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Middle
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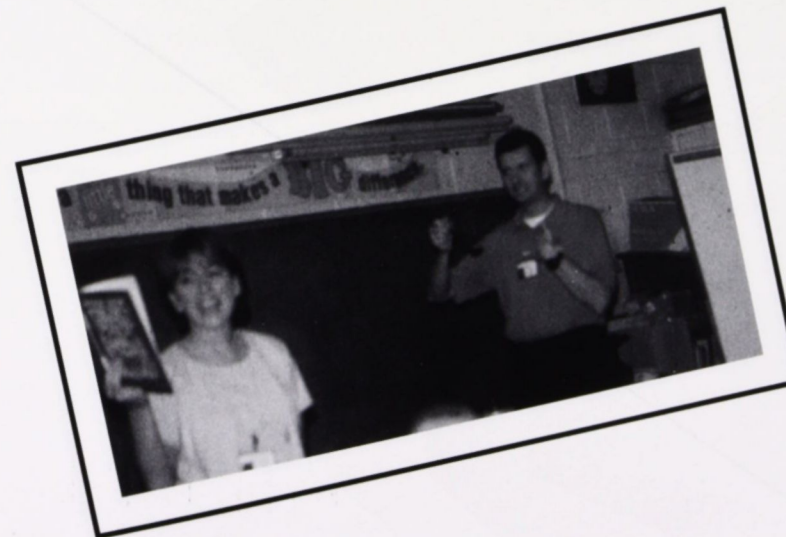


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Your Guides...



To Learning...



Leading you...



...Through Experience.



School Administrators

Dr. R. Kirkpatrick, Principal
Mrs. P. Joiner, Assistant
Principal



School Secretaries

Mrs. R. Harris, School
Secretary
Ms. J. Humphrey, School
Secretary
Ms. M. Young, School
Secretary



School Counselors

Mrs. V. Griffith, School Counselor
Mrs. D. Levy, School Counselor
Mr. G. Small, School Counselor

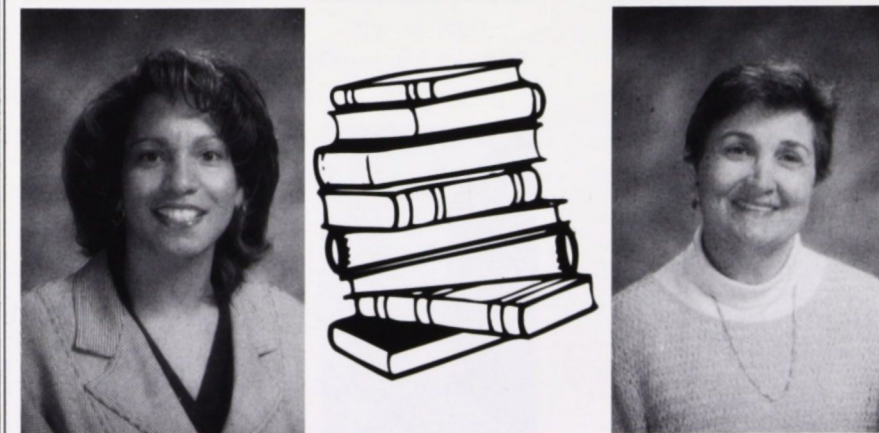


Specialists/Technicians/Nurse

Ms. R. Aldridge, Information Spec.
Mrs. B. Cain, Supply Technician
Mrs. M. Lange, Education Tech.



Mrs. A. Lyles, Library Technician
Mrs. N. Miller, School Nurse



Special Area...



Mrs. L. Ashley,
Music Teacher



Mrs. C. Averill,
Instructional
Support Teacher



Mrs. E. Bates,
Interpreter



Mr. R. Caudill, Art
Teacher



Mrs. K. Carter,
Special Education
Teacher



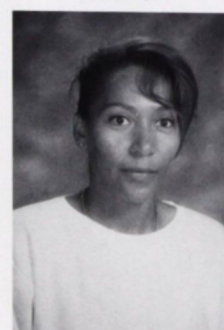
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Special Education
Teacher



Mrs. B. Dalton, IA
Computer Lab



Ms. R. Dobbins,
Special Education
Teacher



Mrs. H. Gelpi,
Physical Education
Teacher



Mrs. E. Graham,
Instructional
Support Teacher



Mrs. S.
Gunderson,
Science Lab



Mrs. B. Hayford,
IA Special
Education



Mrs. D. Jones, Art
Teacher



....Teachers and Staff Members



Mrs. S. Keane,
Computer Teacher



Mrs. E. Key, ECAM



Mrs. A. Little,
Instructional
Support Teacher



Mrs. N. Miller,
Instructional
Support Teacher



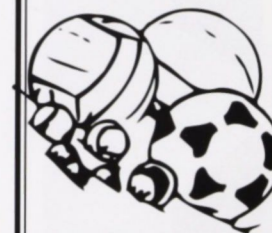
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Special Education
Teacher



Sgt. Pecchia, DARE
Officer



Mrs. C. Powell,
Speech
Pathologist



Ms. M. Rich,
Physical Education
Teacher



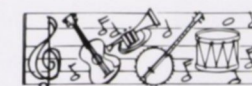
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Teacher



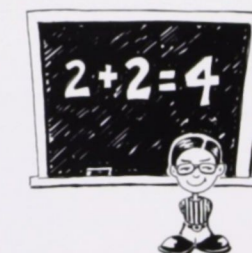
Mrs. L. Shaw, IA
Special Education



Mr. R. Thomas,
Music Teacher



Mr. M. Trimble
TAG Teacher



Sgt. Valentine,
DARE Officer

Cafeteria Staff



School Lunch Rules!

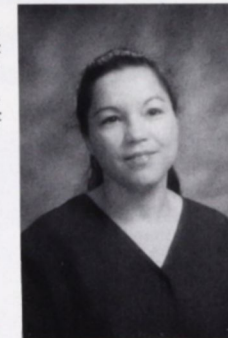
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Cafeteria Manager



Mrs. S. Carr,
Cafeteria Clerk
Mrs. L. Turner,
Cafeteria Clerk



Mrs. N. Berrios,
Cafeteria Staff
Mrs. N. Broomfield,
Cafeteria Staff



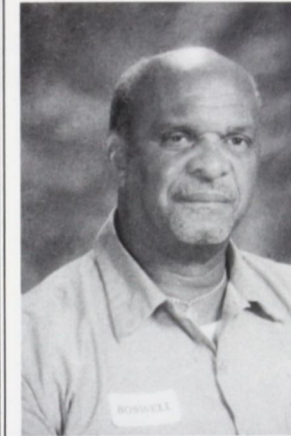
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Mrs. P. Jenkins,
Cafeteria Staff
Mrs. B. Jones,
Cafeteria Staff



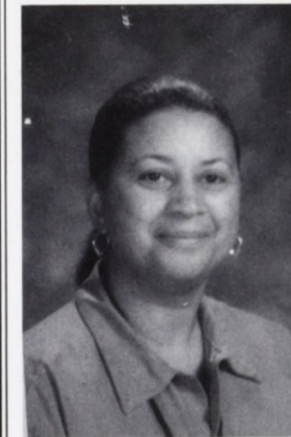
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Mrs. Y. White, Cafeteria Staff
Ms. Wagner, Cafeteria Staff
Mrs. R. Torres, Cafeteria Monitor



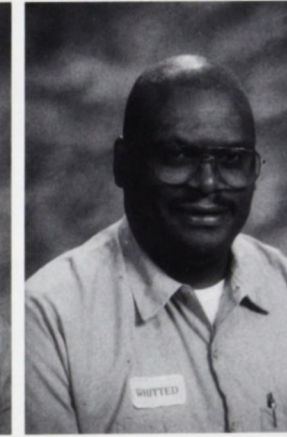
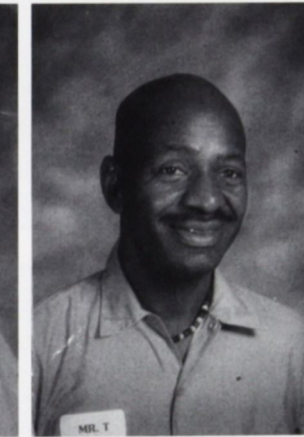
Custodial Staff



Mr. B. Boswell
Mrs. J. Douglas

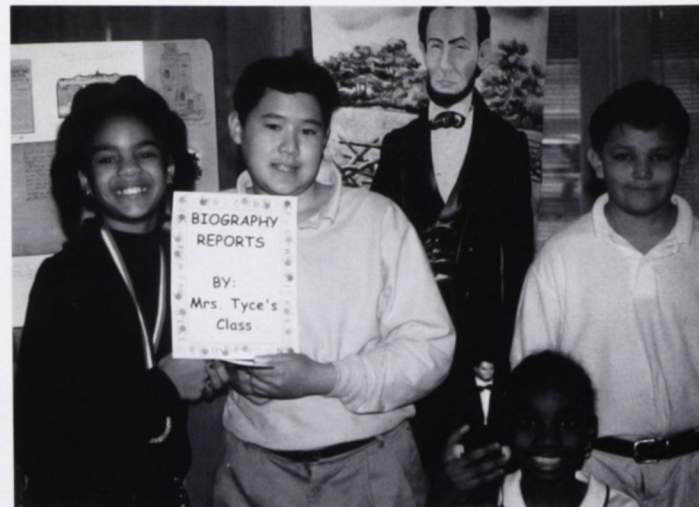
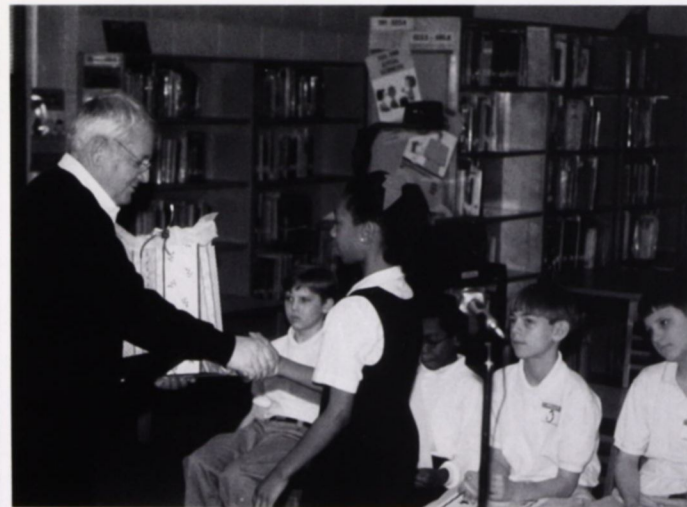
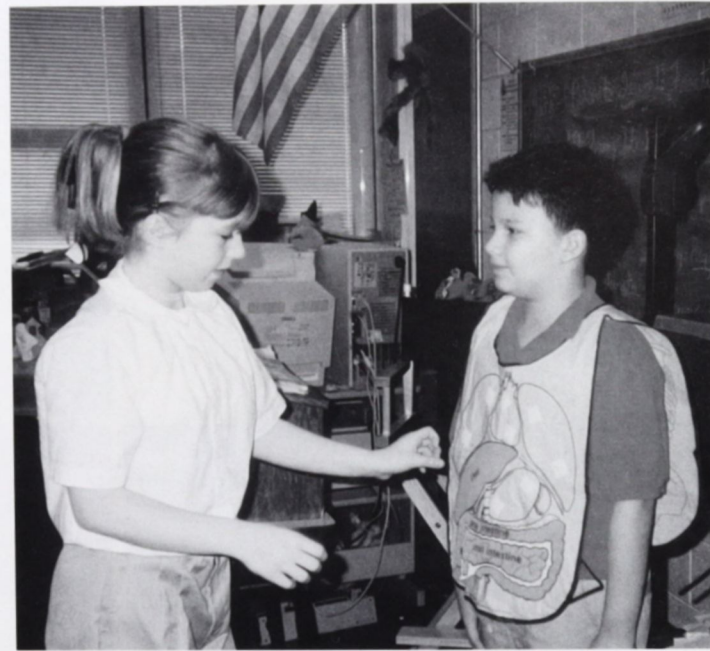


Ms. B. Simmons
Mr. C. Terrell
Mr. B. Whitted

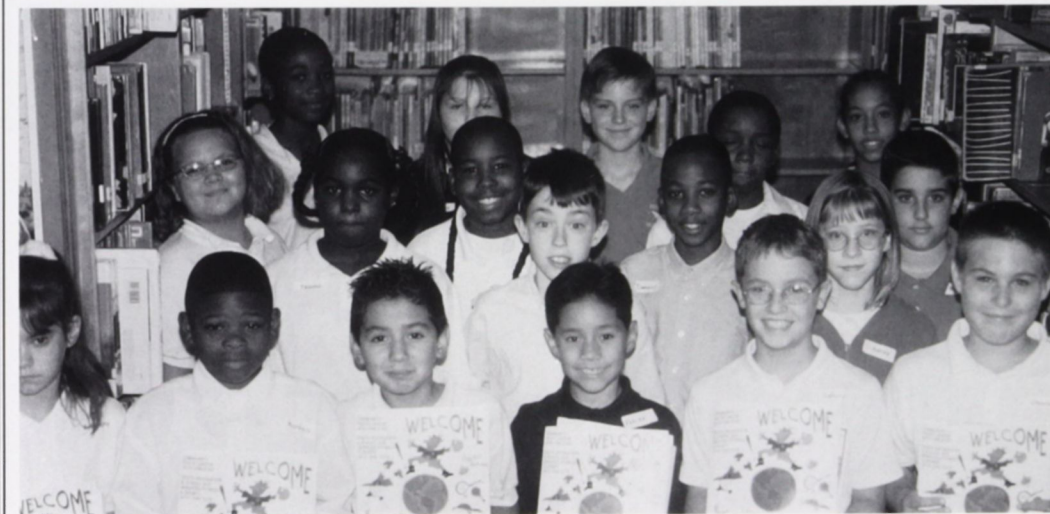
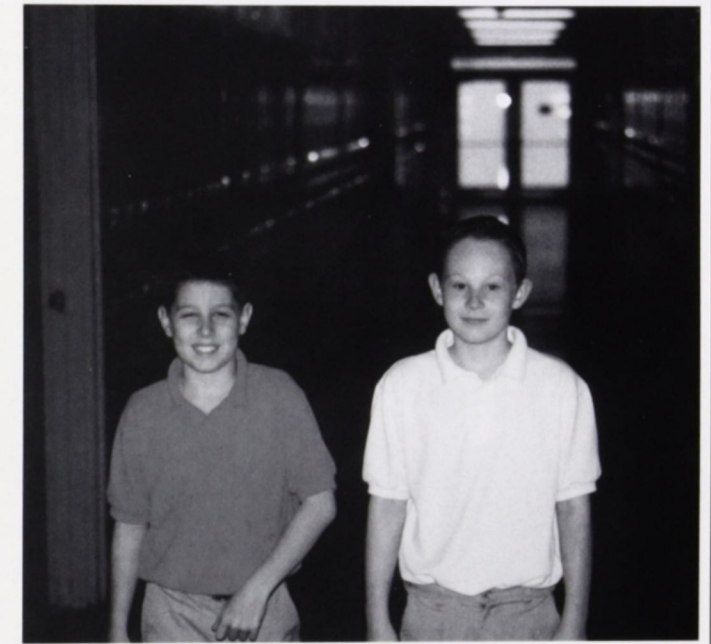


Team Work!

Travelers on the road...



...to Knowledge.



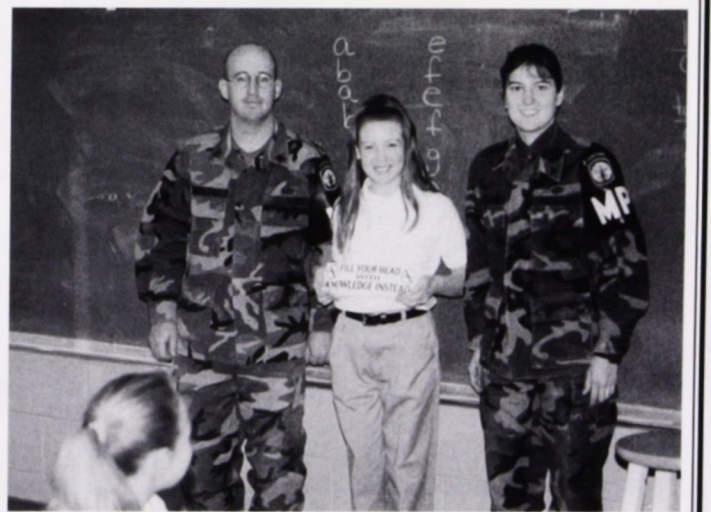
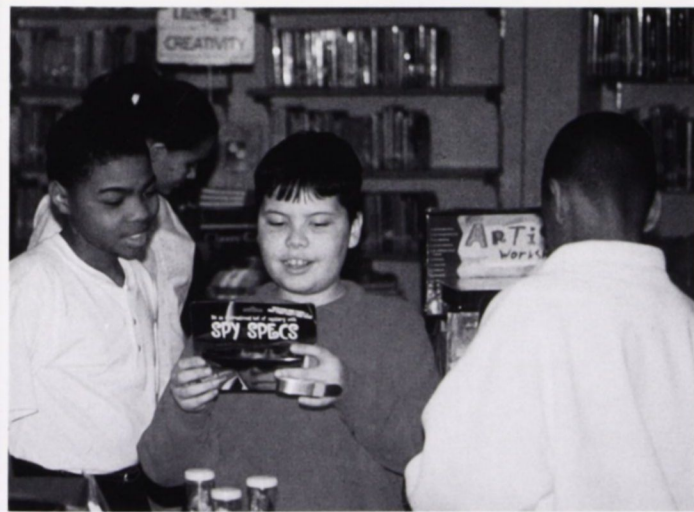
Going Here...



