## Welcome to Jenkins-White Elementary School



## Meet the Administrators



#### Mrs. Stacey King, Principal



Ms. Kathryn Stewart, Assistant Principal

# Meet the TEAM!!











### Pre –K Teacher Ms. Chavonne Steed

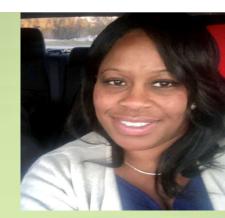
Welcome!

My name is Chavonne Steed.

I have worked with kids for twenty years.

- This is my 3<sup>rd</sup> year Teaching Pre-k
- •I worked as an Applied Behavior Therapist for 10 years
- •I worked as Teacher Assistant for 7 years I received my Bachelors in Business Administration (Accounting) and my Associates in Early Childhood Education.

I love teaching because I love to make a difference in a child and sometimes a parent's life.





## Ms.Lora Harriott Kindergarten

Hello, I am Ms. Harriott and I have a Bachelors Degree in Early Childhood Education and a Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. I have been teaching in Richmond County Schools for 14 years. I grew up on the coast of North Carolina and moved to Georgia in 1987. I have a son that has blessed me with 3 grandchildren. My youngest son will be getting married in October and I am very excited!

My desire as an educator is to build a respectful, nurturing, and positive learning environment so every child feels safe, comfortable and loved. "I believe all children are unique and all can learn just not on the same day or in the same way". I encourage every child to be the best they can be and reach for the stars

because the sky is the limit!

LET'S GO JENKINS-WHITE BEARS!



# Miss. Maes Kindergarten

This year I am excited to see students smile when they understand something Graduated from Lewis University in Romeoville, Illinois in 2019

This will be my first year teaching

Completed 3 internships in Disney World throughout college which made me realize that interacting with and helping kids is where my heart is at



#### Ms. Sanqual (Renee) Sampson Kindergarten Teacher Jenkins-White Elementary 2020-2021



#### Some Facts:

- I was raísed ín Augusta, Ga.
- I am a product of The Ríchmond County School System
- This will be my 6<sup>t</sup> year teaching;
- 0 5 Years ín Pre- K
- 0 Fírst year Kíndergarten
- I have two children: Patrick is 8 and Paislee is 2).
- I have two bad habits my students find out the first week we meet
- 0 Eating White Lily Self Rising Flour
- 0 Eating crushed ice
- (I'm severe anemíc):



#### • Who I am

Blessed, Strong, Beautíful, Motherly, kínd, Lovíng, Fríendly, Sassy (at tímes), Príssy, a Caprícorn and (sometímes) Quíet.

#### • What I enjoy:

Spending Time with Family and Friends, Swimming, Traveling, Reading and Shopping.

- Why I teach:
- to Inspíre
- to Share
- to Encourage,
- to Improve
- to Love





## MS. ROGERS

Ms. Rogers graduated with a Bachelors in Early Childhood Education from the University of Georgia. She loves being outside and watching Spider-man with her son. She is so excited to be a part of the Jenkins White Elementary family.

"The world needs a sense of worth, and it will achieve it only by its people feeling that they are worthwhile." -Fred Rogers

## Mrs. Bailey 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

- Married with 2 kids a boy and a girl
- Taught for 3 years (1 year in Middle School, 2 years in Elementary)
- Obtaining a Masters Degree
- Coaches Middle School Basketball
- Enjoys shopping, learning new things, teaching, and basketball
- Enjoys mentoring middle and high school girls and boys
- Enjoys cooking and traveling to different states and countries



## First Grade Teacher Tais Coard



- I was born and raised in Brooklyn, New York. I moved to Georgia in 2012. My Heritage is American Indian Cherokee, Christ Church, Barbados and Kingston, Jamaica. This is my 7th year of Teaching for Richmond County Public School, working in Fifth Grade, Fourth Grade, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, and PreK. I have a Master Degree in Education I can teach PreK-8<sup>th</sup> Grade. My favorite color is purple. I am a mom of four children, named Christopher 24, Javan 18, Briahna 14, and Roy who is 7 years old.
- Looking forward to meeting you and your child in the Fall....

## MS. SMITH IST GRADE

I graduated from Georgia Southern University
This is my first-year teaching
I love eating junk food!!! (cookies are my favorite)
I look forward to getting to know my students and parents
I believe that all students can learn





Welcome to second grade! I am very excited to meet all of you. I'm looking forward to an adventurous and fun school year. I have many interesting units and activities planned for our classroom. **A little about Me!** 

Hometown: Swainsboro, Ga

Degrees: Bachelor of Science in Education(2007), Master of Education(2013), Specialist in Education(2016) Augusta University Teaching Experience: 13 years

Hobbies: Traveling, reading, and spending time with my family. Contact Information: <u>smithev@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us</u>

(706)737-7266 Room 200

"A new school year means new beginnings, new adventures, new friendships, and new challenges."

