Monica Montoya Wesley Snow Maria Torres









Jones - Third

Mrs. Stephanie Jones Hector Aguirre Pedro Bartolo Edgar Burgos Uriel Burgos Courtney Cave

Jessica Cooke Caleb Cosby Adam Dalton Matt Davis Curtis Draughn Tim Gertsch

Adrienne Harvey Hannah Haynes Daisy Juarez Courtney Key Jamie Landa Jennia LeGue

Elizabeth Marquez Alejandro Montero Olga Munoz Corey Newman Carrie Royall Britney Wall

Aaron Wilkins



















































Joyce - Third



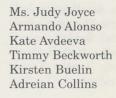














































Dana Robertson Deetriha Shockley Jonathan Stanley Kayla Thomas









Bowman - Fourth

Mrs. Ava Bowman Maria Alonso Josiah Baker Bradley Beck Travis Boyd Patricia Coe

Michael Connelly Nathan Hardy Chris Hutchins Crystal Jenkins Tiffany Johnson Kacie Jordan

Eric Key Kellie Marion Isveyda Martinez Heather Oakley Justin Poindexter Cory Reynolds

Evodio Rodriguez Alisha Tolbert Jesus Urquiza Ashley Wall Joey Walsh Sara Williams

Not Pictured: Matthew Leftwich

































Bunn - Fourth



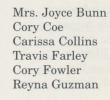






















































Tiffany Shelton Kelvin Southern T.J. Swartz Cynthia Turney Sadie Walsh Megan Wood









Lowry - Fourth

Ms. Ann Lowry Magaly Argote Karina Avila Zack Blevins **Brittany Bottoms** Joseph Boyles

Lorne Bryant Tiffany Davis Justin Duncan T.J. Heath Marianne Johnson Dustin Key

Richard Marshall Silvia Martinez John Nixon Rafael Ramirez Enedina Rodriguez Anthony Sawyers

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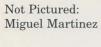




















Bowman - Fifth















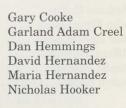












































Amanda Wirt







Caudle - Fifth

Mr. Robert Caudle Jamie Barnett Brandon Brindle Jessica Bullins Cynthia Burgos Brittany Coe

Stefanie Culler Jake Fincannon Jose Hernandez Tiffany Hutson Daniel Johnson Justin Kenny

Harlan Pike Cathy Priest Roxann Ramirez Yessica Rivera Nicole Robertson Ashley Sands

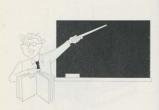
Matthew Senter Britta Snow Bradley Southern Ashley Spangler Kayla Watson

Not Pictured: Jesus Luna













Cave - Fifth



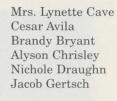


























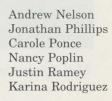






















Frannie Snyder Jessica Stanley Sierra Stanley Josh Stiltner Floricela Torres











Mrs. Barnes - Resource



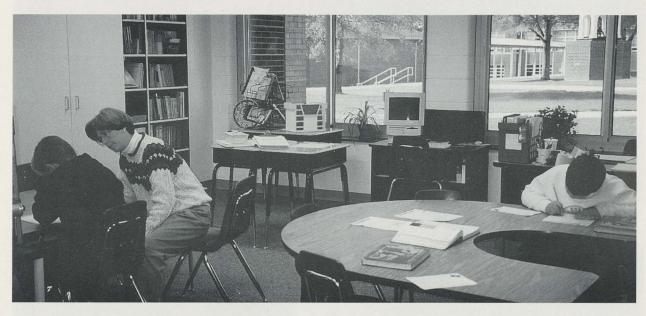
Mrs. Barnes helps several students with their classroom work.

Reading



Reading with small groups encourages success.

Mrs. Klamfoth - Resource



Mrs. Klamfoth works one-on-one to help students achieve their goals.

Math



Following steps correctly in math takes patience.

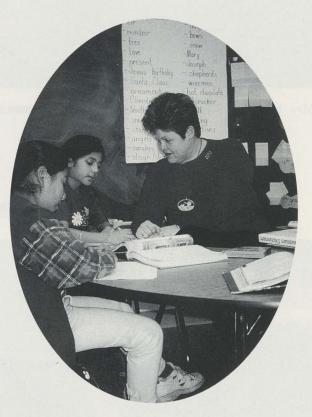
Reading - Mrs. Journey



Students get a lot of help in reading all year long.