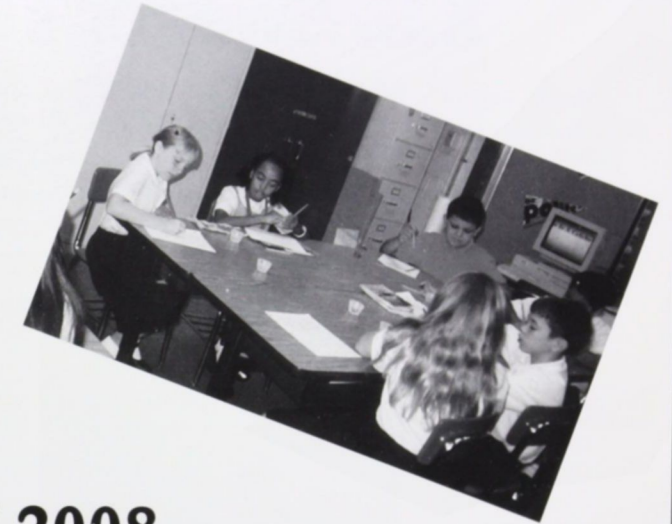
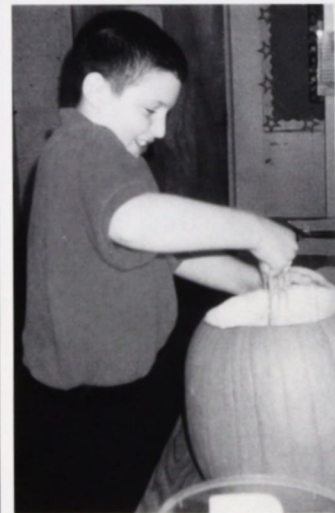
Memory Tour



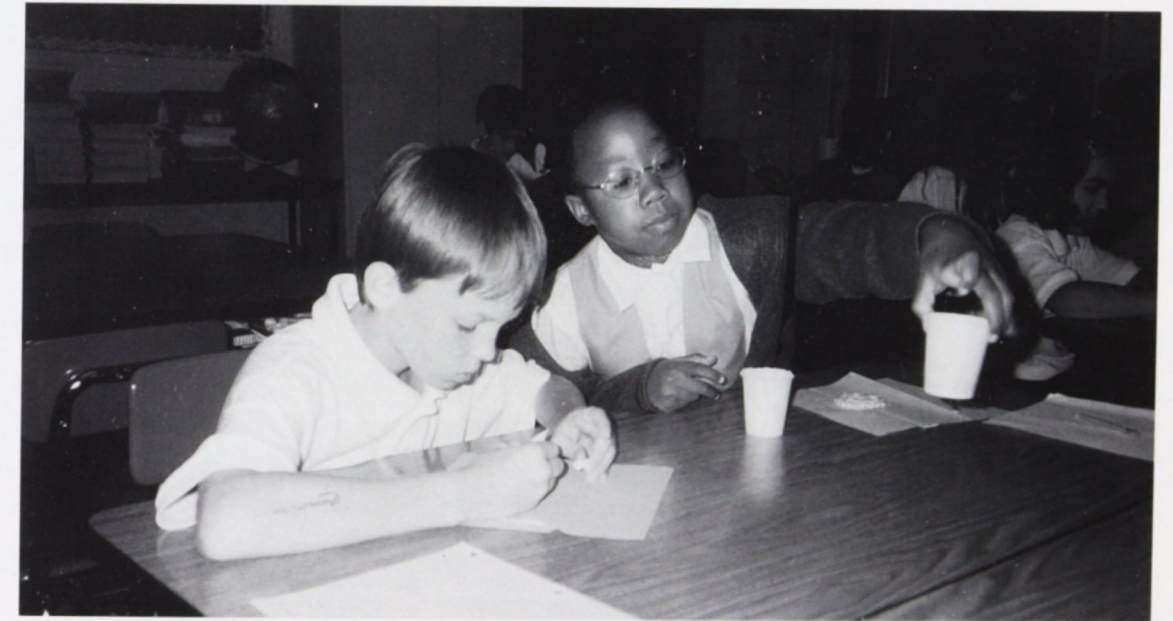
...Going There...



Going Everywhere!



Class of 2008



Destination: Future - Respect,
Caring, Trustworthiness, Citizenship

S.S. Sweger's Crew Members

Mrs. C. Sweger
Gregory Adams-Doll
William Berrios, Jr.
Tyler Brienza
James Busbee
Alexandria Conn



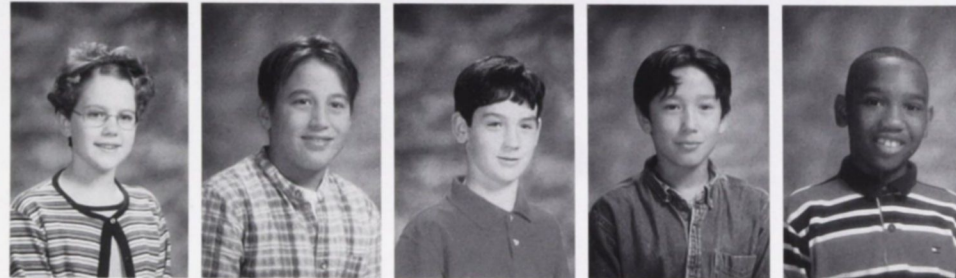
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Markeis Dawkins
Wayne Delaney
Megan Ford
Dakota Forler
Karla Gallardo



Genesis Haskell
Cody Hughes
Bradley Jenkins
Kelsy Judy
Justin Maxwell
Briana McKinney



Henryk Maldonado
Emilee Montgomery
Austin Noel
Jeffery Patterson
Ricky Peck
Marcellus Ponder



Christopher Smith
Kia Thomas



Aaron Villarreal



Tyce's Terrific Terminators



Mrs. L. Tyce
Richelle Ang
Ashley Arellanes
Audriana Belcher
Christopher Castaneda
Lakeisha Clayborne



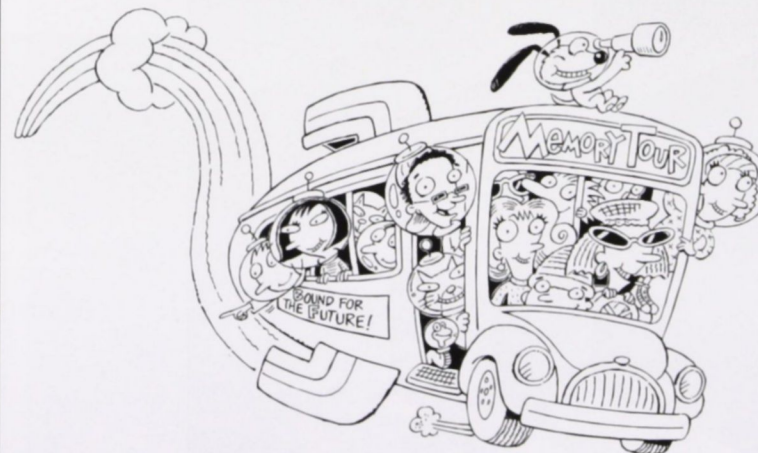
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Justin Edora
Ce'lina Ellies
Kristin Frederick
Branden Hamilton



Collin Harris
Darius Henry
Timothy Kramer
Gregory Lott
David Lukens
Raul Maciel



Jody Malloy
Whitney Mantiply
Jeremie McCabe
Kirsten Robinson
Curtis Roper
Jessica Simmons



Joshua Strickland
Kimberly Swank



Tamara Valdejuli
Ansenio White

Mrs. Joas' Jaguars

Mrs. D. Joas
William Bither, Jr.
Daniel Breakiron
Rachel Brooks
Ari Burrell
Brandi Carpenter



Jessica Creasy
Maria Geiger
Gabrielle Henry
Ashley Heroneme
Taylor Hunter
Joyclin Johnson



Allan Jones
Gregory Jones
Kyle LaRue
Wayne Lindsay
Larry Lyles
Heather Martin



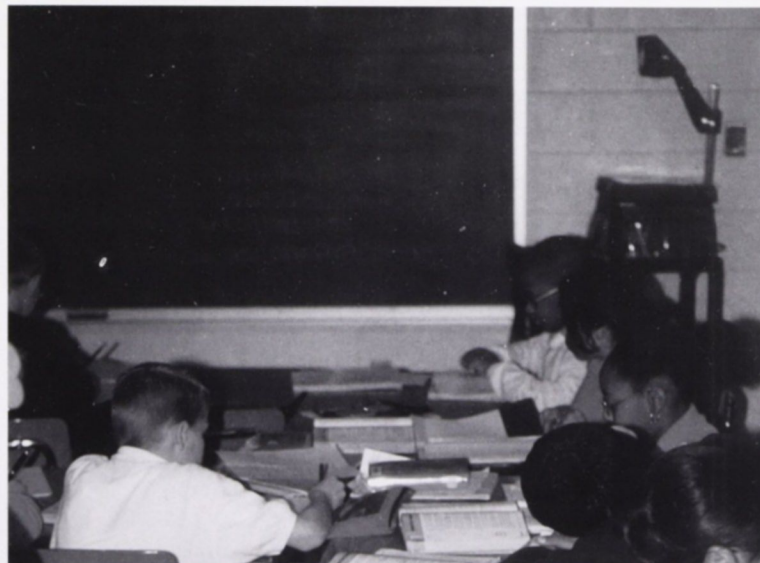
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Meghan Morris
Jordan Robinson
Adam Shepherd
Julian Stewart
Larrissa Tajeron



Markus Thornton
Jacob Weber

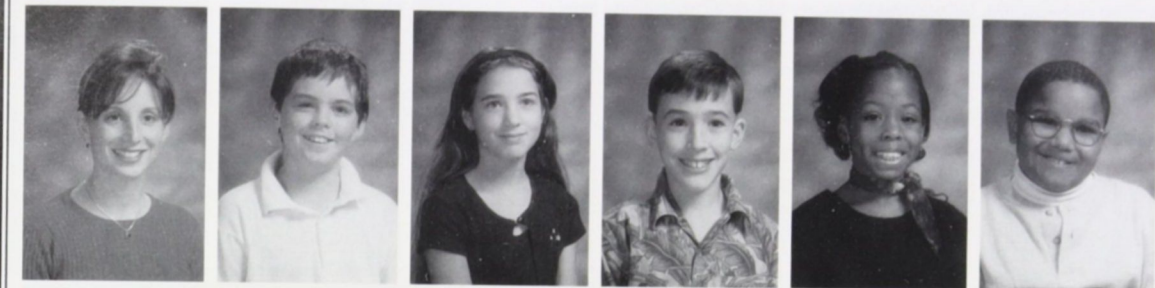


Victoria White

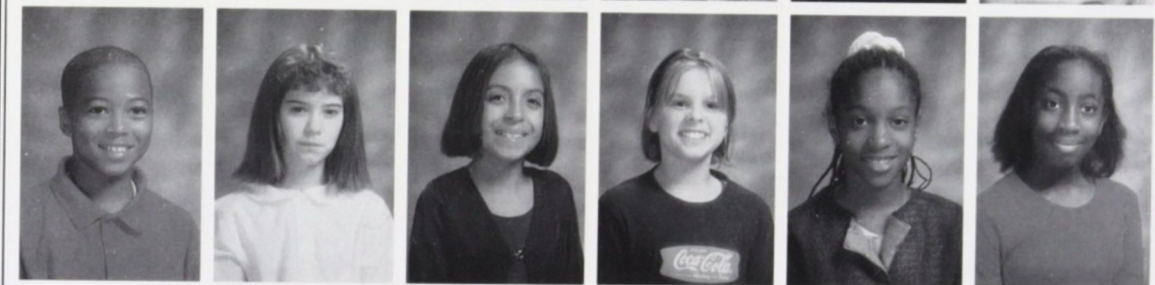


Falcone's Fabulous Falcons

Mrs. K. Falcone
Logan Carver
Samantha Catalano
Rion Curtis
Kanisha Deas
Nicholas DeLeon



Charles Dixon
Brittany Dunkelberger
Clairissa Elizalde
Suzanne Harrell
Asia Herring
Juanita Jones



Brian Kiely
Megan Ledbetter
Jamie Lee
Jessica Redmore
Josh Saavedra
Sierra Santiago



Travis Stratton
Jessica Taliaferro
Shannon Trotman
Yessenia Valldejuli
Heriberto Velazquez
Michael Warner

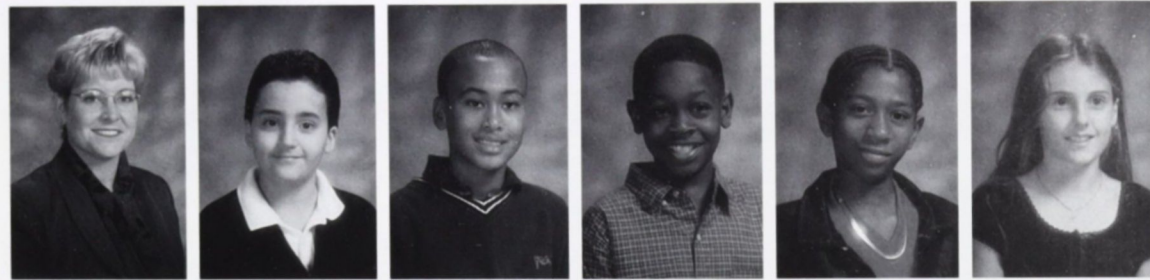


Justin Weber
Zachery Zyzyk

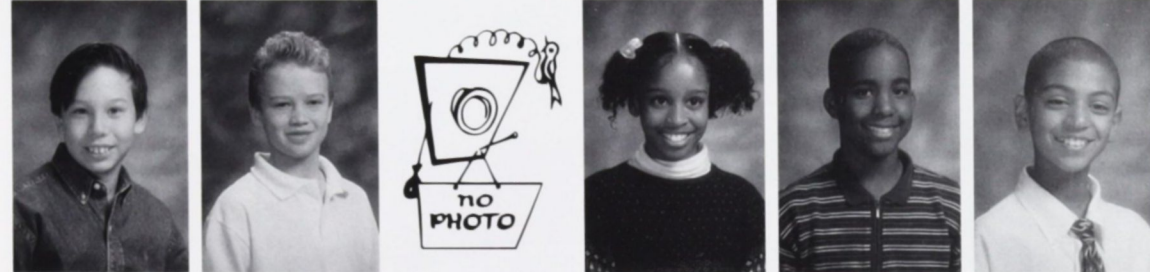


Todd's Tremendous Team

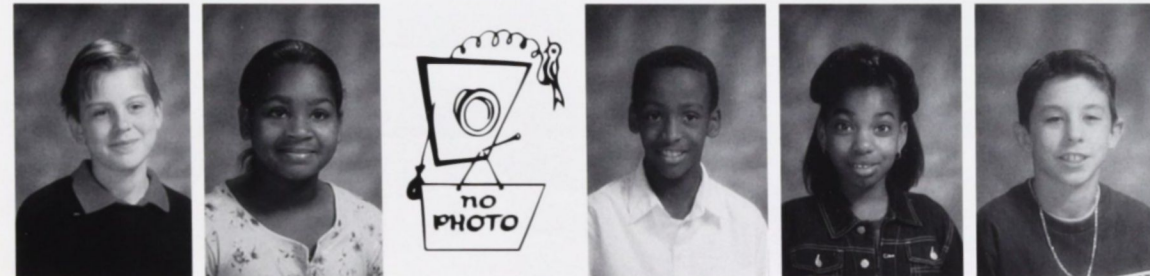
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Miguel Barbosa
Michael Brandon
Mack Brewington
Arthur Carr
Chloe Colles



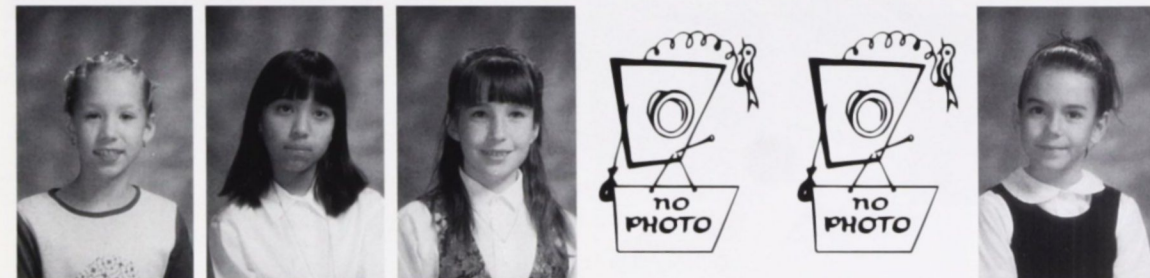
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William Lugo



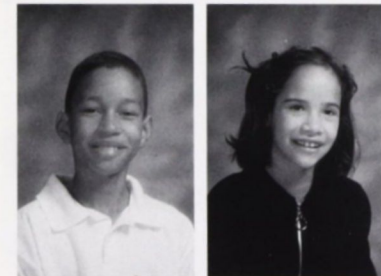
Leo Martin
Shianne McGill
Quetella McNeill
Cory Middlebrook
Ashley Moore
Lian Parsons



Emma Pauling
Megan Reed
Katherine Savage
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Kristen Sims
Paige Sprouse



Trevor Taliaferro
Melissa Vargas



Shane Yingling

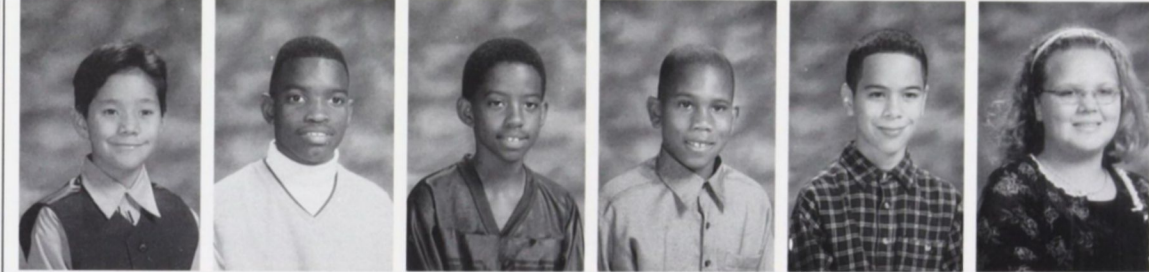


Parnell's Pride

Mrs. P. Parnell
Parris Bell
Matthew Carroll
Shateeka Cook
Angelica Delapeza
Candace Doan



Fabian Gallegos
Brendan Hodge
Darius Hunt
Darrell Hunter
Edwin Kalama
Amanda Kelosky



Ariel Lattimore
Jessica Maffey
Nathaniel Marbury
Jazmyne Matthews
Omar McFadden
Nayda Medina



Alyssa Morris
Ashley Nelson
Chelsea Plumbhoff
Michael Sadler II
Andre Shanks
Rebecca Simmons



Samuel David Smith
Thomas Snyder



Lafayeshia Walker-Grays



Garrett's Gremlins

Mrs. L. Garrett
 Marcus Anderson
 Jose Arias
 Miguel Astudillo
 John Atkinson
 Terrance Baker



Candace Bliss
 Michael Brooks
 Alexis Carsten
 Andrea Chapa
 Rachael Culver
 Michael Delagarza



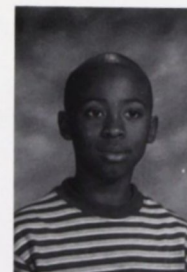
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 Monica Hunter
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Jennifer Rader
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 Destinie Smith
 Alexandra Torrez
 Angelique Warren