#### MS. EVELYN SMITH

#### MARKETS, CRAFTS, AND LEARNING NEW THINGS. Welcome to Second Grade!! IM SUPER EXCITED FOR THE NEW YEAR AND CAN'T WAIT TO MEET EACH OF YOU. I HAVE SO MANY INTERESTING AND FUN ACTIVITIES PLANNED AS WE MOVE THROUGH OUR LESSONS THIS YEAR. I KNOW THINGS MAY SEEM CONFUSING AND STRESSFUL SO I WANT YOU TO KNOW I AM HERE FOR YOU TO HELP SUPPORT YOU IN ANY WAY I CAN.

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TOGETHER, WE ARE THE...

BUILDING EXCELLENCE

THROUGH

ACADEMICS, RESPECT, AND SUCCESS!





## KATHY JACKSON

EMAIL: <u>JACKSKA1@BOE.RICHMOND.K12.GA.US</u> (706-737-7266)



Facts About Me!:
 Taught Pre-K for 13 years in a private setting

 Worked in the business field until the Fall of 2018

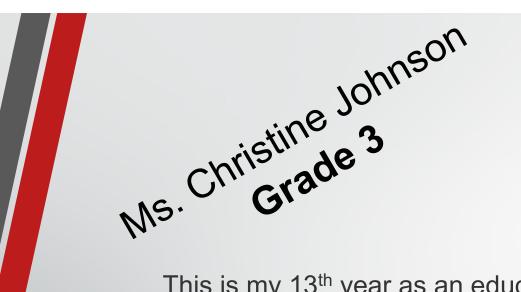
Taught 3<sup>rd</sup> graders Science and Social Studies at Terrace Manor Elem

Co-taught 5<sup>th</sup> grade Science and Social Studies and E.I.P.

*Philosophy* Given the opportunity, every

"Given the opportunity, every child has the ability to learn"





This is my 13<sup>th</sup> year as an educator in Richmond County, and I am ecstatic to be affiliated with Jenkins White. I am looking forward to working with our dedicated parents, and involved community members. Most of all, I look forward to working with my students to prepare them to be successful beyond their K-12 experience in the 21st Century. "The consequences of today are determined by the actions of the past. To change your future, alter your decisions today."

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2020-2021

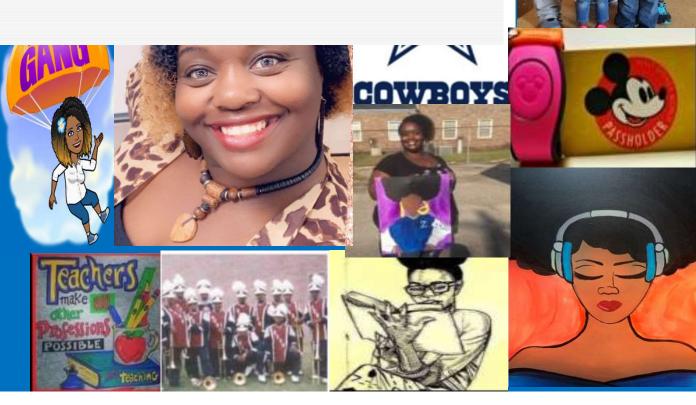
## Mrs. Tripp – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Math and Science

- I am married and have three beautiful children ages, 6, 4, and 1.
- I was born and raised in Augusta, GA (Go Musketeers!) and moved to Florida for two years when I got married.
- My favorite color is **purple**.
- Coffee is my go to every morning ☺
- I love to travel and make new memories with my family.
- I love teaching and have always wanted to be a teacher since I was younger.
- I recently graduated from Augusta University with my bachelors in Early Childhood Education, so this will be my first year teaching!
- Lastly, I am excited to get to know and love the students and parents at Jenkins-White Elementary!





- I have worked in the Richmond County School System for nineteen years. I have taught only third grade until I was afforded the opportunity to teach fourth grade as of a couple of years ago. I am very passionate about reading as it has become the one subject I have taught continuously during my career. I am very proud to be a part of my students reaching their academic plateau and much success has been shared with them.
- I received my Associate Degree from Georgia Military College, My B.S. from Paine College, M.S. from Cambridge College in Boston, and my Ed.S from Capella University in Minnesota.
- My expertise in teaching and learning will make for a rewarding, challenging, loving and caring experience for your child. It has been my experience that when you give your best you get the best in return. Therefore, I am expecting only the best from your child.
- Thank You,
- Ms. Murphy
- Married with 2 children
- Marched on the 101 Marching Band
- Play 7 different instruments
- Loves Disney, Football, Reading, Painting, and listening to music
- Phi Beta Sorority
   Inc., and Tau Beta
   Sigma National
   Honorary Band
   Sorority
   Favorite color is
- Favorite color is BLUE and my Favorite print is leopard
   SUPER EXCITED ABOUT THIS SCHOOL YEAR!!



