

STEARLEY HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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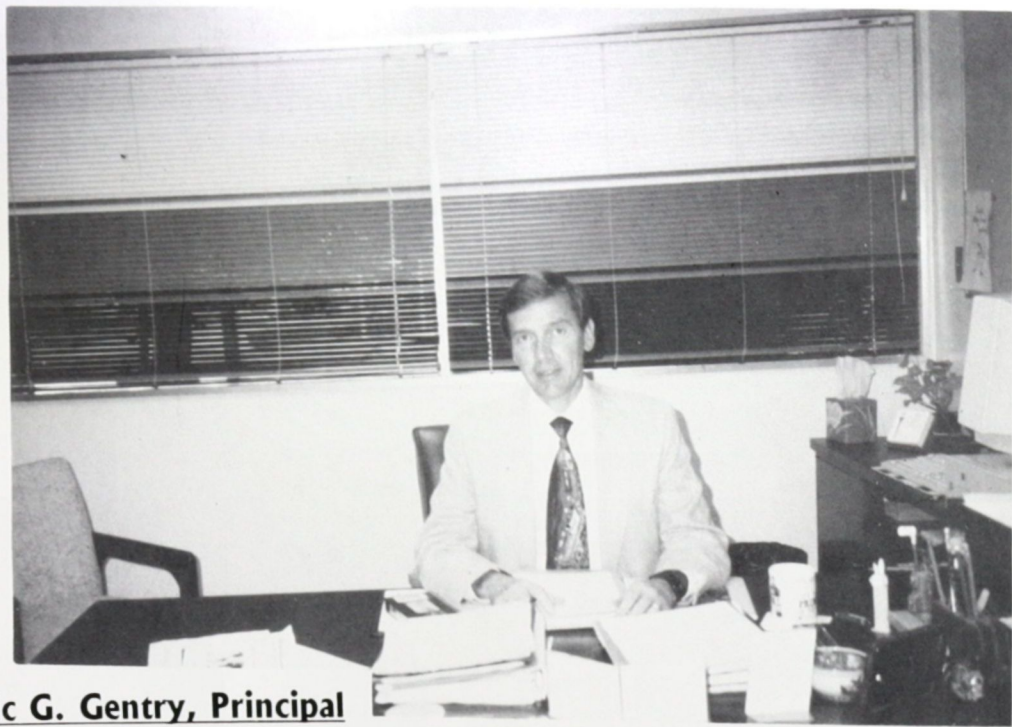


Hi! My name is _____ . This is my yearbook. If you want to see a picture of me, turn to page _____ . I am in the _____ grade. My teacher's name is _____ . I am in room _____ . My best friends are _____ and _____ . We love to _____ .

I'm really good at _____ and not so good at _____ . This has been a pretty good year. One thing I'll never forget _____ .

Name





Eric G. Gentry, Principal

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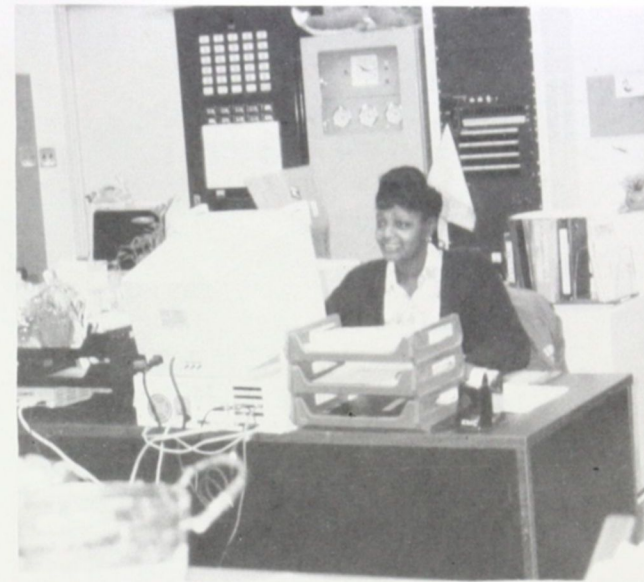