Bennie Wells



Howard's Hurricanes

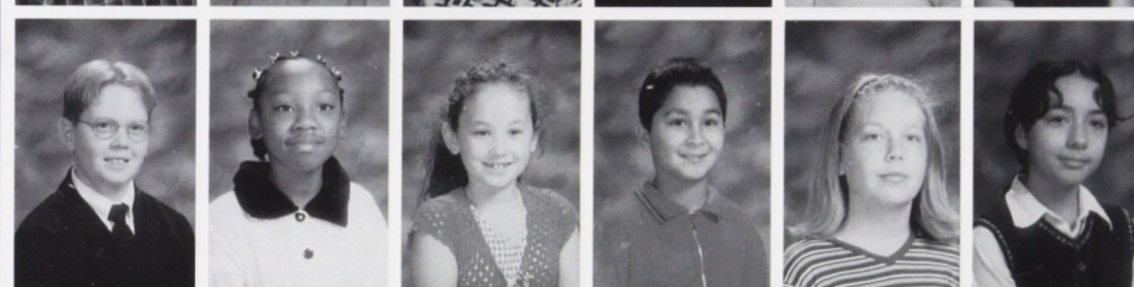
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 LiKeara Beatty
 Jonathan Bielecki
 Andre' Burgess
 Jessica A. Campbell
 Sabrina Catano



Mario Cordova
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 Amanda Harrison
 Stephanie Harrison
 Alysha Ireland



David Largent
 Ashanti McDow
 Meagan McLain
 Melvin Pagan
 Natasha Potter
 Sara Quintero



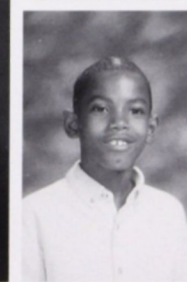
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 Christopher Romeo
 Dominic Ryan
 Jacob Sherrill
 Davious Shrieves



William Simmons III
 Caitlin Smith



D'Shane White



Davis' Daring Doers

Mrs. D. Davis
Kevin Armstrong
Corey Brown
Christopher Good
Kurt Gregory
Elissa Johansson



Kiunna Jones
Ryan King
Larry Kirby
Joshua Lugo
Colton McCauley
Elora McClellan



Candace Murphy
Justin Nebelkopf
Kathryn Newton
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Meagan Rubick
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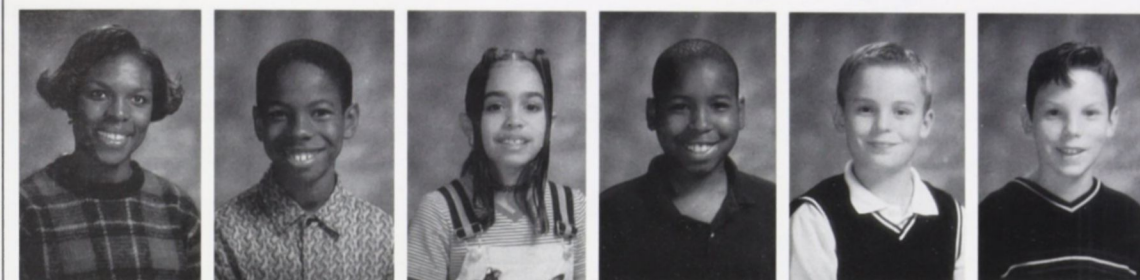


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Erica Wolfe



Durant's Dazzling Dyn-O-Mights

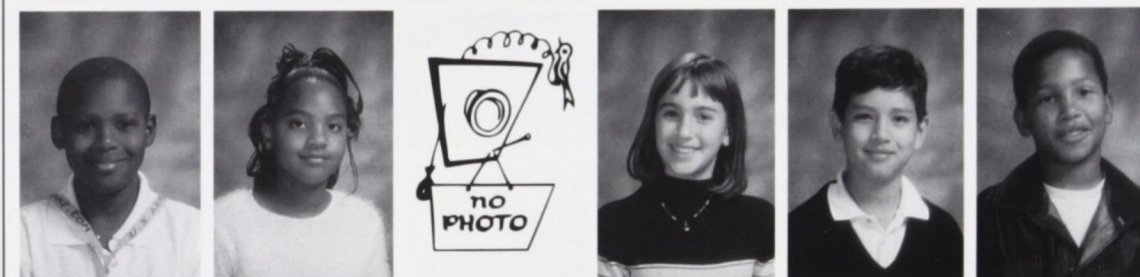
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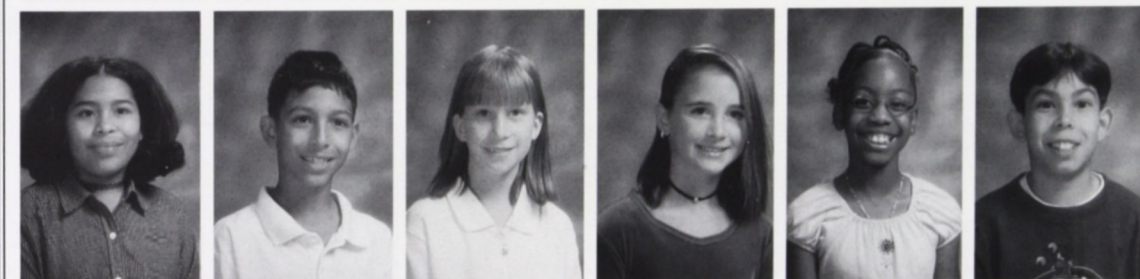
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Sarah Irick



Guymartin Jeannot
Kyauna Johnson
Oriana Leao
Rebecca Lee
Diego Martiz
Beau McKenzie



Maria Molina
Brian Nahim
Carly Prentice
Alexa Robb
Shanitra Rounds
Isaiah Ruckel



Eric Samperton
Ty Schrader



Bulger's Brainiacs

Mrs. K. Bulger
Ricardo Amaro
James Bailey
Kristen Begue
Kevin Brown
Miguel Castro



Jamie Copeland
Sherrie Davis
Brandon Fizer
Brian Gates
Wesley Hall
Meagan Hamm



Scott Hampp
Brequita Hayes
Prisyla Jasso
Joshua Jefferson
Emily Keegan
Amari Lindley



Daniel Lopez
Erika Maldonado
Zackary Marshall
Pedro Martinez
Paul McCoy
Brittany McDuffee



Ashley Porter
Chelsea Portilloz



Rosalina Rameirez
Ryan Weeks



Krum's "Space" Cadets

Ms. V. Krum
Sterling Baker
Brandon Barnett
Alyssa Brown
Madelyn Cory
Antonie Easley



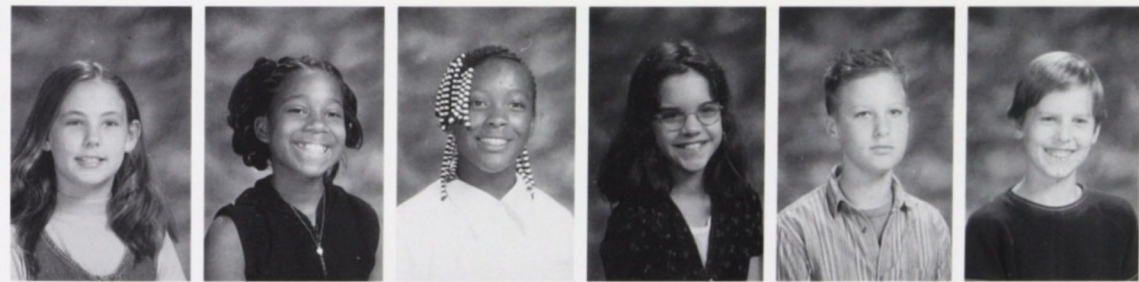
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Katie Krukovsky



Camille LeClere
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Anthony Palmoore
Charles Pettway
Jesse Ross



Kayla Ross
Alana Smith
Kinsasha Smith
Gabrielle Taylor
Joshua Transue
Ian Westfall



Logan Wilkins
Derek Wilson



Mrs. C. Kelley's Kids

Mrs. C. Kelley
Monica Cabacar
Jessica Campbell
Kristine Castelo
Jeremy Driver
Naven Elliott



Bryan Fitzgerald
Andy Folsom
Cornelius Gilliam
Kaneisha Hall
Samantha Hance
Jasmine Heron



Travis Hybki
Nishira Johnson
Michael Koppang
Dana Mattson
Marjorie Mayville
Tristina Nyberg



Jessica Rodriguez
Raul Smith
Zachary Smith
Spenser Taub
Rebecca Treat
Chataurie Ward



Amanda Wentz
Ryan Yingling



Fludd's Fantastic Kids

Mrs. G. Fludd
Michael Aburman
Seara Alleyne
Kayla Anderson
John Michael Bushnell
Chasate' Covington



Latasha Davis
Kristina Diaz
Aubrey Doll
Mercedes Estrada
John Farrell III
Robert Frew



Garland Green
Darnell Handley
Britton Haston
Terrance Hayward
Lakendra Murray
Vanessa Pleasants



Jacob Ranger
Rebecca Salazar-Mays
Rebecca Sims
Steven Solis
Kaycha Teriipaia
Sean Tippie



John Tyler
Michael Williams



Taylor's Terrific Troop

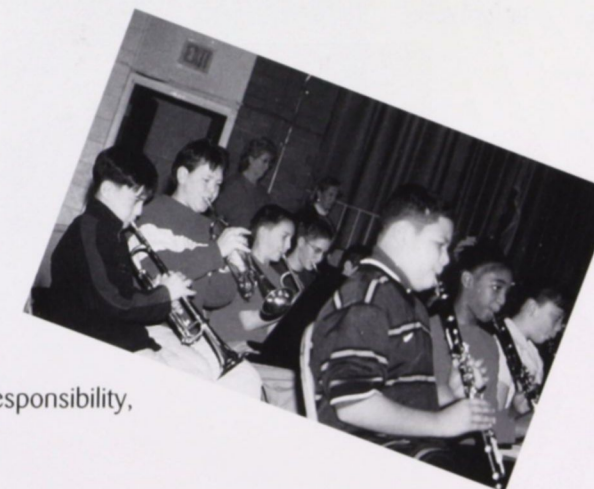
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Mrs. D. Anderson
Mrs. M. Russell
Matthew Anderson
Casey Bennett
Andrew McFarland



Jaren McGill
Randy Norris
Isaac Pugh
Samantha Rodriguez
Sean Sheridan
Shaquantia Williams



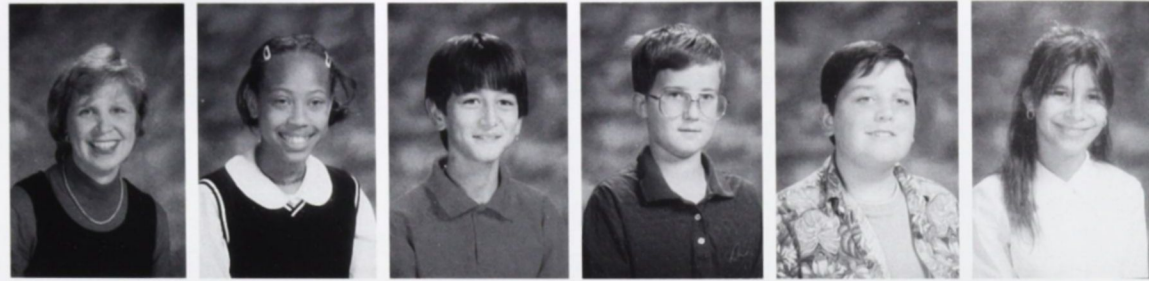
Class of 2007



Destination: Future - Responsibility,
Self-Discipline, Integrity

Council's Crusaders

Mrs. L. Council
Ariel Armstrong
Baine Barrett
Michael Beck
Joshua Bolin
Jessica Buhler



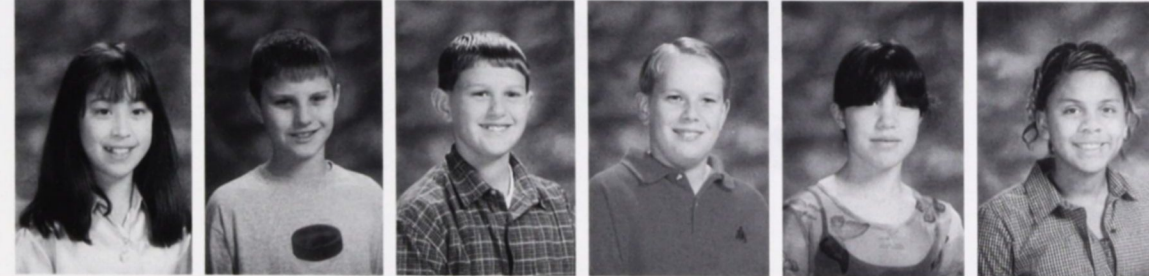
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Claire Fern
Roni Francis
Kristen Gallo
Michael Green



Michael Griffin
Anthony Hill
Courtney Hromada
Shayna Lopez
Anthony McKinney
Christopher Mills



Emily Nicholson
Trenton Osinski
Joshua Roberts
Jeffrey Shay
Bernadette Silva
Ninotchka Torres

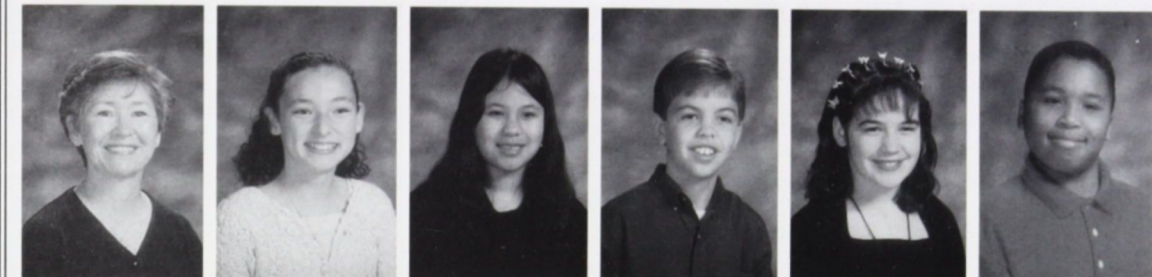


Maria Trevino
Taylor Weeks

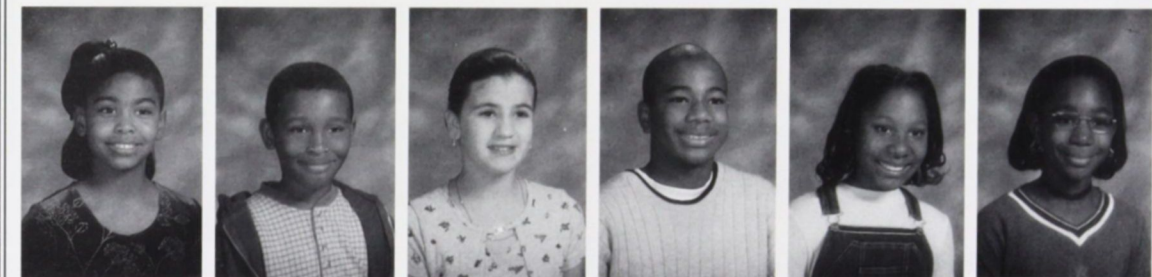


Lydick's Lightheart Legion

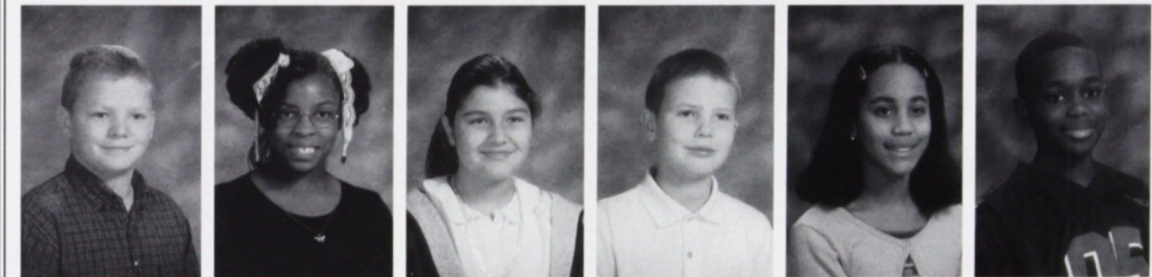
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Kristyn Arellanes
Ashley Borro
James Cogswell
Jahmyra Colon'
Samuel Crockett



Fatemah Grant
Edward Green
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Anthony Gunn
Nadia Herod
Ashley Higgs



Nicholas Humes
Shialiaa Jones
Jamie Malcolm
Ryan McElroy
Melanie Miranda
Darnell Parker

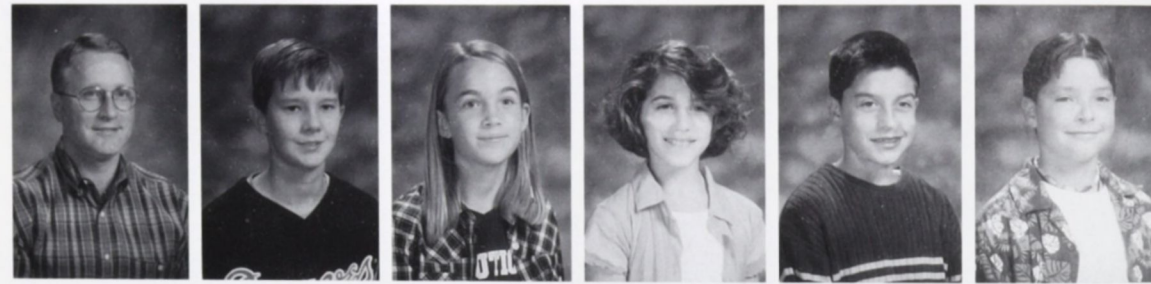


Jessica Rice
Rosangela Serrano
Somalia Suber
Edwin Tabunar II
Shannon Valentine
Erica Wilson



Autry's Achievers

Mr. A. Autry
Frank Anderson
Denver Bailey
Robyn Brobeck
Scott Csmko
Zachary David



Amber Gray
Brielle Hawkins
Daniel Hill
James Hobbs
Raechel Inbody
Mattie Hayes Love



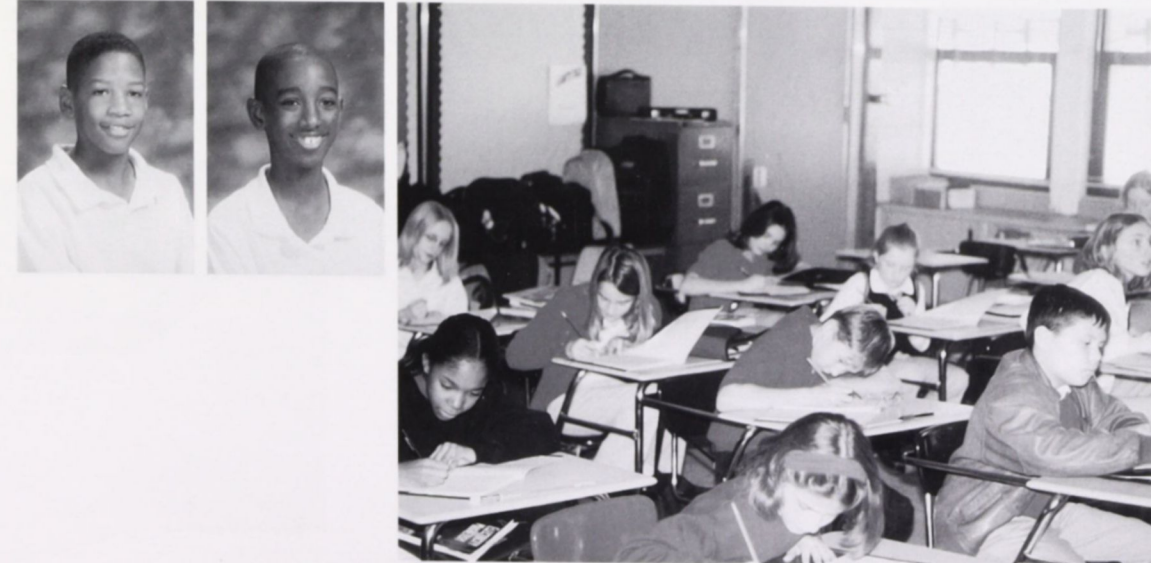
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Raquel Medina
Pedro Molina
John Morris
Matthew O'Hara
Jordan Parks



Megan Peterson
Joshua Romero
Shawna Stump
Rebecca Taylor
Kennedy Thomas
Michael Wall



Joshua Webber-Blackwell
Michael Williams



Morehead's Marvels



Ms. S. Morehead
Sophia Barnes
Yvonne Basco
William Carter, Jr.
Breonna Clipper
Adriana Dilks



Brandon Gray
Benjamin Guarino
Craig Hostler
Melodi Mansfield
John Martin
Antonio Mickel II



Leslie Neasbitt
Kimberly Patterson
Erica Reid
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Ashley Templeton
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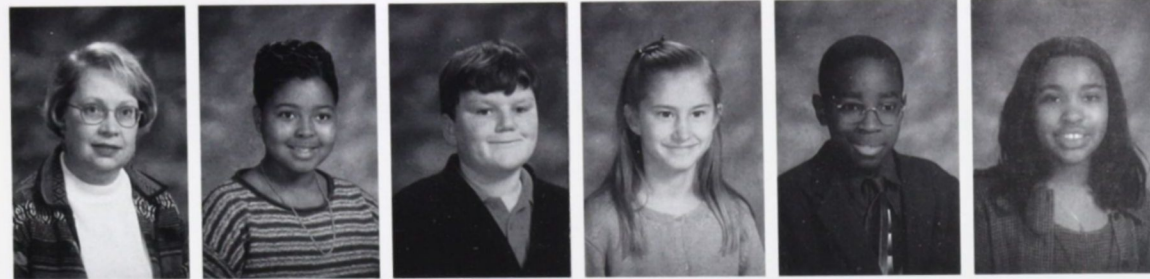


Liliana Verdinez
Brittani Wilson

Congratulations Ms. Morehead on your retirement.
You will be missed!

