Physical Education Department

Teacher: Mrs. Carroll

Welcome to the 2025 – 2026 School Year

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the PE department at Blythe Elementary School. The physical education (P.E.) program at Blythe Elementary School involves students in grades K-5.

It is important that your child wear the **proper shoes** for Physical Education class (**tennis shoes, running shoes, sneakers**) in order to participate safely in our class activities and to be successful with the activities.

(**RCBOE Student Conduct manual**).

The following shoes are not appropriate for Physical Education class (dress shoes, boots, sandals, Hey Dudes, Crocs, etc.). These shoes are allowed to be worn to school but are not appropriate for Physical Education class.

Students who do not have on the correct shoes, will be given an alternate assignment to complete.

Please work with your child to wear or bring (in their backpacks) the proper athletic shoes for PE to ensure their safety and active participation within our PE class. If you would like, the student can bring in a pair of tennis shoes in a Ziploc bag and leave in the shoe bin I have in the gym.

**Students are expected to:**

Participate to the fullest of their abilities at all times.

Treat teachers and classmates with respect at all times.

Participate in a safe manner.

Handle equipment in an appropriate manner and report all broken or damaged equipment to the teacher.

If your child, for any medical reason, cannot participate in Physical Education please send a note with them stating their first and last name, their classroom teacher’s name and the date. When the medical condition requires non-participation for more **than three PE days (one week) please obtain a note from the medical provider stating when the student can return to Physical Education class**. Students not participating in regular activity will be given written work to make up for the daily grade or will not receive a participation grade for that day.

If you have any questions please contact me. carrota@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us

Looking forward to an active and fun year at Blythe.

Thank you,

Tabitha Carroll