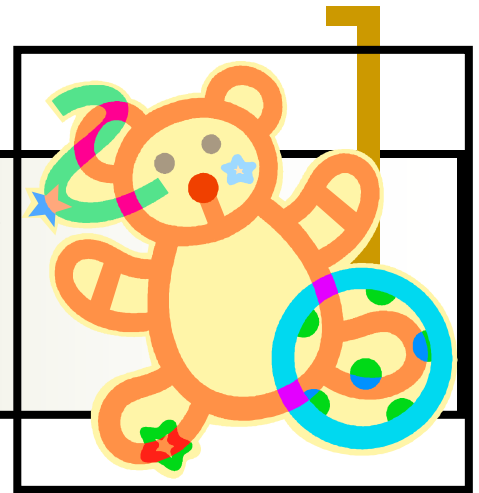


## BRAMLETT

“The essential parts of a good lesson include a clear learning objective, with some effort to provide background knowledge, guided practice, checks for understanding/formative assessment and independent practice/assessment (which can be one and the same.)”

Michael Schmoker



## BEARS

### ***Report to the People 2010-2011***

WE THE FACULTY AND STAFF ARE COMMITTED TO:  
CONTINUING COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT  
FOCUSING ON EARLY LITERACY AND MATH  
PLACING EMPHASIS ON CORE STATE STANDARDS  
ENHANCING INSTRUCTION THROUGH TECHNOLOGY  
IMPLEMENTING STRATEGIES THAT ARE RESEARCH-BASED  
PROVIDING AN ENVIRONMENT CONDUCIVE TO LEARNING AND SOCIABILITY

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**Cherokee County Mission Statement:** The Cherokee County School District will ensure that all students have skills necessary to succeed as responsible citizens.

**Goals:** Continue to improve test scores in all subject areas and enhance the learning environment.

**SUCSESSES and RECOGNITION**

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)  
School Status: Average  
Red Capet Award  
Big Mill **Community** Collaboration  
Community Bear Paw Award  
Fruit and Vegetable Grant  
Partnership with Limestone College  
Partnership Boys and Girls Club

**Percentage of all 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students passing 2010 PASS**

<b>ELA</b>	<b>80.0% Met/Exemplary</b>
<b>Writing</b>	<b>50.9% Met/Exemplary</b>
<b>Math</b>	<b>66.4% Met/Exemplary</b>
<b>Social Studies</b>	<b>45.3% Met/Exemplary</b>
<b>Science</b>	<b>36.5% Met/Exemplary</b>

***Teacher of the Year***  
**April Shelton**

**INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS, and INTERVENTIONS**

Response to Intervention  
Study Island  
Gifted and Talented Science  
Good News Club  
Beta Club  
Montessori  
Literacy Coach  
Student Council  
World of Readers  
Brain Pop  
After School Academy  
Field Trip to Atlanta Museum, Barrier Island, Cowpens Battle Ground  
PBIS: Positive Behavioral Intervention Support  
Take-Home-Book-Fair  
Celebrating SC Arts and History

**School Improvement Council Members**

**Chairperson: Stacy Camp**  
**Vice Chair: Cynthia Peeler**

**Community:** Cynthia Peeler, Vance Hammond, Wayde Dawson

**Parent: E. Manning, T. Peoples, S. Dawkins, J. Camp**  
**Ex-Officio:** Audrey McClary, Jennifer Parker  
**Teachers: L. Ellis, J. Waters, R. Morris, C. Gist, E. Gerstenacker**