Hauser's Math Mustangs

Mrs. R. Hauser
Ashley Armstrong
Brandon Ballard
Jennifer Barry
Louis Bourdeau
Ashley Brown



Rodney Caldron
Cassandra Catano
Kenneth Davis, Jr.
Lindsey Edie
Camdon Hunter
Latasha Jackson



Brett Johnson
Darryl Jones II
John Letriz, Jr.
Heather Marques
Jennifer McCoy
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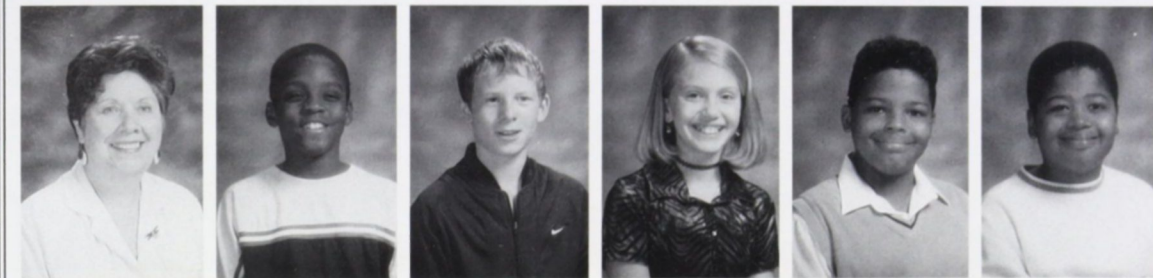


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Derrick Brown



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Toyoko Cuthbert
Elena Del Castillo
Bryan Digby
Latu Fuluvaka
Cierra Harris



Matthew Haubrich
Elizabeth Hernandez
Christopher Hooker
Shane Lofts
Jennifer Marbury
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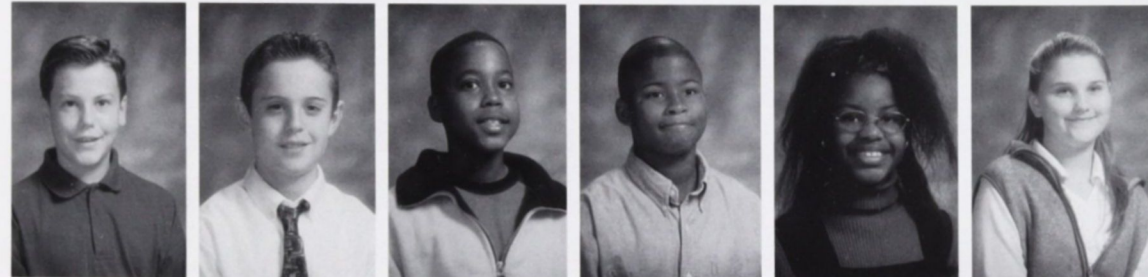
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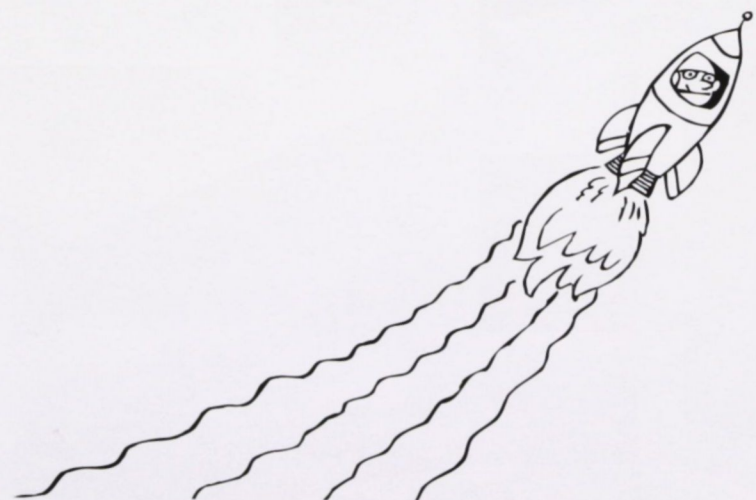
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Caitlin Locke



Ashley Maye
Katherine Stapleton
Anthony Tuttle
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Ashley Young



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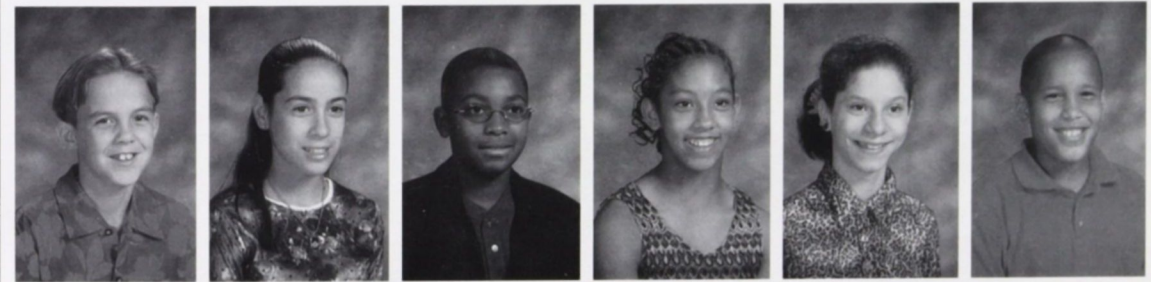
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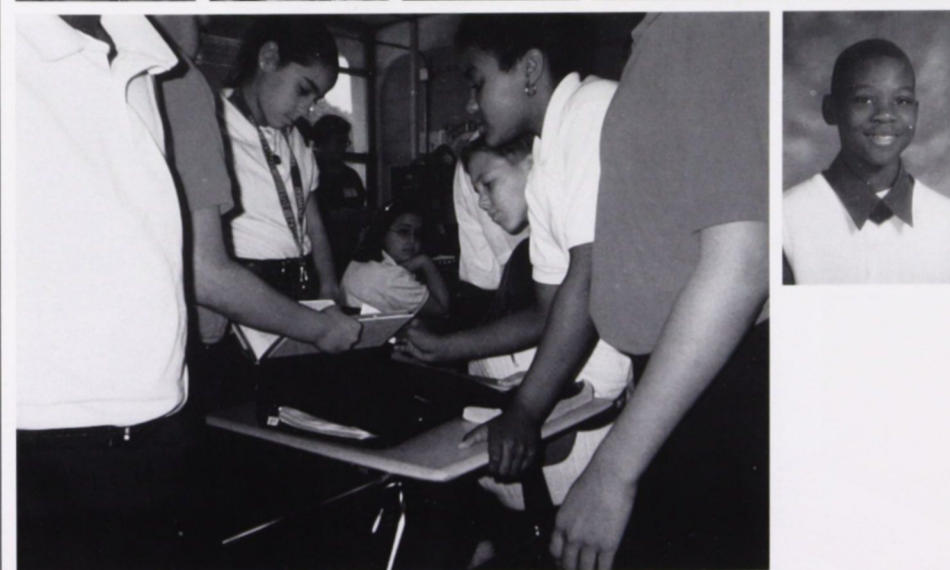
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Elisa Vega
Jordan Webster



Marquis Wilson



Trotter and Company

Mrs. C. Trotter
Danielle Bolin
Ashley Catyb
Dewayne Chapman
Ada Colon
Keneesha Combs



Racquel Gaskins
Vanessa Hawkins
James Isaacs
Alise Matula
Jasmine May
Kia McDowell



David Milbern
Jennifer Miller
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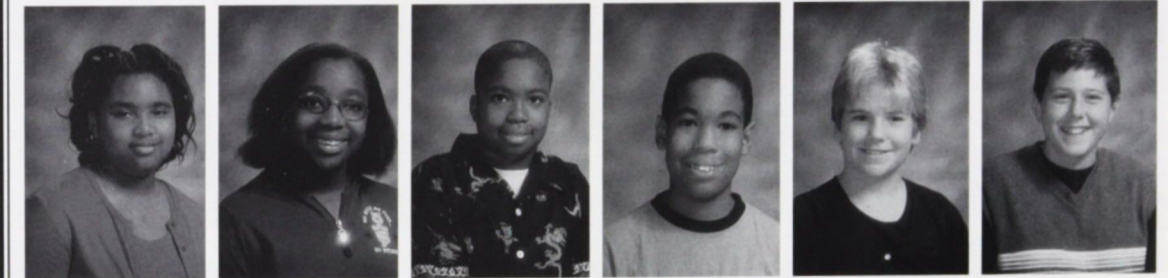
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Ashley Doan
Veronica Fronck



Jasmine Gibbs
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Christopher
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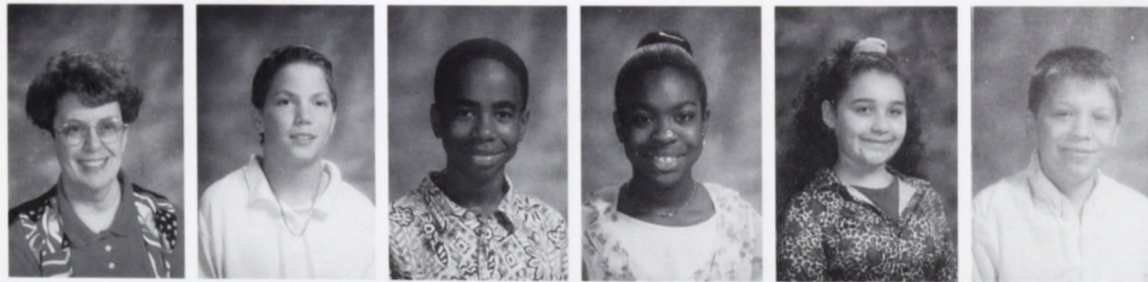
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Sheldon Bailey
Cavillea Blake
Stephanie Boegel
Michael Boyd



Michael Bryant
Desiree Cavazos
Mauricio Chicas-Rivera
Lakeasha Cummings
Darwin Deas
Cameron Gavin



Erica Graham
Rebecca Hall
Jennifer Hatcher
Joanne Jennings
Brodrick Johnson
Bryce Lee



Alexandria McDow
Daniel O'Connor
Andrew Orr
Breanica Patrick
Keysha Rivera
Melanie Scheible



Jonathan Walker
Megan Wertz



Ray's Angles, Lines and Circles

Mr. L. Ray
Shanaye Adams
Natasha Almodovar
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Amber Cedillo



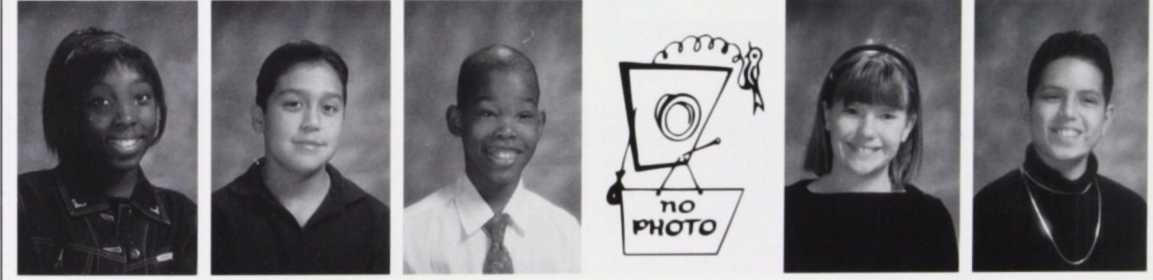
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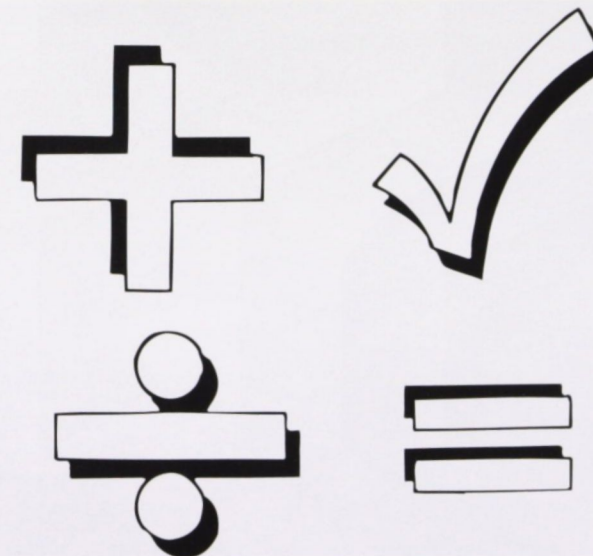
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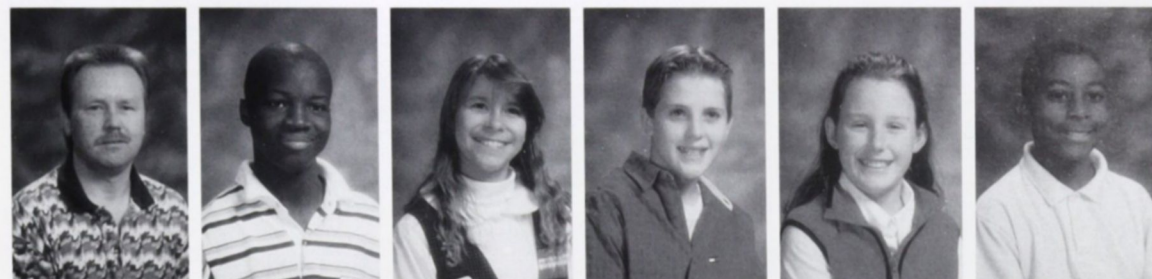


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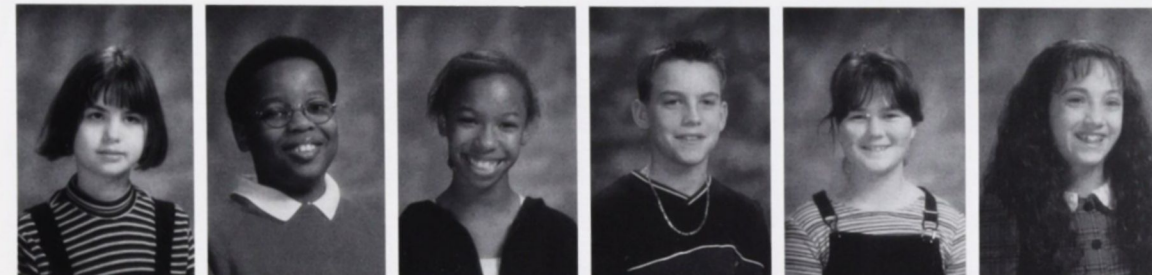
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Eric Jones
Donnis Lee-Prunes
Sharod Nelson



Courtney Niswander
Jeremy Oates
Santia Ricks
Nelson Rith
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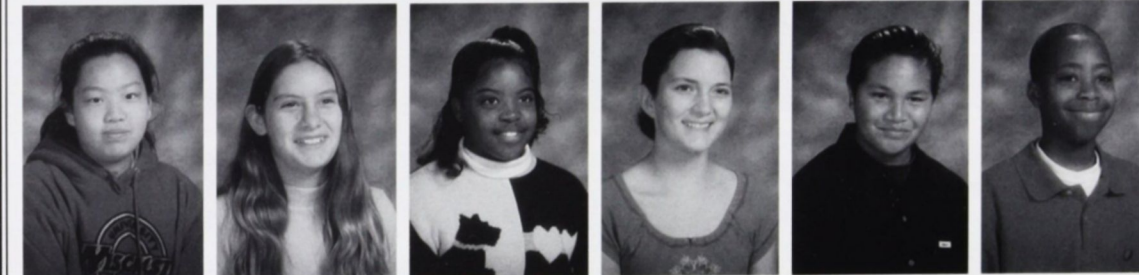
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Bryan Graham
Matthew Gutierrez
Michael Lee



Su Bin Lee
Maegan Lilley
Tyeisha Lingham
Jessica Miller
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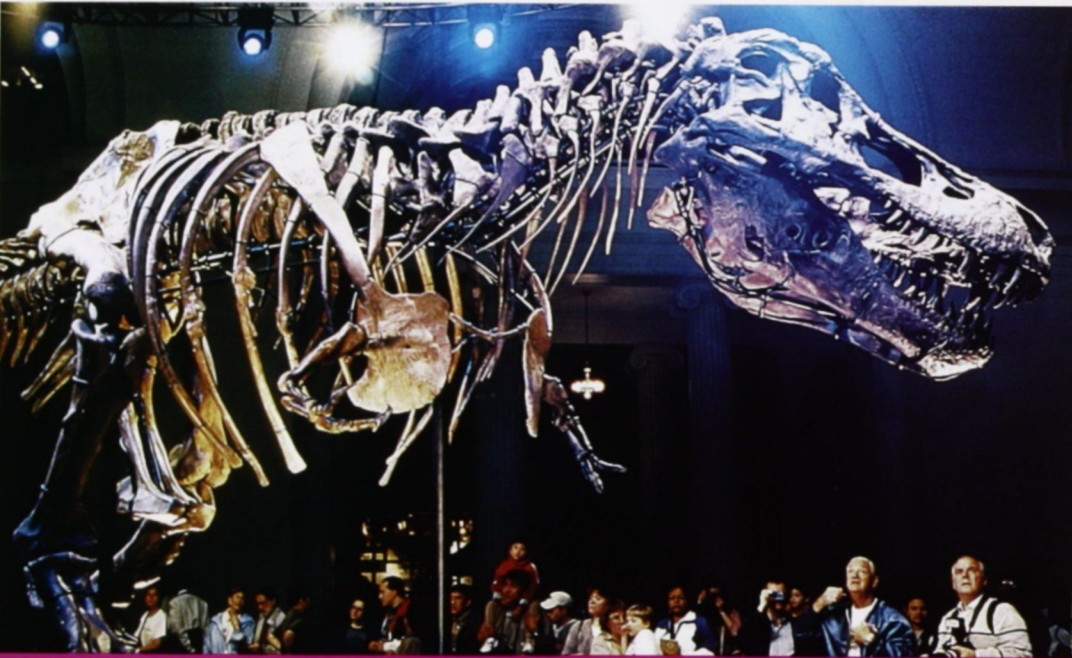




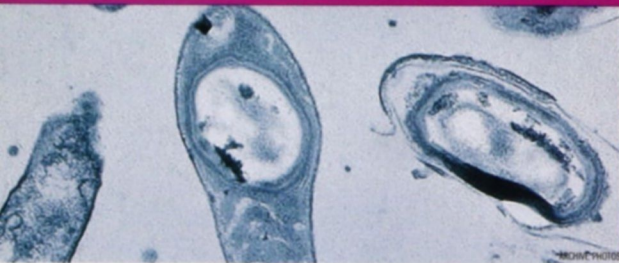
NEWS

science, learning and technology

Advancements in technology rapidly changed the way we communicated, worked, learned, and relaxed. Groundbreaking research and development brought us a whole new way to look at our past, present, and future.



