

Welcome

Welcome to Aiken Intermediate School, Home of the Explorers, where we will Explore and Discover! I am terribly excited to begin this new, exciting journey with you and your child.

My name is Dr. Bacon. I will be your child's ELA teacher. I am looking forward to building relationships, exploring, and discovering with you and your child this school year!

This brochure includes information about me, our class, our administration, supplies needed for your child, and requested donations for our class.

Please be on the lookout for additional information. If you have questions, comments, or need assistance feel free to email me at lbacon@acpsd.net.

ALL ABOUT ME



- Beginning my 32nd year as an educator in Aiken County Public Schools (ACPS).
- Began my career in 1989 as a 4th grade teacher at Aiken Elementary.
- Moved to Kennedy Middle School in 1992 where I taught 6th Science and/or Social Studies for sixteen years.
- Served as an Assistant Principal at Aiken High School from 2009-2012.
- Served as the Principal of Busbee Elementary/Corbett Middle Schools from 2012-2016.
- Served as the ACPS Middle Level Social Studies Content Interventionist for two years from 2016-2018.
- Retired in November 2017 but wanted to return to my first love—teaching!
- Graduated from USC Aiken and Columbia and Augusta State University.
- Earned my Doctorate in Educational Administration from Georgia Southern University in 2011.
- Married with two daughters and five granddaughters.

English Language Arts

C.O.M.P.A.S.S. Expectations

C - Come Prepared to Learn

O - Own Your Actions

M - Make Safe Choices

P - Persevere

A - Advocate for Yourself and Others

S - Set and Achieve Goals

S - Show Pride in Your School

Capturing Kids' Hearts (CKH)

CKH is a relationship building approach to discipline that creates self-managing groups in the classroom.

What Your Child Will Learn

- Inquiry-Based Literacy
- Reading—Literary Text
- Reading—Informational Text
- Writing
- Communication
- Disciplinary Literacy

Administration

Mrs. Denise McCray
Principal

Mrs. Jamie Byrne
Assistant Principal

Mrs. Alecia Kinard
Assistant Principal

Mr. Robb Underwood
Lead School Counselor

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Supplies Needed For Your Child

- Loose leaf notebook paper
- 2 composition notebooks
- 1 green folder with brads and pockets
- Pencils
- Pencil pouch
- Pencil sharpener with case
- Colored pencils or crayons
- Highlighters
- Glue sticks
- Scissors
- Earbuds
- Water bottle

Requested Donations For Our Class

- Hand sanitizer
- Clorox/Lysol wipes
- Lysol Spray
- Kleenex

Purchase What Is Needed.
Donate What You Can!

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