Mrs. Journey teaches dictionary skills to her students.

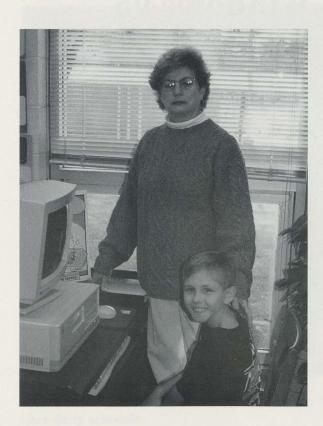


Children are hard at work enriching their vocabulary.

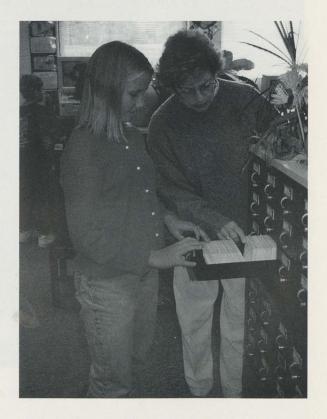
Mrs. High - Media Specialist



Mrs. High works with students individually as needed.



Our students enjoy using computers in the library.



Help is always welcome and appreciated from Mrs. High.

Using Technology



Computer skills are being taught to these second graders. They enjoy our new computer lab.

Working With Windows 95

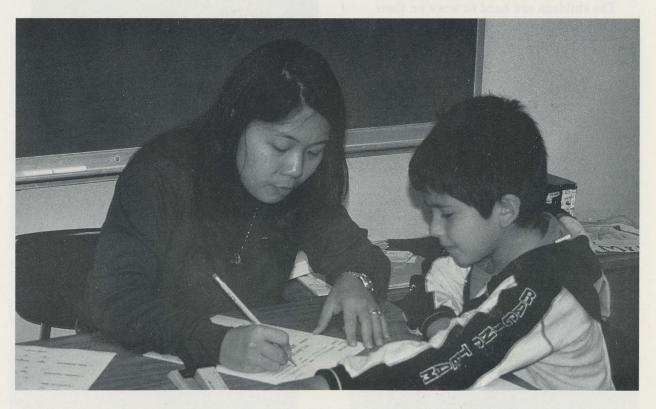


Fourth graders are finishing their Math Skills as Mrs. Lewis instructs them to close out their program.

English - A Second Language

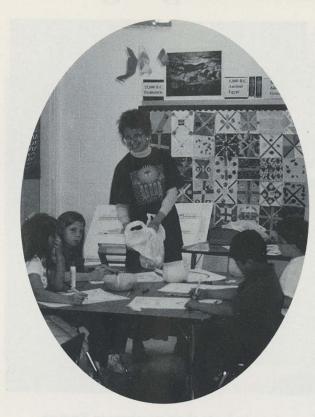


Ms. Bustamante is using flash cards to teach Kindergarten students their numbers in English.

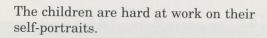


Ms. Fung is getting the necessary information from this student. That's an important part of her daily schedule.

Mrs. Altic - Art



Mrs. Altic passes out supplies to students.





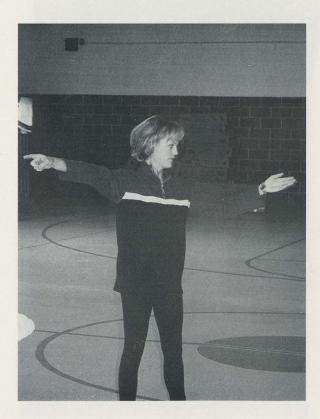


Being creative takes a lot of concentration.

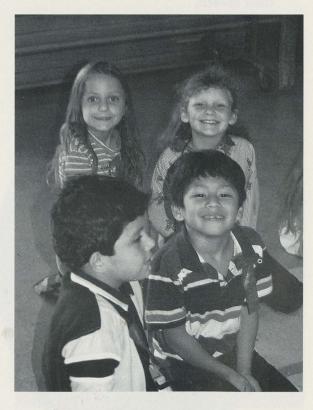
Mrs. Beasley - P.E.