Big-Boned Sue The past shed light on our future with the discovery of a **T. Rex** Named **Sue**, 67 million years after her death. Named after fossil hunter **Sue Hendrickson**, Sue was the largest **Tyrannosaurus rex** fossil ever found. On the other end of the size chart, microbiologists discovered 250 million-year-old bacteria imbedded in salt crystals below the desert floor.



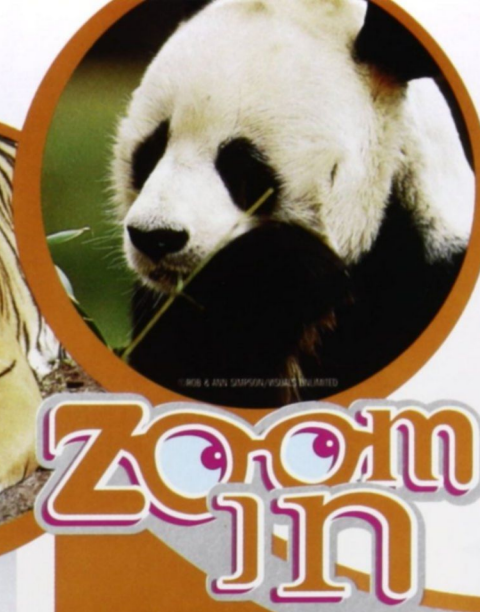
What a Sight! A new laser-assisted procedure called **Lasik** helped thousands chuck their glasses. Genetic disease research got a big boost when **J. Craig Venter**, **Francis Collins**, and the **Human Genome Project** team decoded human **DNA**.



Weaving a Web The World Wide Web took us on some amazing rides! Students all over the world used the Internet to follow the adventures of explorers **Ann Bancroft** and **Liv Arnesen** (2,400-mile ski trek across Antarctica) and **Dan Buettner** (MayaQuest 2001).



Helloooo? Despite health warnings and increased car accidents, cell phones were seen everywhere. Some states introduced legislation to ban the use of cell phones while driving.



Friends For Life

The number of species on the endangered list ballooned to over 1,000, with nearly 100 more becoming extinct every day. We worked to reverse this man-made trend by reintroducing many species, such as wolves, sea turtles, and golden lion tamarins, back to their natural environments.



3-2-1 Blast Off! Space exploration hurtled forward at full tilt. The **International Space Station** became home to three astronauts, the first humans to live in outer space, and NASA developed the "Robonaut," built to do repairs on the Station. Space Shuttle **Discovery**, launched in 1984, made its 100th flight into space, while the **Mir** Space Station ended its 15-year odyssey in orbit. The **Concorde**, world's first supersonic airliner, broke its 24-year spotless flying record when it crashed tragically on a Paris runway.



Exploring the space beyond

Our journey into the mysteries of the galaxies continues.



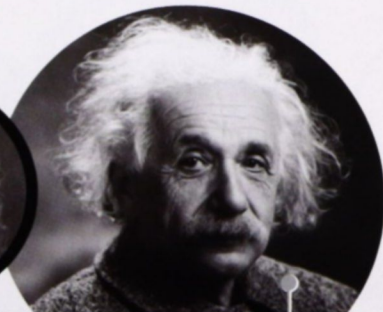
1564-1642 Galileo Galilei
Seeing stars



1675 Greenwich Observatory
Window to a new world



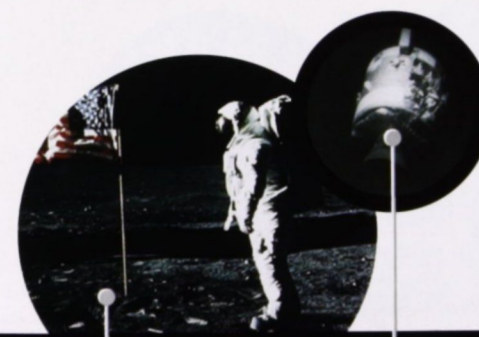
1643-1727 Sir Isaac Newton
Falling apple=gravity



1879-1955 Albert Einstein
 $E=mc^2$



1962 John Glenn
First on the new frontier



1969 Moon Landing
One small step for man



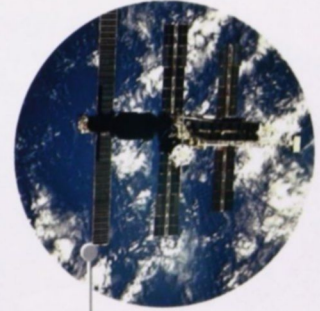
1970 Apollo 13
Home improvement



1986 Challenger
Tragedy in flight



2000 100th Shuttle Mission
Double digit discovery



2000 International Space Station
Home away from home

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SPORTS

olympics

Sydney, Australia played host to the spectacular **2000 Summer Olympics**. With the games still fresh in our minds, athletes began preparing for the 2002 winter games in Salt Lake City, Utah, and the 2004 summer games in **Athens, Greece**.



Splish Splash! Ian Thorpe and fellow Aussie swimmers, Americans **Tom Malchow**, **Megan Quin**, the U.S. women's swim team, and Norway's **Inge de Bruijn** whipped their way to gold medals.



Need For Speed The stats on **Marion Jones**, **Maurice Greene**, **Michael Johnson**, and **Cathy Freeman**: four track stars, six gold medals, and hundreds of miles of training. Tennis diva **Venus Williams**, with a 127 mph killer serve, continued her golden streak with a victory in women's singles. **Pete Sampras'** lightning fast serve helped him set a new record for the most majors - 13 to date!



Games We Play The United States hit golden homers in both men's baseball and the Olympics' very first women's softball competition. The U.S. men's basketball Dream Team barely broke away with the gold, defeating **Lithuania** only in the final seconds. Basketball star **Kevin Garnett** showed off-court sportsmanship by hosting summer youth basketball and taking part in the **Make-A-Wish Foundation Program**.



Road Runner Down Under!

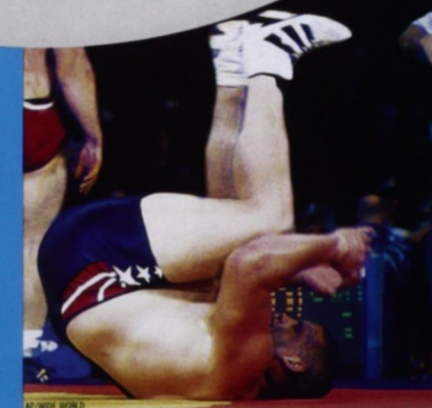
As millions watched, Australian Aborigine Olympic sprinter **Cathy Freeman** lit the Olympic cauldron at the 2000 games in **Sydney, Australia**. This important moment showed the world that Australia had accepted its indigenous people, the **Aborigines**. The 27-year-old went on to win a gold medal in the 400-meter event. (Beep Beep! Did you know that **Road Runner** is her favorite cartoon character?)



Just For Kicks

Greco-Roman wrestler and former dairy farm kid **Rulon Gardner** surprised the world with his victory over 13-year champ

Alexander Karelin. Soccer superstar **Mia Hamm** and the U.S. Women's Soccer Team played a tough game against **Norway** in the 2000 Women's Olympic Gold Medal match, and lost 3-2 in overtime. Norway clinched the gold in the 112th minute leaving the U.S. with the silver medal.



OLYMPIC HEROES THROUGH HISTORY

Winners who kept us cheering in the stands



1932 Chuhei Nambu
Los Angeles



1948 Bob Mathias
London



1952 Emil Zatopek
Helsinki



1956 Betty Cuthbert
Tokyo



1960 Abebe Bikila
Rome



1968 Bob Beamon
Mexico City



1976 Bruce Jenner
Montreal



1984 Carl Lewis
Los Angeles



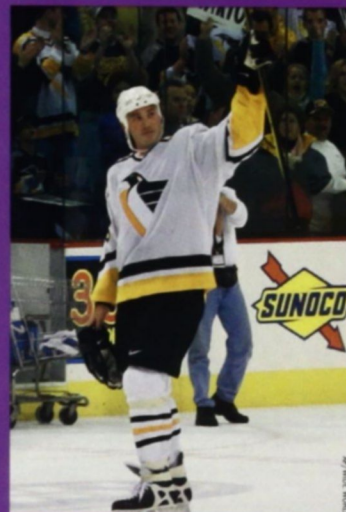
1988 Florence Griffith Joyner
Seoul

champions

From match point to point guard, athletes kept us on the edges of our seats as we cheered, applauded, and celebrated their seemingly boundless megatalents.



Victory Over Adversity Bike racer **Lance Armstrong** won his second **Tour de France** and an Olympic bronze medal after defeating cancer just four years earlier. Another hero, Pittsburgh **Penguins** hockey ace **Mario Lemieux**, skated out of retirement and back to the rink after a successful battle against Hodgkins disease. The Paralympics, broadcast from **New Zealand**, showed us again that "disabled" athletes aren't disabled at all.

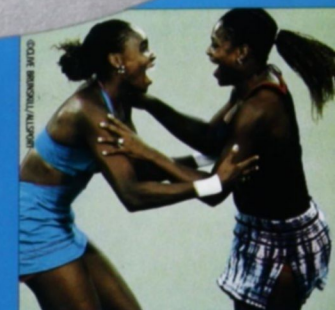


Top Team Talent The Baltimore Ravens soared over the NY Giants with a 34-7 victory at **Super Bowl XXXV**. Hometown rivalry peaked when the Yankees celebrated their third straight **World Series**, trampling the Mets 4 - 2. The L.A. Lakers won the NBA Finals over the Indiana Pacers, with **Shaquille O'Neal** and **Kobe Bryant** leading their team to victory, and the Houston **Comets** captured their fourth straight WNBA championship with a win over the **New York Liberty**. On the hockey front, the New Jersey **Devils** shot past the **Dallas Stars**, 4 - 2.



Defying Isaac Newton

Extreme sportsters continued to defy gravity. At competitions such as Gravity Games and the X-Games, we went wild over events like trick biking, snowboarding, motocross, in-line skating, skateboarding and even street luge. Helmets, please!



Superstar Sisters! Venus and Serena Williams made history as the first sisters to each win a **Grand Slam**. The pair went on to win their third Grand Slam doubles title and an Olympic gold in women's doubles. What do you do for an encore?!



Havin' a Ball!

No matter if you win or lose, it's how you play the game!



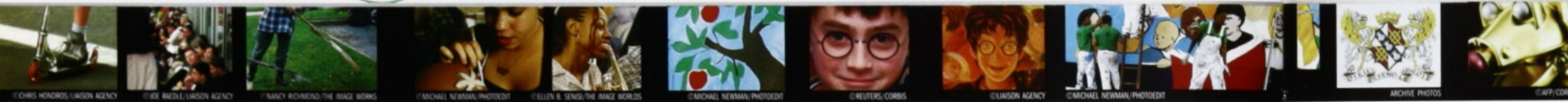
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<i>Baseball</i>		<i>Baseball</i>		<i>Football</i>		<i>Tennis</i>		<i>Basketball</i>	



1963-	Mark McGwire	1969-	Brett Favre	1971-	Sheryl Swoopes	1980-	Martina Hingis	1999	U.S. Women's Soccer Team
<i>Baseball</i>		<i>Football</i>		<i>Basketball</i>		<i>Tennis</i>		<i>Soccer</i>	<i>A star team is born!</i>

talk of the year

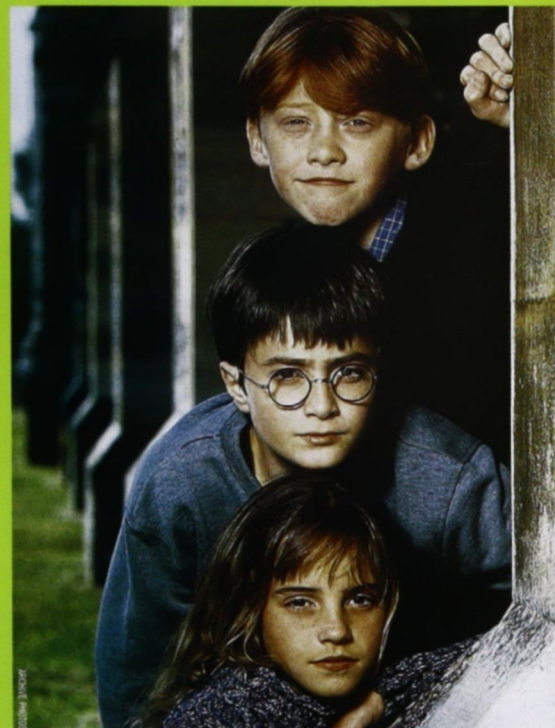
We went retro, high-tech, and hip, surrounded by a popular culture that embraced a wide range of hobbies and new products. In our daily lives, we carved out our niches with activities that were educational, artistic, and pure fun!



Toys Are Us The nostalgia craze brought us **scooters**, and we went gaga over these wheels, shelling out anywhere from \$50 to \$2,500! Another retro win was the unveiling of the 1940's retro-style **PT Cruiser**, the biggest launch in Chrysler's history. The new **Sony Playstation 2** featured the coolest in computer animation, and thousands of game geeks camped outside retail stores, hoping to get their hands on the first release. Another new toy, a battery-operated robotic puppy, barked its way into homes from Tokyo to Tallahassee.



Quidditch, Anyone? We went nuts over Harry, and thousands of us lined up the night of July 7th to score a copy of **J.K. Rowling's** fourth installment, ***Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire.*** Although some parents and teachers questioned the concept of magic, no one could argue with students' newfound love of reading!



A Man Among Princes When Prince William, eldest son of Prince Charles and the late Princess Diana, turned 18 this year, he took a 10-week break from royalty to volunteer for community and environmental projects in Chile. At school, he excelled in art history, geography, biology, swimming, soccer, and polo.



**Hands Around
the World**

Prince William wasn't the only one rolling up his sleeves and volunteering! Young people all over the world pitched in, giving their time and energy to lots of great causes, from helping out at the **Special Olympics** to bringing art into their neighborhoods. What inspired them to volunteer for community service? Just a great feeling of satisfaction from helping others!



Food, Glorious Food! Blame it on our hectic lives, but our preference for high-fat fast food brought expanding waistlines, with 10% of Americans ranked as overweight. On the other hand, the organic food movement grabbed our attention as we questioned the use of genetically-engineered, preservative-loaded, over-processed foods.



Amazing Kids! Teenagers expressed their individuality and creativity in activities from dance to digital art. How were you unique?



MOVIN' AND GROOVIN' WITH THE TIMES

The tunes and styles may change, but dance is here to stay.



1500's	Elizabethan
<i>From Shakespeare in Love</i>	



1800's	Social dance
<i>Waltzing Matilda</i>	



1920's	Charleston
<i>Flappers!</i>	



1930's	Dance Marathon
<i>Images of the Depression</i>	



1940's	Lindy Hop
<i>Cuttin' a rug in Harlem</i>	



1950's American Bandstand
Poodle skirts and bobby socks



1970's	Disco
<i>Stayin' alive</i>	



1980's	Breakdancing
<i>Sidewalk not included</i>	



1980's	Country Line Dance
<i>Dancin' in denim</i>	



1990's Macarena
Spain tops the charts

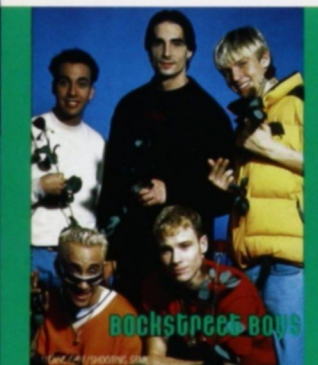
BUZZ

arts & entertainment

Everywhere we turned, we found talent galore! We made the most of what surrounded us by spending our free time and spare change escaping into books, movies, electronic media, music, and television.



Movie Mania Canadian funny guy **Jim Carrey** starred in *The Grinch* which grossed \$55 million on opening weekend! **Denzel Washington** brought the true story of *Remember the Titans* to life, **Tom Cruise** came back for more thrills and spills in *Mission Impossible 2*, **Charlie's Angels** got a facelift, **Mel Gibson's** studly chicken saved the day in *Chicken Run*, and **Castaway's** **Tom Hanks** spent four years on an island with his ball, Wilson.



Different Notes for Different Folks Styles all their own, you bet. But every one of these pop singers shares the gift of super high energy, all out performance, and great moves!



