

**Renae Enlow, Principal**  
**Sara Beth Brown,**  
**Assistant Principal**

**School Improvement Council Members**

Theresa Reeves- Community Member -  
Chairperson  
Tempsett Jones- Parent/PTO President  
Terri Harris - Faculty Member  
Ivey Savage- Faculty Member  
Judy Moulton-Staff Member  
Jody Padgett- Community Member  
Tim Lintner-Community Member  
Renae Enlow- Principal  
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**2017-18 Teacher of the Year**  
**Michelle Crawford**

**2017-2018 First Year Teacher of the Year**  
**Jeannie Simmons**

**2017-2018 Support Staff of the Year**  
**Aiken County "Giving Even More"**  
**Honoree**  
**Ralph Flores**

Watch D. O. G. S.

Involving fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and other father figures in the school environment. These men volunteer their time to read and work with students. They join students at recess and lunch. The men are given a schedule to work with teachers to give some support to students and to be actively engaged with the daily routines of the school.



**Dads of Great Students**

**BYRD**  
**ELEMENTARY**

**Home of the**  
**Excellent Eagles**

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**TO THE PARENTS**  
**2017-2018**



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**BYES**

**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.

**Most Improved Students** Each nine weeks, students are recognized for having improved in either grades or behavior.

**How Full is Your Bucket?** Students earn “raindrops” for being kind to others. They are placed in a classroom bucket. Each month, the teacher draws a name from their bucket to participate in a fun activity.

**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. Which helps to provide new resources for the library and funding for the Summer reading program.

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

Assessment Data	2015	2016	2017
3rd SC Ready ELA		34%	33%
3rd SC Ready Math		32%	38%
4th SC Ready ELA		43%	30%
4th SC Ready Math		39%	24%
4th PASS SS	84%	82%	81%
4th PASS Science	66%	63%	48%
5th SC Ready ELA		29%	25%
5th SC Ready Math		20%	25%
5th PASS SS	53%	62%	68%
5th PASS Science	59%	51%	50%



**Community Partnerships**

**K-Kids** K-Kids, a Kiwanis Club sponsored program) consists of 5th grade students who are involved in helping with various school-based community projects throughout the school year; such as a food drive for Golden Harvest Food Bank, pet food drive for the Aiken County Animal Shelter, and the “Be A Bunny” project for the United Way

**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 fifth 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.

**Art Contests and Art Shows** Art students at Byrd Elementary participate in various art shows throughout the year including: the Agnes Mark Walter Youth Art Show and Competition, Palmetto Pride “Litter Trashes Everyone” Campaign, the Western Carolina State Fair Art Show and Competition, and the ACPSD Performing and Visual Arts