Melissa Klopfer, Assistant Principal



Rose Naputi, Secretary

Uylanda Weathers, Clerk



Paula Dyer, CSC Technician

Megumi Shimabukuro, Clerk



Margie Morgan, Office Automation



**Stearley Heights Elementary School
Faculty and Staff
1996 - 97**



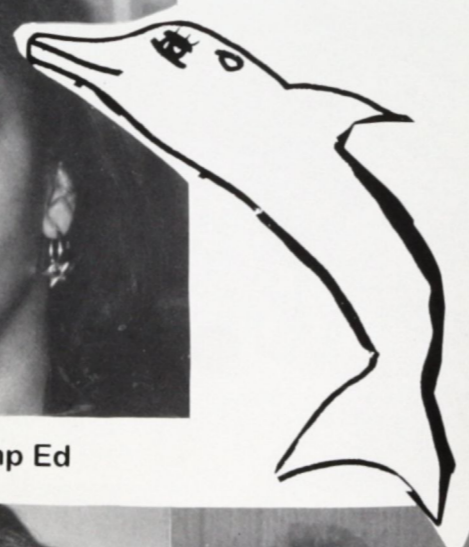
Sandra Parsley, Counselor



Linda Pfeifer, Art



Elennor Allen, Comp Ed



Benji Burrows, ESL



Marilyn Kamppi, TAG



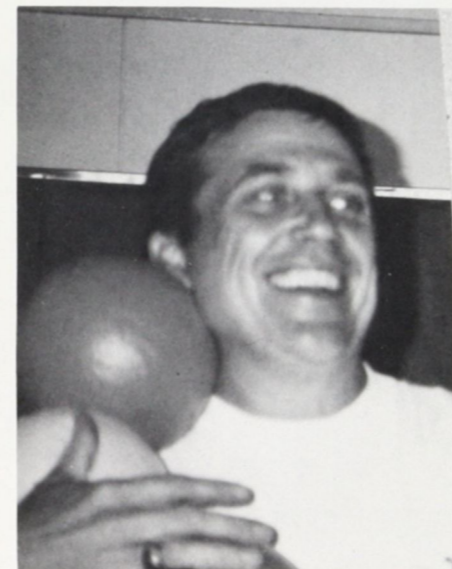
Marlene Ludlow

Patricia Branyon, RIS



Janet Reidy, RR & Comp Ed