Teens Rule TV shows starring teens were hot again this year. We grooved on *Malcolm in the Middle*, *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, *Popular*, *Felicity*, *Moesha*, and *Dawson's Creek*. And fans rallied to give *Freaks and Geeks* a second life.



Country Crooners Country music was all over the airwaves. Big winners were the **Dixie Chicks**, husband and wife **Tim McGraw** and **Faith Hill**, and **Shania Twain**. While superstar **Garth Brooks** announced he was hanging up his guitar and famous black hat, 12-year-old newcomer **Billy Gilman** opened for **Reba McEntire**.



The Real Deal We went nuts over reality TV shows, catapulting *Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?*, *Survivor*, and *MTV's Road Rules* and *Real World* to the top of the charts.



Minors with Major Talent

Ron Howard, director of *The Grinch*, started his acting career when he was only six, with leads in *The Andy Griffith Show* and later in *Happy Days*. Another young talent, 13-year-old **Haley Joel Osment**, star of last year's *Pay It Forward*, had already appeared in four major films when he was nominated for an Oscar for *The Sixth Sense* at age 11.



FROM IMAGINATION TO ANIMATION

Artists + writers + technology = clever cartoons and cool claymation.



1928 Steamboat Willie 1957 The Grinch 1964 Underdog 1969 Scooby Doo 1981 Smurfs



1995 Toy Story 1996 The Powerpuff Girls



2000 Chicken Run



2000 The Emperor's New Groove

my year

2000-2001 highlights

my favorites

book	celebrity	friend
movie	pet	sport
snack food	subject in school	
music cd	music group	team
		thing to wear

this year's wackiest memories

The weirdest thing that happened at school...

The funniest thing that happened to me...

The funniest thing my teacher said...

place your photo here

What things cost this year & what things cost 10 years ago

2001						
1991	\$2.15	\$119.99	\$11.99	\$11.10	\$1.25	\$8.50
	\$1.75	\$61.80	\$9.59	\$7.90	\$0.50	\$5.50



zoom in

hobby	meal
teacher	thing in my bedroom
tv show	video
	website

name

age

grade

people describe me as...

most people don't know that I...

My biggest accomplishment of the year:

Something I'm proud of:

My goals for next year:

my friends my friends my friends

skateboard	pizza	postage stamp	barbie	basketball	bowling
\$89.99	\$5.55	\$8.99	\$14.99	\$34.99	\$2.79
\$43.79	\$0.25	\$7.19	\$9.44	\$22.99	\$1.40



QUIZ

close up for 2000-2001



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C



D



B



E



H



L



M



N



F



G



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ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT			
REPUBLICAN PARTY			
GEORGE W. BUSH for President	4	→	← 4
DICK CHENEY for Vice President			
DEMOCRATIC PARTY			
AL GORE for President	6	→	← 6
JOE LIEBERMAN for Vice President			
LIBERTARIAN PARTY			
HARRY BROWNE for President	8	→	← 8
ART OLIVIER for Vice President			
GREEN PARTY			
RALPH NADER for President	10	→	← 10
WINONA LaDUKE for Vice President			
SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY			
JAMES HARRIS for President	12	→	← 12
MARGARET TROWE for Vice President			

match the photo to its caption

- Before jumping into the ring, "The Rock" wrestled (and won!) a college degree in Criminology.
- All over the U.S., the cost of driving to Grandma's rose by at least 30%, reflecting a growing energy crisis that caused rolling blackouts in California.
- Napster, created by teen Shawn Fanning, made music free and available to anyone with ears and Internet access.
- While the Brown Bear habitat was threatened, a bear market threatened to take hold of the U.S. economy this year.
- The infamous "butterfly ballot" stumped voters, and helped pave the way for changes in our voting procedures.
- Michael Johnson burned rubber into gold during the 400m race in Sydney!
- From electronic palm-sized organizers to digital watch cameras, we went nuts over high-tech toys.
- The original Charlie's Angels were updated millennium-style, with bodysuits, martial arts, and fewer curling irons.
- At age 46, Jackie Chan could still flip, leap and spin circles around the rest of the movie industry.
- WNBA star and New York Liberty forward Rebecca Lobo's favorite foods were lasagna and Cookies 'n Cream ice cream!
- The Opening Ceremonies of the 2000 Olympic games in Sydney, Australia captivated the world, and brought a new appreciation to the land down under.
- Canadian singer Shania Twain's album "Come On Over" ranked as the best-selling country album in the history of recorded music.
- In front of their largest audience ever, the Backstreet Boys sang the National Anthem for Super Bowl XXXV.
- After seven months in the U.S., Elian Gonzalez finally left the political spotlight and returned to Cuba with his dad.
- When Parkinson's Disease cut short Michael J. Fox's acting career, he refocused his attention on helping to find a cure for the disease.

Lifetouch PUBLISHING

Answers: 1-G, 2-F, 3-J, 4-A, 5-D, 6-I, 7-O, 8-C, 9-N, 10-K, 11-B, 12-L, 13-E, 14-L, 15-M.

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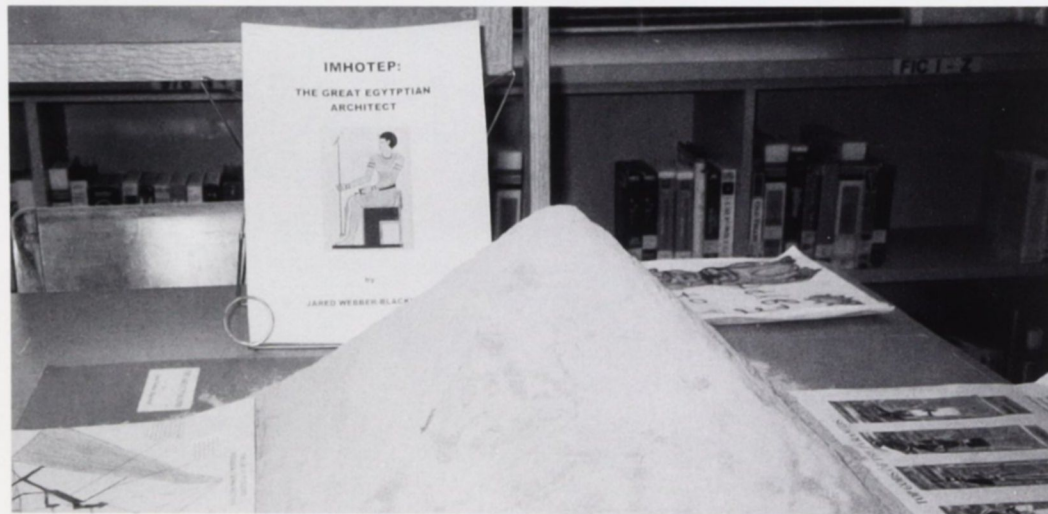
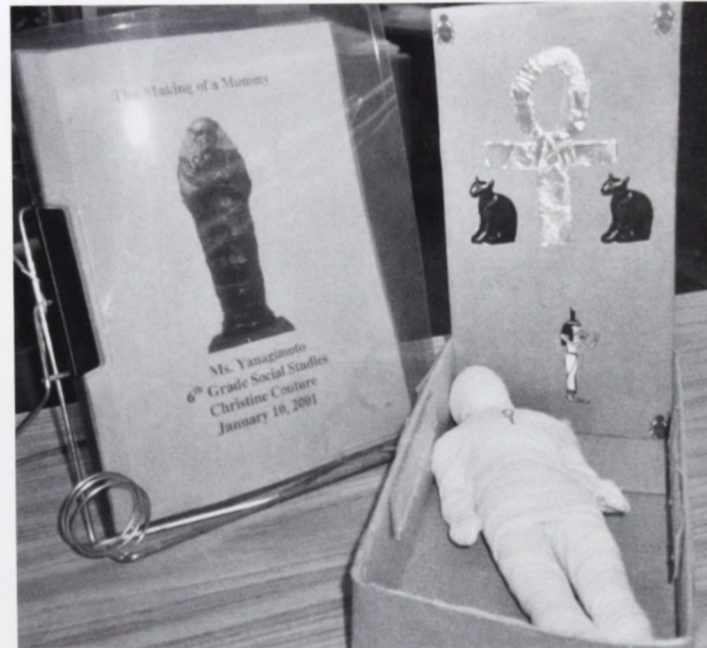
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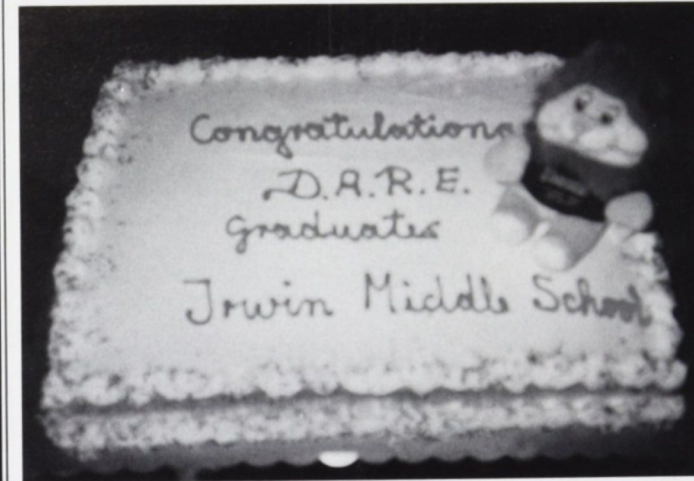
I am!
I can!
I will!



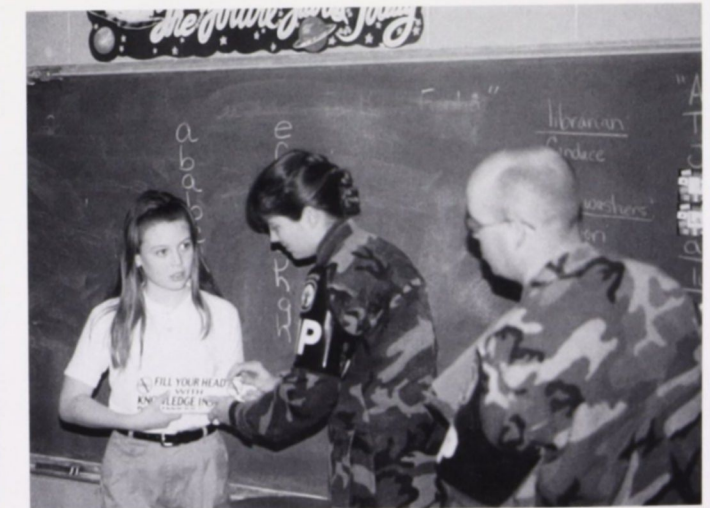
Great Places Ahead.



It is up to you.



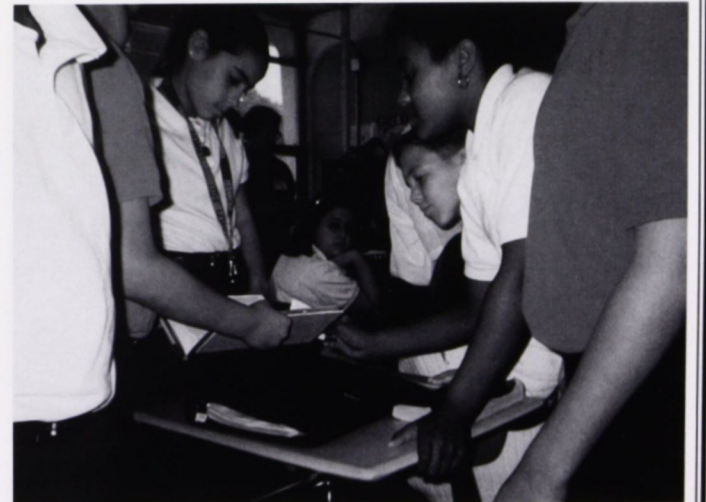
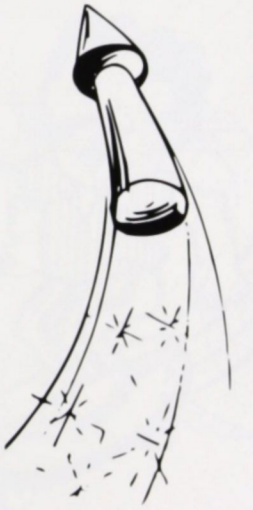
it's up
U²



Ready? Set...Go!



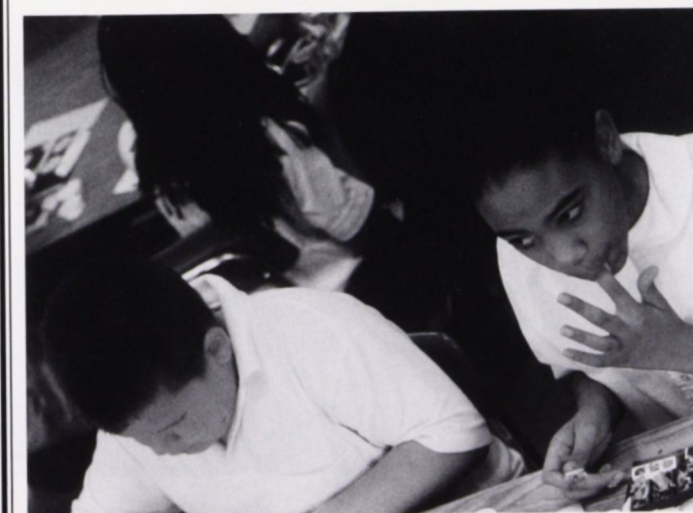
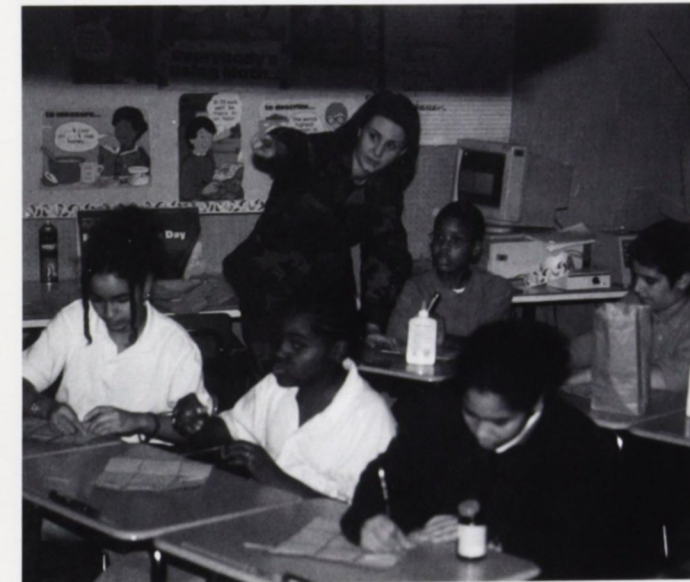
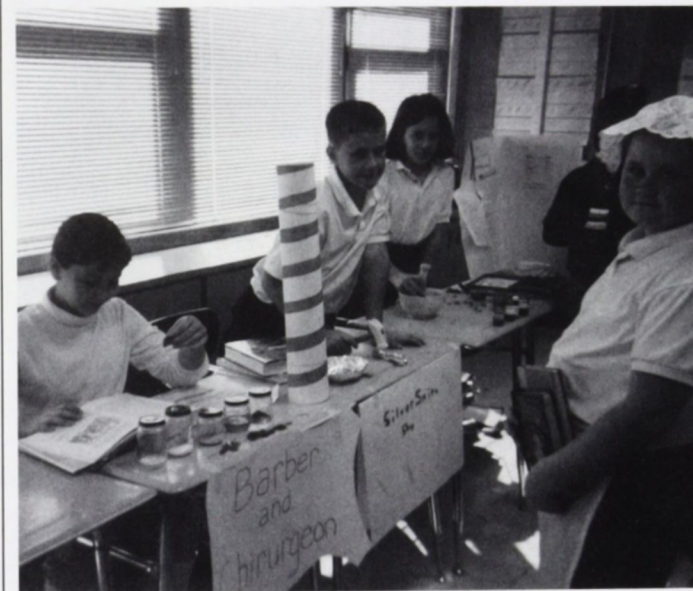
On your way up!



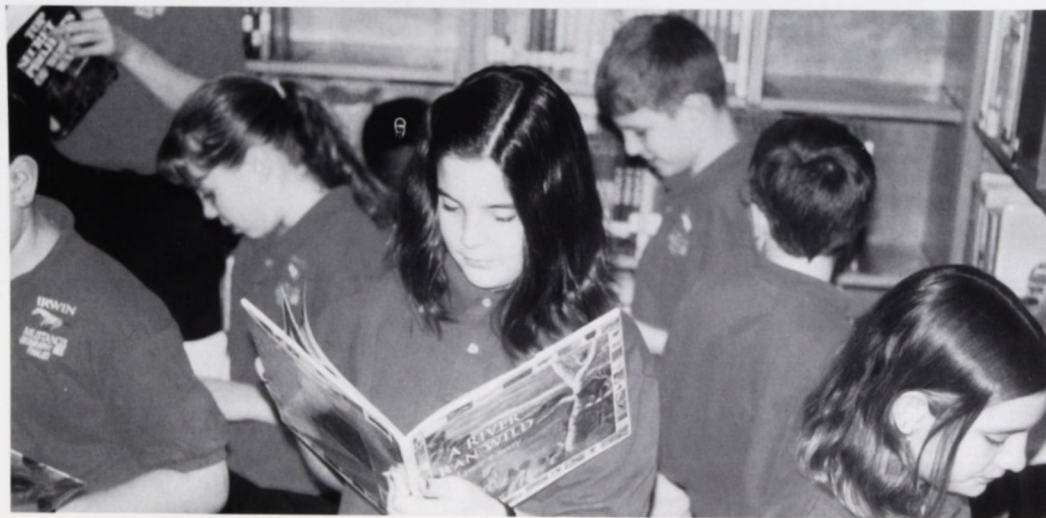
Steady as...



...you go.



Great sights...



...to be seen.



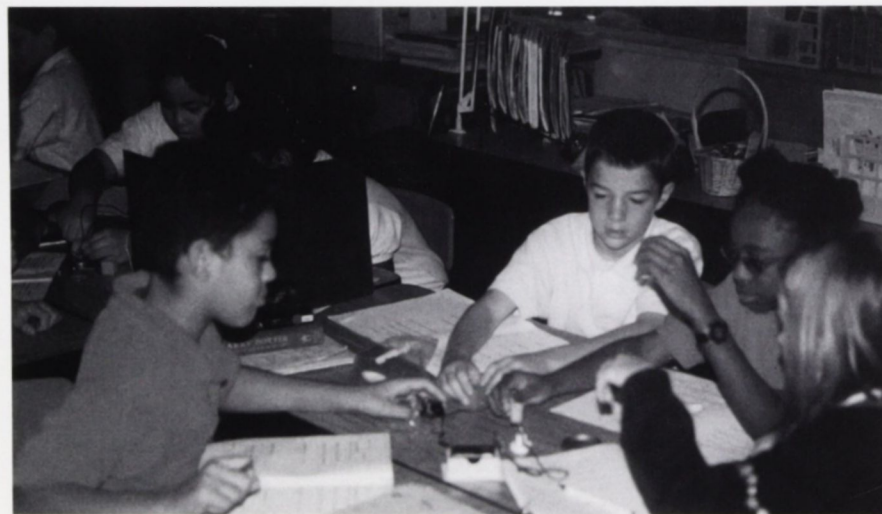
LOOK
@ the good times



You're the best of the best.



