

**Renaë Enlow, Principal**  
**Kyle Davis Assistant Principal**

**School Improvement Council Members**

Linda Burton-Parent- Chairperson  
 Theresa Reeves- Parent/PTO President  
 Jennifer Green- Faculty Member  
 Carissa Taylor-Faculty Member  
 Melissa Thomas-Staff Member  
 Diana Silas-Community Member  
 Renaë Enlow- Principal  
 Kyle Davis Assistant Principal

**2022-23 Teacher of the Year**  
**Carissa Taylor (5K)**

**2022-23 First Year Teacher of the Year**  
**Kristen Fraley (4K)**

**2022-23 Support Staff of the Year**  
**Aiken County “Giving Even More” Honoree**  
**Jennifer Wright (School Nurse)**



**2022-2023**

**Annual SIC Report**

**Byrd Elementary**

**Home of the Excellent Eagles**



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**(803) 663-4320**

**<https://www.acpsd.net/BYES>**

**School Renewal Plan Goals**

**Student Achievement**

By spring of 2035, 80% of our students will achieve state standards on South Carolina standardized testing in both ELA and math.

**Teacher/Leadership Quality**

By spring 2035, 90% of our teachers will obtain their Read to Succeed Literacy Endorsement.

**School Climate**

By spring 2035, 90% of the school’s stakeholders will indicate satisfaction with the school-home relations as measured by the state report card survey.

**Vision**

It is the vision of Byrd Elementary to provide a safe learning environment for all students.

**Mission**

The mission of Byrd Elementary School is to provide an education by highly qualified professionals that enhances accountability, respect, and self sufficiency through research-based instructional practices, parental involvement, and community support.

<b>Data</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
3rd SC Ready ELA	38%	55%	28%	33%
3rd SC Ready Math	42%	59%	23%	37%
4th SC Ready ELA	41%	38%	32%	37%
4th SC Ready Math	28%	29%	29%	15%
4th PASS Science	51%	55%	37%	29%
5th SC Ready ELA	26%	40%	28%	44%
5th SC Ready Math	31%	31%	32%	24%

\*\*\* No Data for 2020 due to COVID 19 school closure

## Opportunities for Students

**Character Education** (Good Citizens)  
Students from each homeroom are recognized for positively modeling the character word for each month.

**Honor Roll** Each nine weeks, students are recognized for their academic achievement by receiving ribbons and treats for All A and A/B honor roll.

**Family Fun Nights** Parents and students are invited to participate in two Family Fun Nights. Teachers and community partners provide hands-on activities to promote literacy, math, and science.

**Book Fair** Our Media Center has two Scholastic Book Fairs per year; in the Fall and the Spring. These help to provide new resources for the library

**Field Trips** Students in grades 5K-5th grade enjoy a variety of field trips throughout the year some of which include visiting a local strawberry patch, the Augusta Canal, Bridgestone Industries, Ruth Patrick Science Education Center, and Phinizy Swamp.

**Safety Patrols** Students in 5th grade are selected to serve as the school safety patrols. They assist in many areas of the school such as morning car line, hall monitors, bathroom monitors, bus arrival/dismissal monitors, and flag team.

## Grants and Donations

SRNS Innovative Teaching Grants  
Golden Harvest Food Bank  
St. James Lutheran Church  
Donors Choose  
Rotary Club of Aiken  
Lions Club  
Public Education Partners  
Bridgestone  
2nd Providence Church  
Sage Valley Golf Club  
Cedar Creek Church  
Napier Funeral Home  
Central Carolina Community Foundation  
Quality Printing  
MV Church of the Nazarene  
Valley Empty Stocking Fund  
McDonalds (Graniteville)  
Christian Heritage Church  
Breezy Hill Baptist Church  
Grassroots Nursery  
Cold Creek Nursery  
Home Depot (Aiken)  
Steve Arthur's Orchids  
Sam's Club of Aiken  
Bojangles (Graniteville)  
Meggido Dream Station

## Community Partnerships

**Good News Club** This is a faith-based club sponsored by a local church. Students are invited to attend every Thursday after school.

**Looney Tunes Banking** Students learn how to save money by opening a savings account with Security Federal Bank. They are allowed to participate by making weekly deposits. Our 4th graders gain experience by acting as the bankers, under a bank representative's supervision.

**Back Pack Lunch** This program provides two weekend lunches per week for many of our students. The meals are provided by Golden Harvest Food Bank and are financed by St. James Lutheran Church and other members of the community.

**PTO** The Byrd Elementary School PTO is a public charity listed under IRS Code 501(c)(3) that serves to support the education of students by fostering relationships among the school, parents, and teachers. They sponsor many events and enrichment activities each year.

**K-Kids** This is a Kiwanis Club sponsored program which consists of 5th grade students who are involved in helping with various school-based community projects throughout the school year.