Lavonne Ector, RR



Stanley Potts, GYM/PE



Carla Shank, EMC



Leslie Morris, LI



Katie Caldwell, Speech

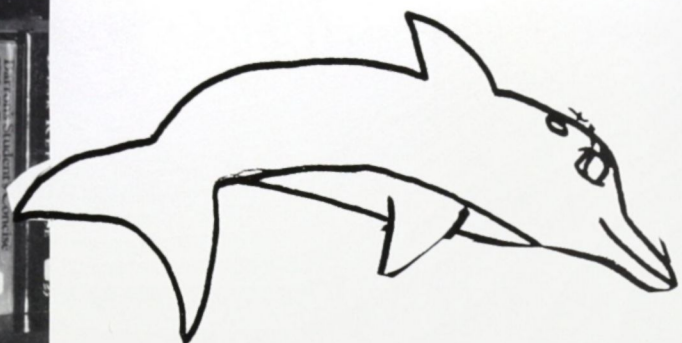


Yamazato Midori, Culture I





Hiroko Tokeshi, EMC



SUPPORT STAFF



Shirley Poterfield



Sally Nash



Ikehara San



Hermie Perete



Pat Wallace



E. J. Hill



SHES Custodial Team
KAZUKO HIGA, KAZUKO ISHIHARA, HISAKO CHIBANA
KAZUKO MAEKI, CHIYOKO YAMASHIRO

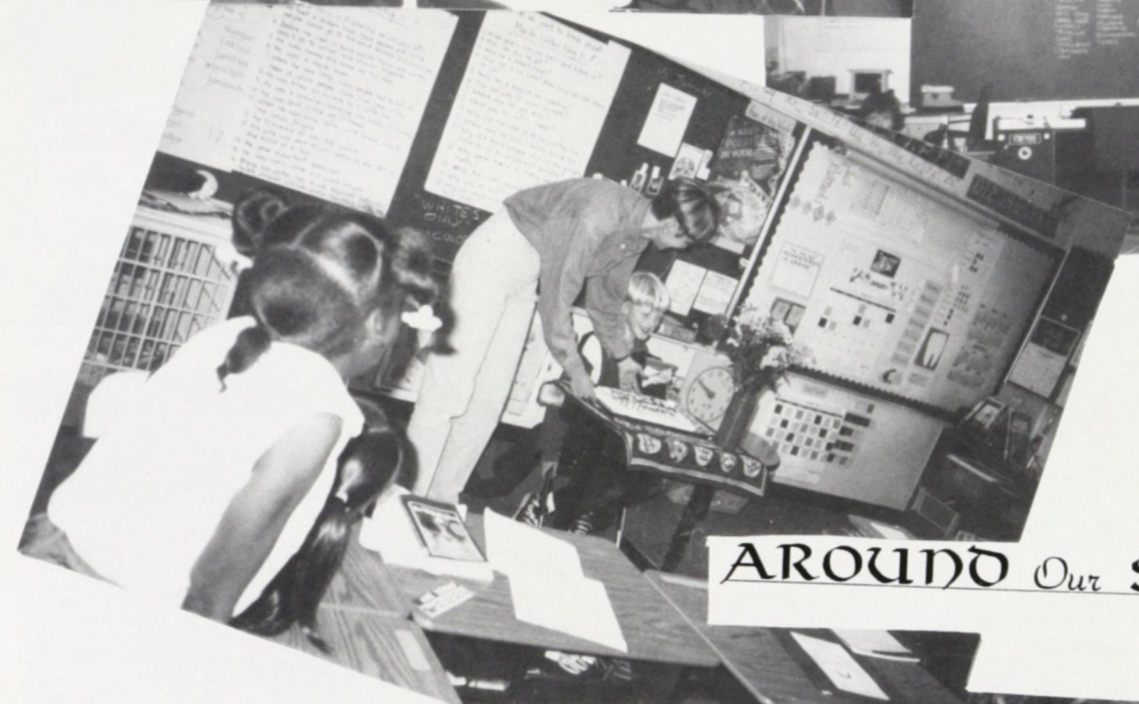
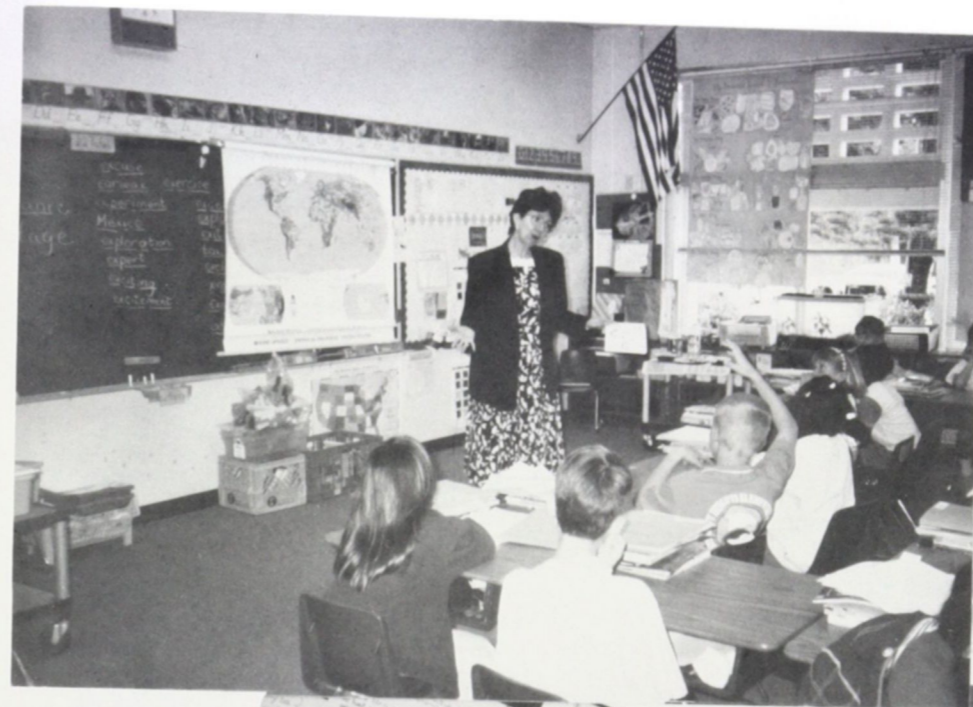