WE'RE
#1



You're the TOP of the rest.



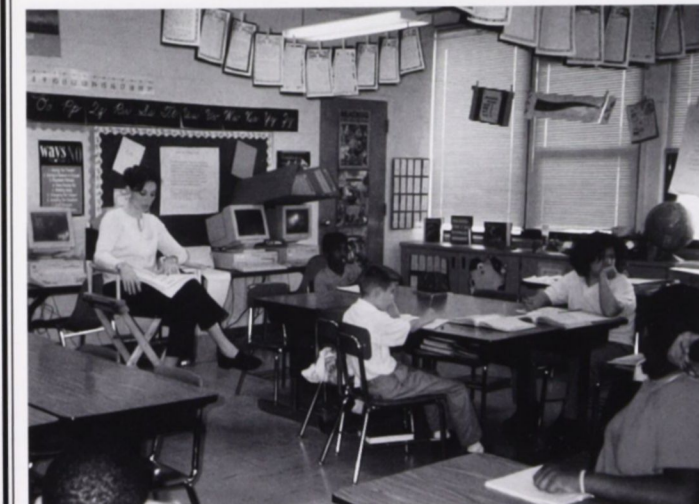
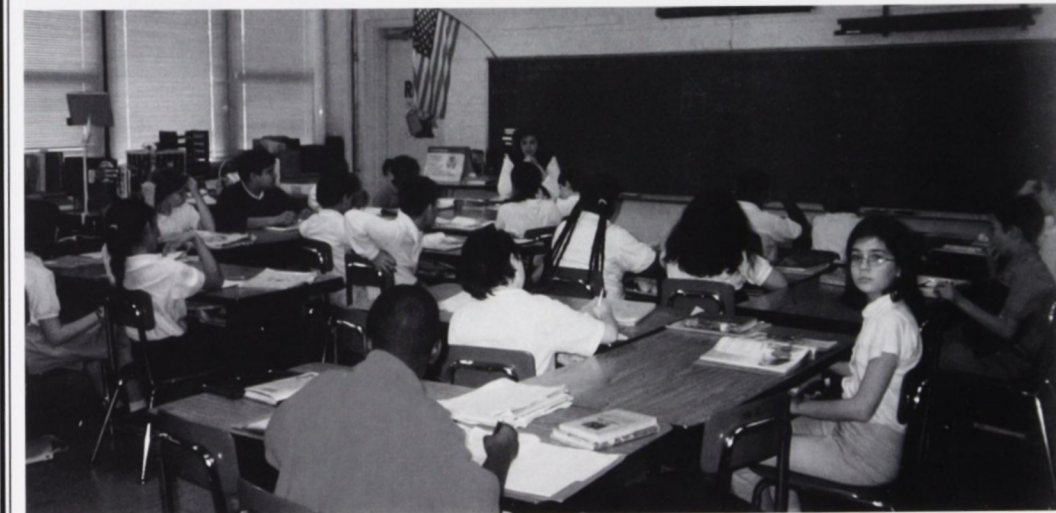
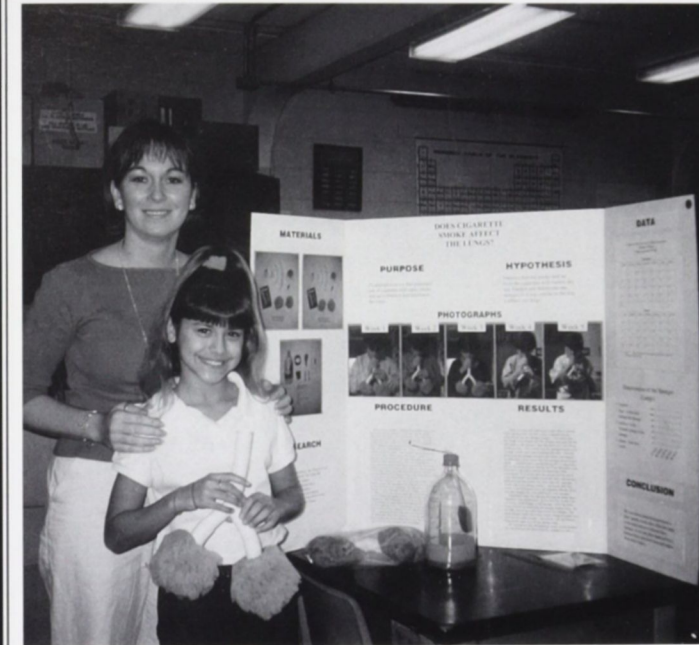
Success!



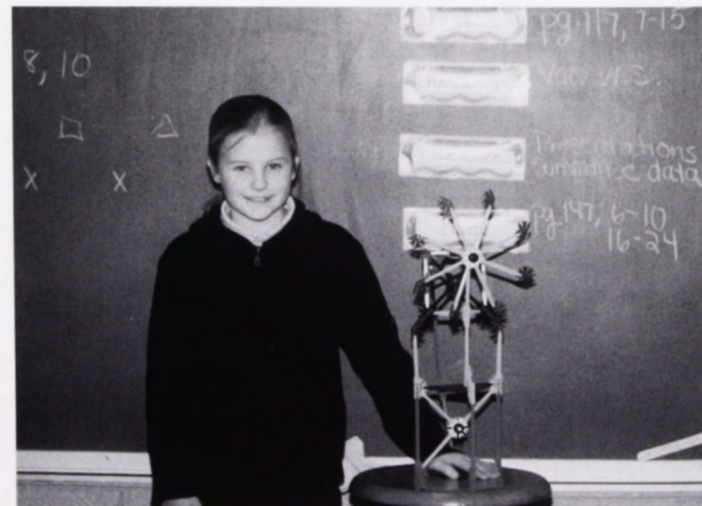
Miles to go...



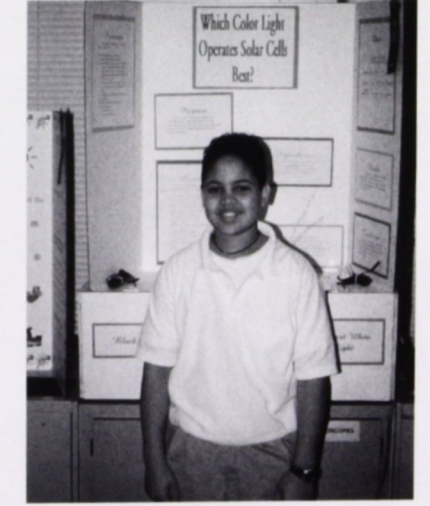
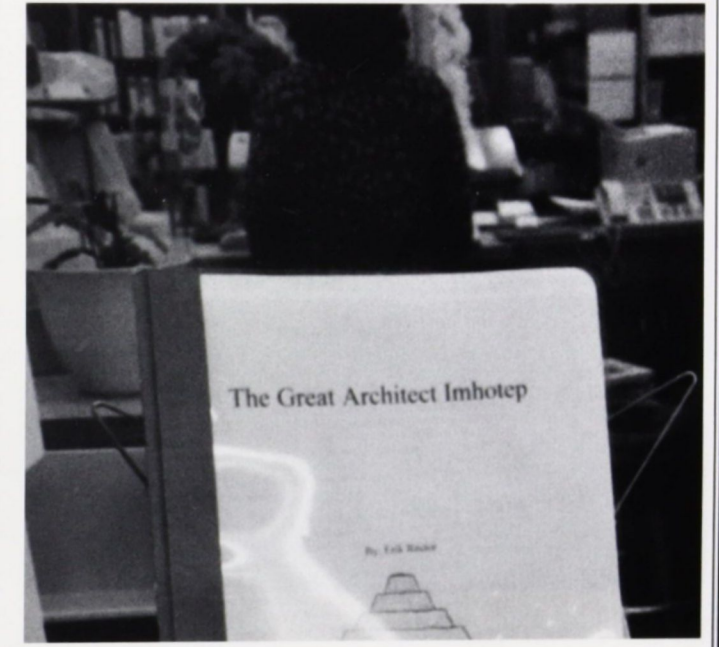
...the places you'll go.



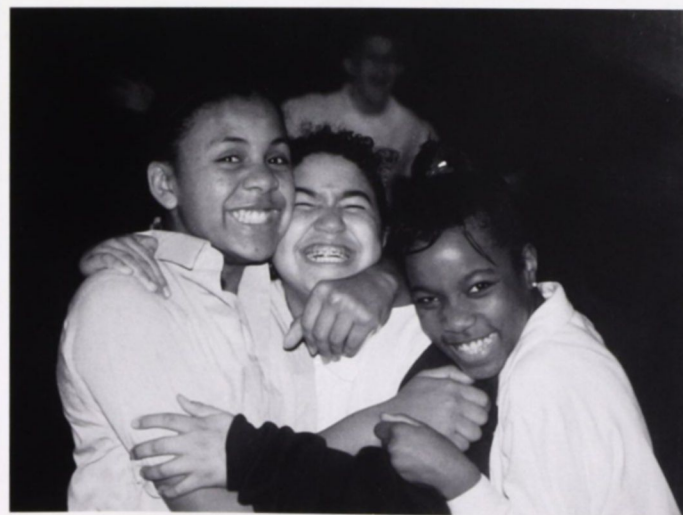
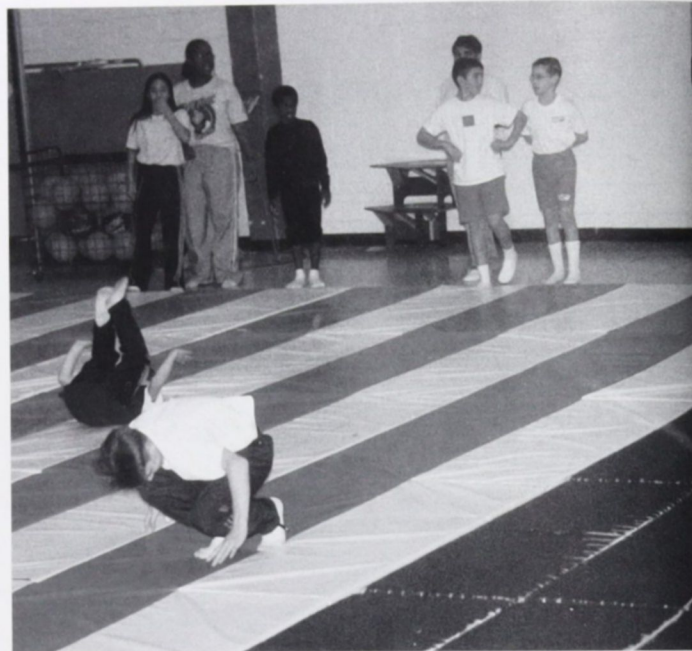
Ready for anything...



...under the sky.



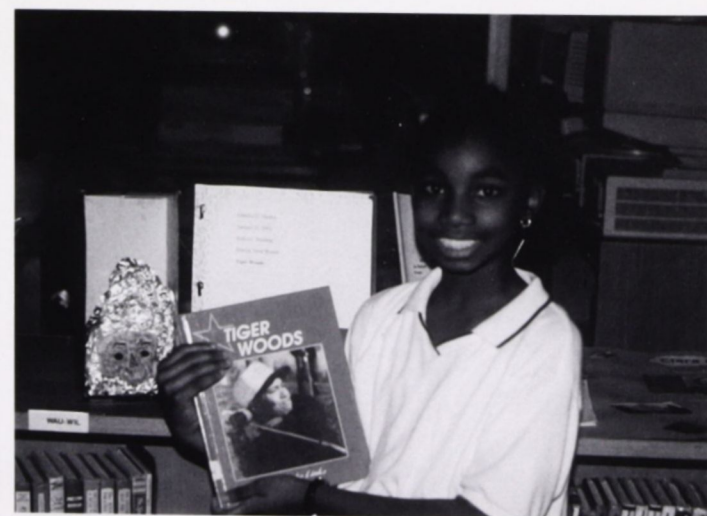
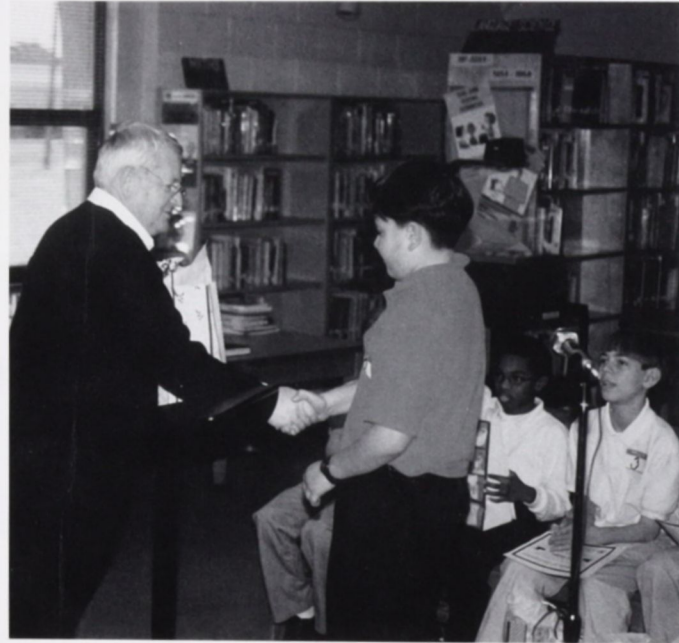
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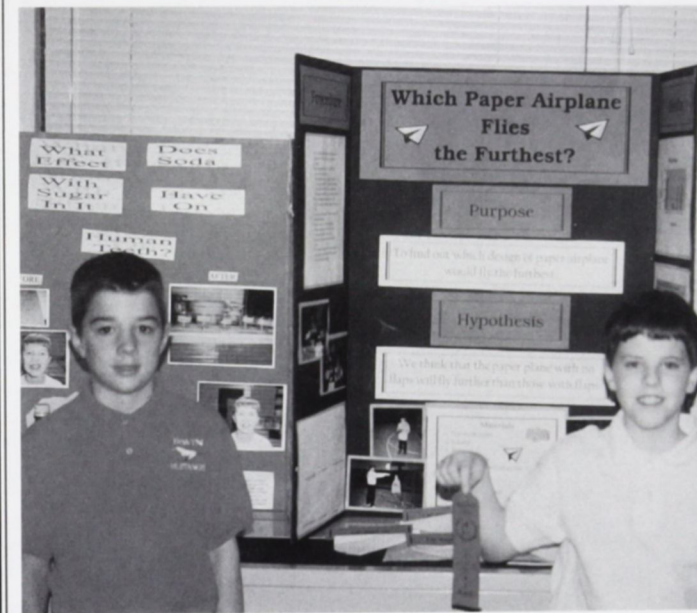
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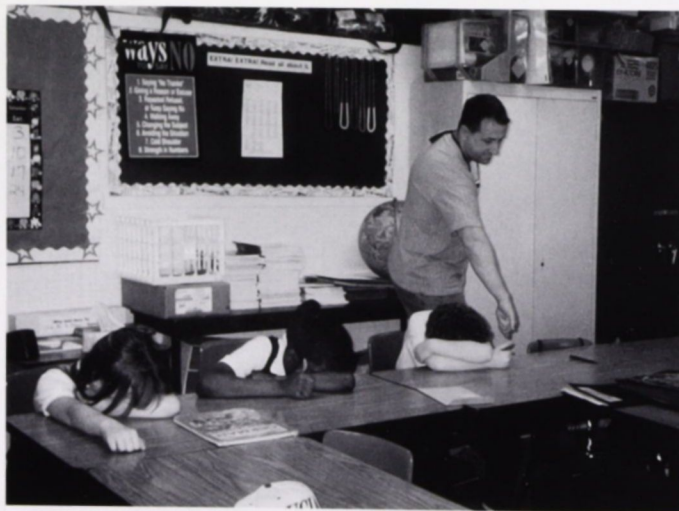
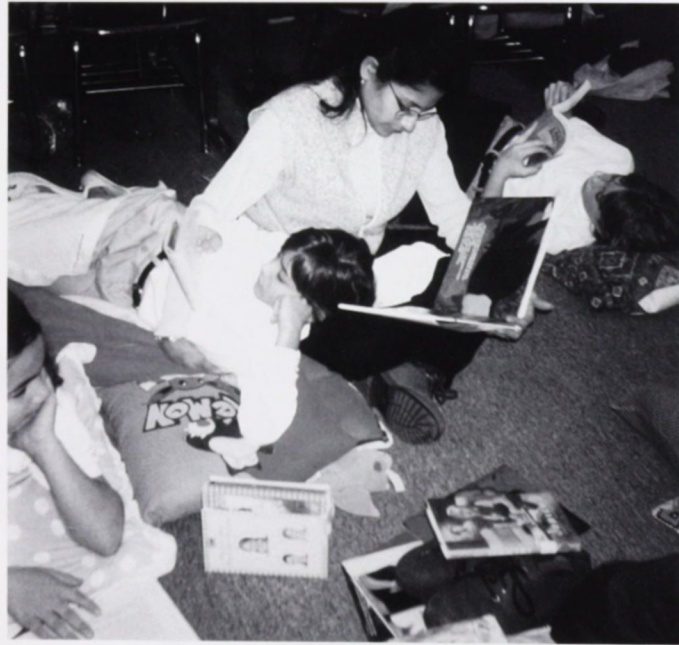
You will succeed!



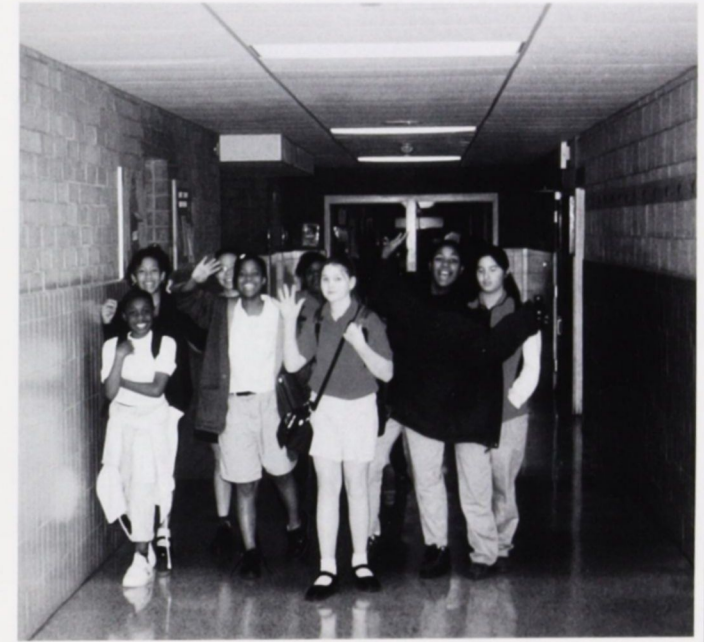
You will indeed!