## Meet the Teacher

Welcome My Name is Ms. Tia Scott and I am your new fourth grade Social Studies and Science Teacher. I am an alum from Claflin University with a Bachelor's Degree in African American Studies with a minor in history. Working with young people has consistently been a genuine passion for me! This is my first year teaching so I am eager to see what's in store! Outside of work I enjoy spending time with my friends and traveling.

Communication is one of the **Key Components** of a successful year ! If you have any questions please feel free to email me at **Scottti@richmond.k12.ga.us** 



Sigma Gamma Rho

## Ms. Sheila J. Murphy

- Fourth Grade English Language Arts Instructor
- I grew up in South Carolina. I am the mother of five beautiful children and recently became a widow.
- I have worked in the Richmond County School System for nineteen years. I have taught only third grade until I was
  afforded the opportunity to teach fourth grade as of a couple of years ago. I am very passionate about reading as it
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### Ms. Sharon Griffin 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Math "Preparation + Opportunity = Success"



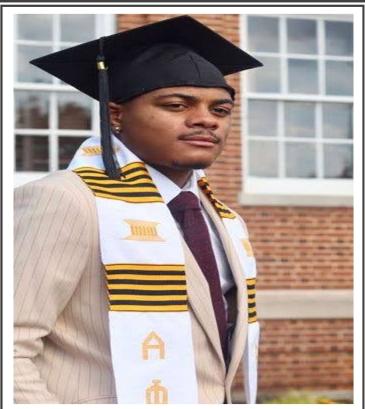
Teaching Philosophy: "All children deserve and are entitled to a quality education based on their individual needs."

Years Teaching: 17 years

**Teaching Experience:** 

- ILMC 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Math and Science (2 years)
- Spirit Creek Middle School 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Math (4 years) and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science (2 years)
- Ursula Collins K-8 School 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Math (5 years) and 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science (4 years)
- Langford Middle School 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Intervention (1 year)
- Tubman Middle School 7<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA (1 year)

East Augusta Middle School - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA (4 years)



- Hometown: Aiken, SC
- Claflin University
- B.A. in Political Science (Class of 2020)





### Mr. Matthew Coverson-Springs 5th Grade Science & Social Studies

Hello parents and students! I am Mr. Springs, a recent graduate from Claflin University and your 5th Grade Science & Social Studies teacher here at Jenkins-White Elementary. Being a first-time teacher, I plan to use all my different experiences as well as teamwork to make this year as engaging as possible. Please feel free to contact me so we can get more familiar and prepare for this great year!

Email me at CoverMa@BOE.Richmond.k12.ga.us

meet the teacher. Mrs. Ba





Hello, and welcome to a new year! I am so excited to have your child in my class. This year will be full of new, fun, and challenging learning opportunities. I can't wait to get started!

#### **Teacher Favorites**

- Coke Zero
- Audio Books
- Track Series by Jason Reynolds
- Dark Chocolate

all about the teacher

This is my 5<sup>th</sup> year teaching. We are a military family and just moved here from OK. I have two children: Oz, 8 and Arabelle, 5. I love helping students take responsibility for their own learning. I will be teaching Virtual 5<sup>th</sup> grade this year. I believe if a child doesn't like reading, they just haven't been shown the right book, yet!



#### MS. HARRIETT F. GODBEE

#### SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER



- I've worked in Richmond County Schools for 34 years.
- I've worked as a Special Education Teacher for the last 27 years in Richmond County Schools.
- My passion is working with all children, but especially with Students with Disabilities.
- I'm big on reading to students to get them thinking, making predictions, and responding to questions (pointing to pictures, or using their words).
- I really enjoy doing arts and crafts with students using large and small motor skills, language skills, and cognitive skills.



## Ms. Carey's Teaching Style

I believe in maintaining a happy positive learning environment. Student's learn best when the material is
personalized to their learning styles. Every child is capable of learning. Our job is to help each student to
discover, learn, and have fun while doing it.