Mrs. Beasley teaches her students many new games, dances and exercises throughout the year.

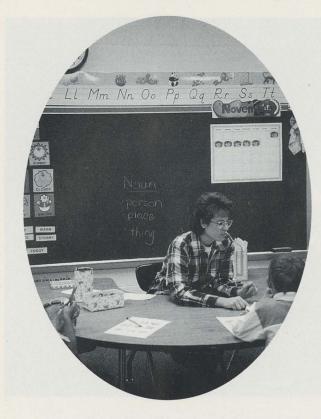


Mrs. Beasley is giving directions for a new activity.

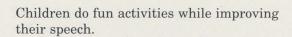


Smiling faces listen carefully as directions are given.

Mrs. Carter - Speech



Mrs. Carter works with students in small groups.





Listening is important to proper pronunciation.



Mrs. McCarther - Music



Music is fun. It makes you feel happy. All the children like to sing together.



Mrs. McCarther greets the students.



Second graders are working on a Thanksgiving activity.

Ms. Wallace - Guidance



As Ms. Wallace teaches her classes, some students have questions. She always takes time to talk and answer their questions.



In guidance classes, Ms. Wallace uses many innovative methods in getting children to use their critical thinking skills.

Teacher Of The Year

Mrs. Cave teaches one of our fifth grades.



Mrs. Cave makes sure that each student understands.



Individual help is given to these students.



Competition is Fun!



Sandra Johnson won the county Bus Drivers' Rodeo.

Alyson Chrisley - School Speller Brittany Coe - 5th Grade Matthew Leftwich - 4th Grade





This group was our PTO Fundraiser winners.

These students worked hard for St. Jude's Math A Thon.



Visitors And Volunteers



Holly Hoosier is one of our many valuable volunteers.

Mrs. Johnson talks with third graders about hatching chickens.



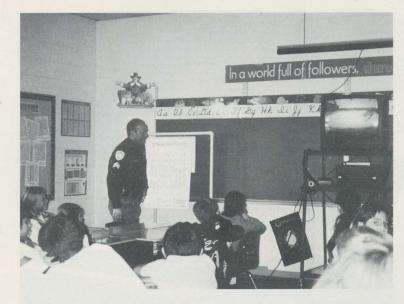


James McLaughlin shares a story with first grade.

Grandparents Day is always a huge success at Copeland.



DARE - Just Say No To Drugs



Sgt. Atkinson sometimes utilizes videos in his DARE classes.

Students listen attentively as the DARE officer talks to them.





Officer Atkinson asks for input from the class.

Happenings Around Copeland



Tom Acosta, commercial artist, did a beautiful job on our murals.



Grandparents of our students were invited to eat lunch.



First Grade enjoys the visit with Mr. Brim at the hospital.



Surry Central R.O.T.C. show the procedure of flag folding.



Fifth Grade enjoy the sights at Stone Mountain.



Mrs. Venable tells this class about the history of our area.

More Happenings!



New replaces old. This water tower served us well.



An old friend is torn down and awaits a new parking lot.



These colleagues are beautifying our lawn in our courtyard.



Lunchtime is a great time for socializing with our friends.



Second grade shares the books they made with first grade.



First grade enjoys their annual visit to the fire station.

Moving Day



Mrs. Edmonds empties one of many boxes.



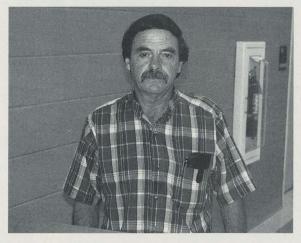
Randall and Mike were cheerful movers.



The cafeteria is being organized.



Mrs. Johnson needs more arms and hands.



Mr. Shinault hopes there are no more boxes to be moved.



Out custodian cleans as we move.





Yearbook Staff



Gaynell Lewis, Tammy Cosby, Barbara Barnes, Gail Holston, Frances Key and Linda Collins make up the 1997-1998 yearbook committee.



Frances Key - our yearbook advisor.



Time consuming, long hours, hard work; it's a team effort.