Travel...



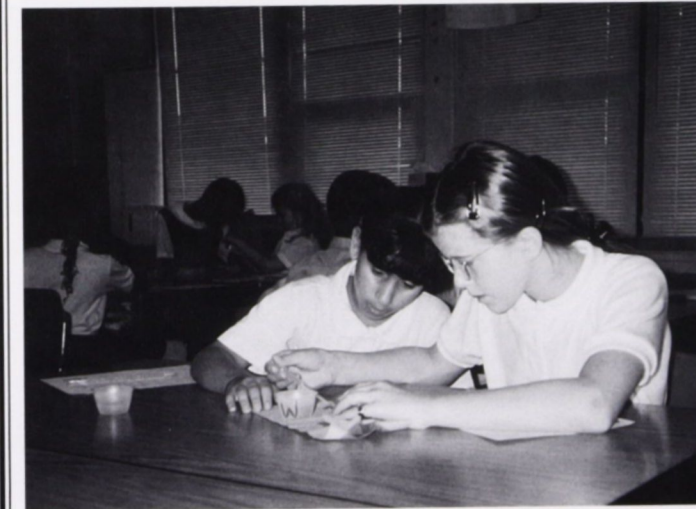
...Journey



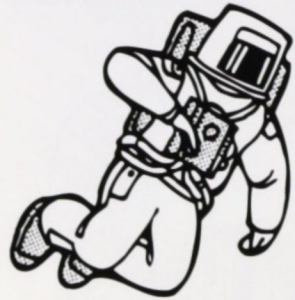
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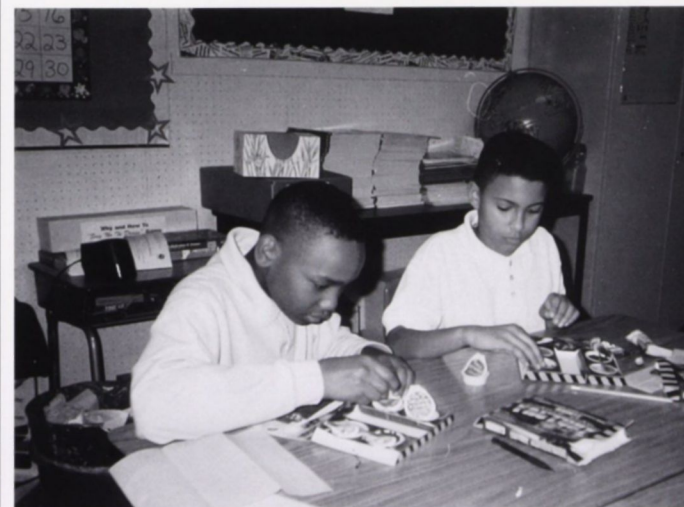
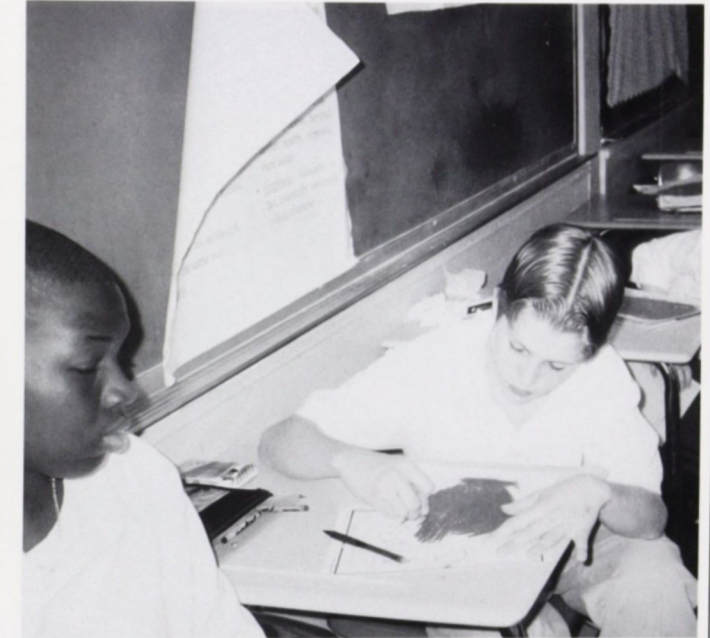
...Wonder



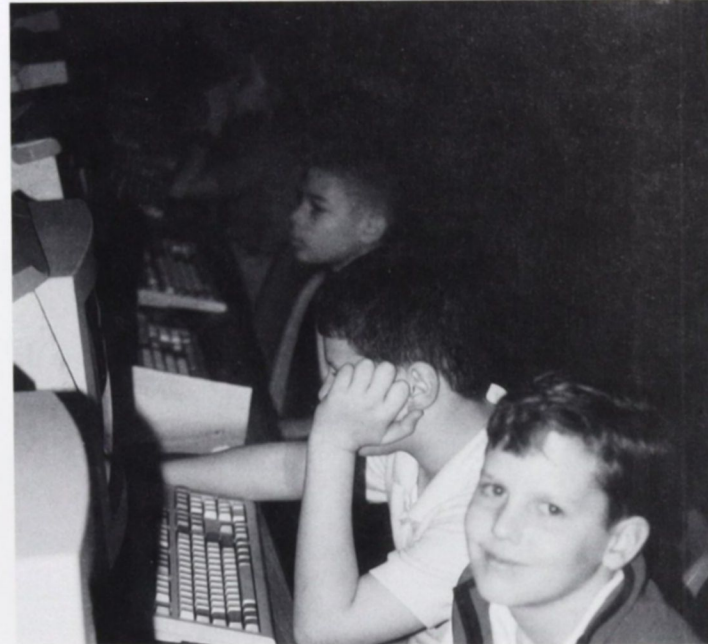
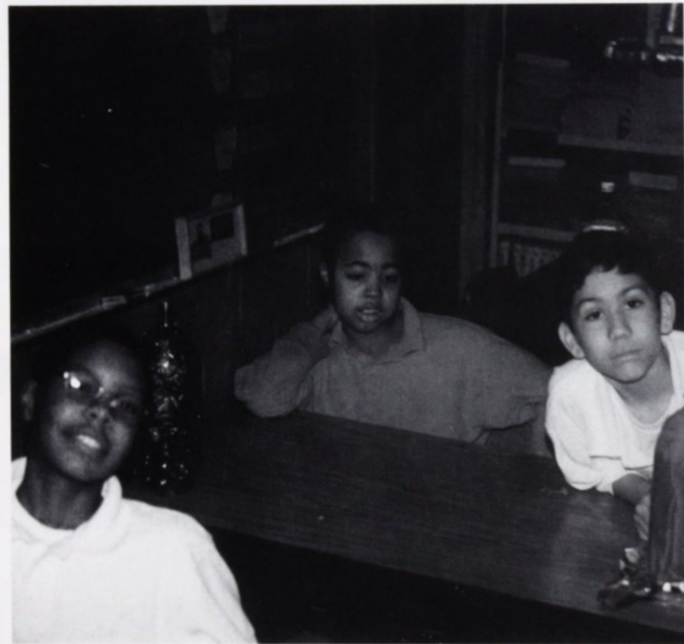
The sky's...



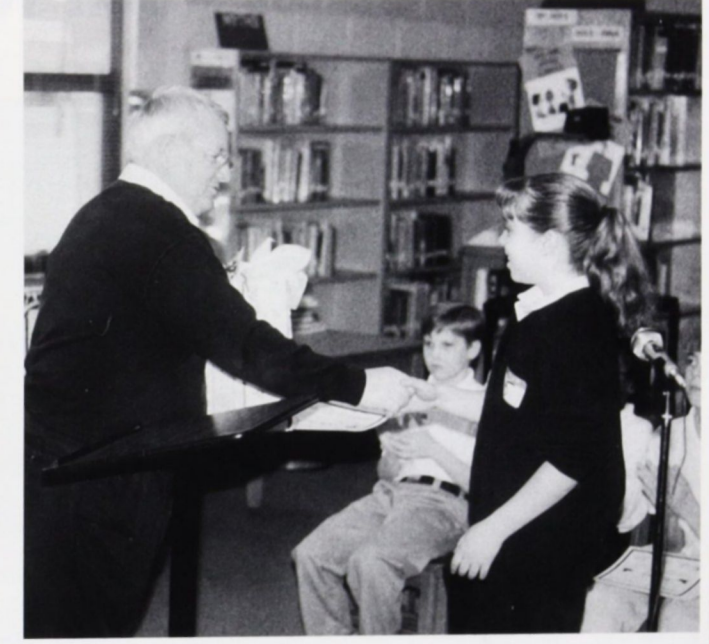
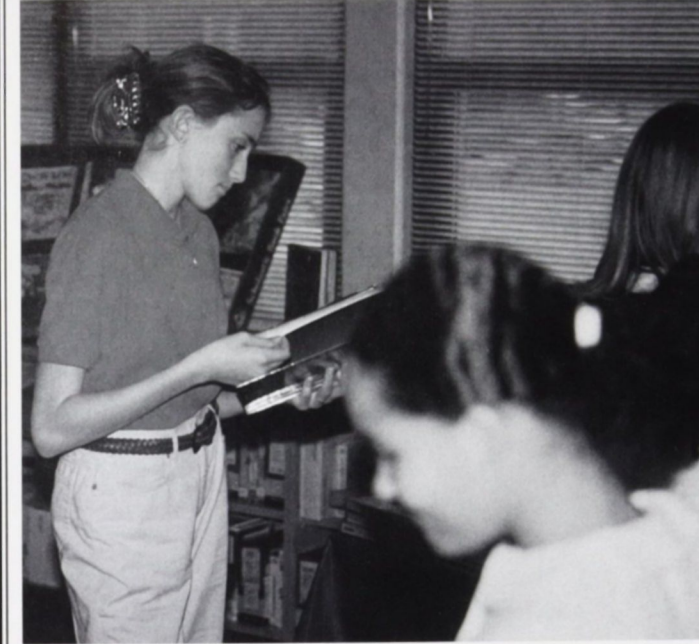
...the limit.



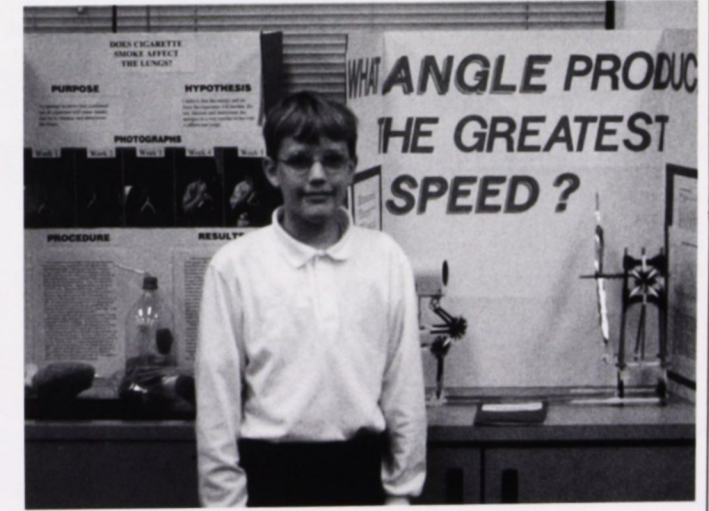
You're off...



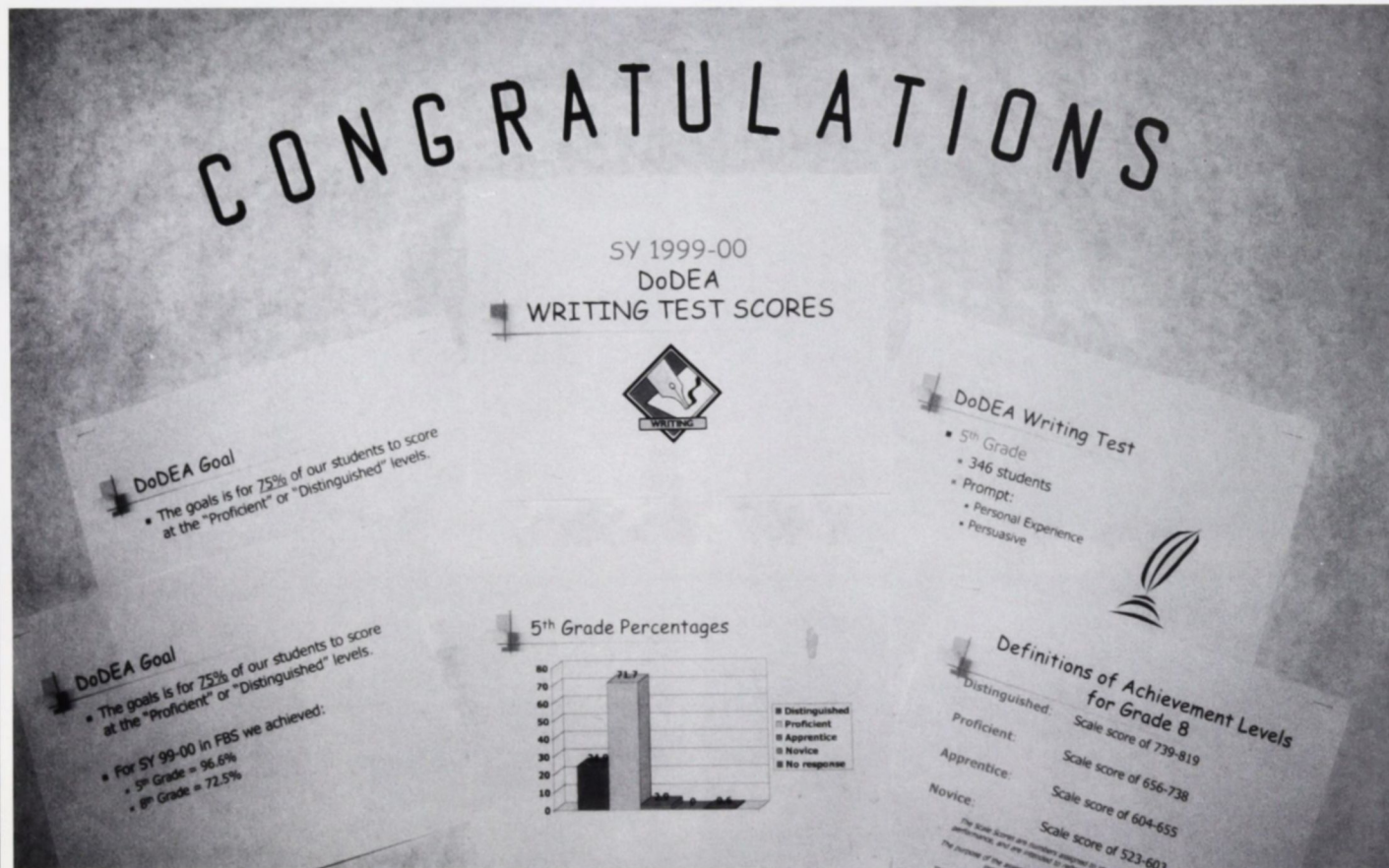
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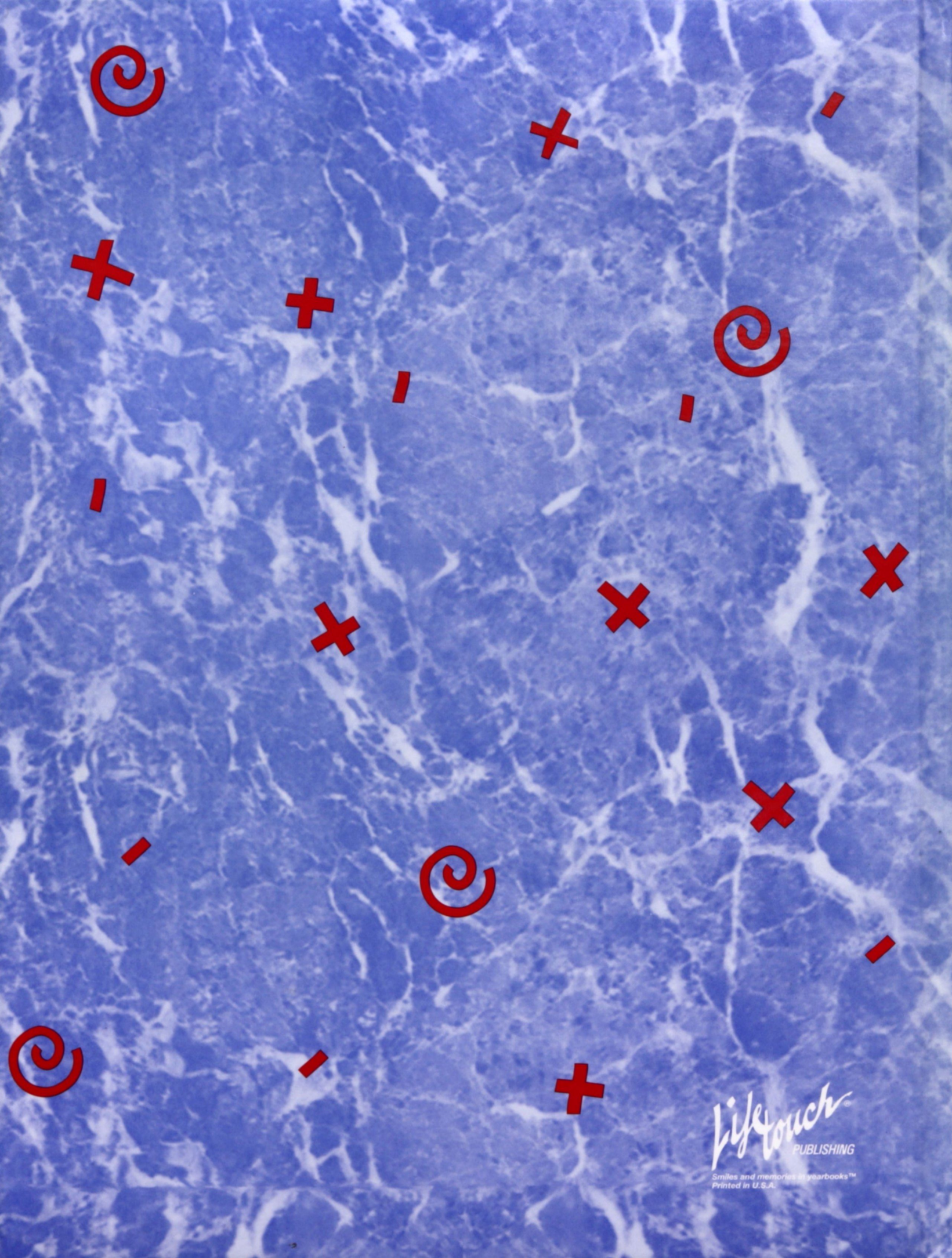
Rising Stars



Bon Voyage!



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