MS. WELLS AUTISM PARAPROFESSIONAL EMAIL: WELLSJO@RICHMOND.K12.GA.US

MS. WELLS IS DEDICATED TO AFFECTING CHANGE THAT LEADS TO POSITIVE RESULTS ALIGNED WITH ORGANIZATIONAL OBJECTIVES. WITH A ASSOCIATES DEGREE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. SHE IS A NATIVE OF AUGUSTA, GEORGIA. MS. WELLS BRINGS SEVERAL YEARS OF EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE ASSISTING STUDENTS GRADES K-12. MUCH OF THOSE YEARS WERE SPENT IN THE CLASSROOM AS A SPECIAL EDUCATION PARAPROFESSIONAL.

"EDUCATION IS OUR PASSPORT TO THE FUTURE, FOR TOMORROW BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE WHO PREPARE FOR IT TODAY. "

JENKINS WHITE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL





# Specials Classes







# Kimberly Franks – Media Specialist

This is my first year being a media specialist but second year here at Jenkins-White. I have been an educator for 18 years and love it. I am married with two children and two fur babies. I enjoy golfing, football, and spending time with my family. I look forward to seeing you in the media center! War Eagle!











## **About Me**



My name is Marcus Walden and I will be your child's physical education teacher this year. As an athlete I was educated on the importance of health and physical education. While being a student athlete I was very fortunate to have numerous opportunities that have shaped my passion. Being out in the community, coaching youth leagues I quickly was reminded the importance of sports. I realized, it was more than playing the sport. I intend on this school year being informative and exciting for your child. Your child will be participating in multiple activities, sports, and state mandated fitness testing. Some of the activities that your child will be participating in will be activities that develop motor skills, team activities, cooperation, physical fitness, and recreational skills. I do not ask your child to be a sport superstar but what I do ask, is that your child comes to class every day and follows the class rules, participates, and gives 100% effort in physical education.

Students learn in a variety of ways in P.E. class. The goal is to provide maximum participation for each student and to provide challenges and successes for each ability level within the class.





### MY JOURNEY IN THE WORLD OF MUSIC EDUCATION





# Office and Support Staff







Mrs. Rochelle Sharps

Can I help you?

REGISTRATION WITHDRAWALS STUDENT INFORMATION UPDATES PARENT PORTAL PROGRESS REPORTS

"Be that person who believes anything is possible and be willing to work for it!"\_\_\_\_

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## JENKINS-WHITE ELEMENTARY BOOKKEEPER CELIA TATRO

HELLO PARENTS AND STUDENTS! MY NAME IS CELIA TATRO AND I'M THE NEW BOOKKEEPER AT JENKINS-WHITE ELEMENTARY. I WAS BORN AND RAISED IN MISSOURI AND I MOVED TO AUGUSTA IN 2016 AFTER LIVING IN CALIFORNIA AND ITALY FOR A FEW YEARS. I HAVE TWO ENERGETIC BOYS AGES 5 AND 11 THAT KEEP ME ON MY TOES. I'VE BEEN WORKING WITH RICHMOND COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SINCE 2018 AND I'M VERY EXCITED TO START MY NEW JOURNEY AT JENKINS-WHITE!







I am your School Counselor Ms. Reid-Palmer I don't have a magic wand A crystal ball or all the answers But I do have ears to listen A heart to care & time to give I have ideas & an open mind I am your school counselor I am here for you



SOCIAL AND ENOTIONAL LEARNING • Self-Awareness • Self-Management • Social Awareness • Relationship Skills • Responsible Decision-Making



#### Ready, Set, GO!! Your Future Awaits!







## MS. TRIMMINGHAM

#### HELLO,

I HAVE BEEN TEACHING FOR OVER 20 YEARS AND I STILL LOVE WHAT I DO. I HAVE MY SPECIALIST DEGREE IN CURRICULUM AND A READING AND MATH ENDORSEMENT. THIS YEAR I WILL BE AN AUGMENT TEACHER FOR GRADES 3-5. I WILL BE ASSISTING STUDENTS IN READING AND MATH. I LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING AND WORKING WITH YOUR CHILD. THE SKY IS THE LIMIT WITH ALL OF US WORKING TOGETHER.



Mrs. Mamie Kelly

Mamie Kelly is an Instructional Specialist in the Richmond County School System.

Before becoming an Instructional Specialist, she taught various elementary grades for 24 years.

Mrs. Kelly received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education from Claflin University in Orangeburg, South Carolina. She is also certified in middle grades education. Mrs. Kelly holds a Masters Degree in Counseling from Troy State University.

Mrs. Kelly enjoys family time, mentoring, traveling and helping others.

**Philosophy:** Every student has the potential to learn through motivation, accountability, determination and desire. All students can learn in a promoting instructional environment that allows engagement, exploring and a collaborative structure.

## We are excited and ready to see you!