Educational Aides

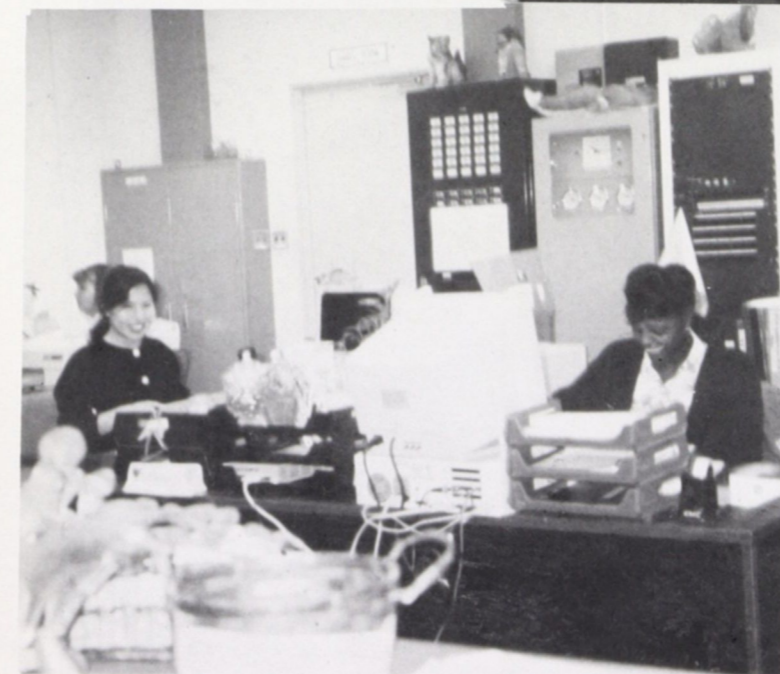
FAATHASO, MINDY



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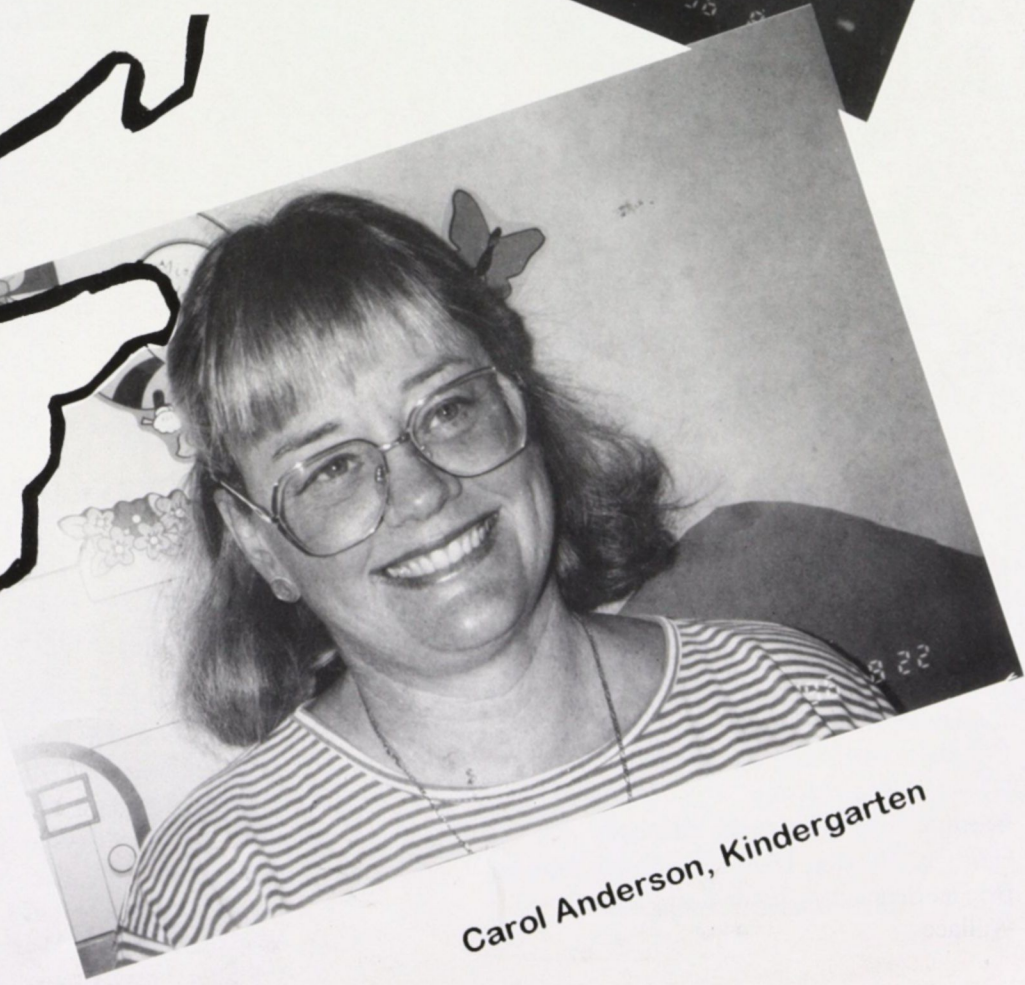
Kindergarten-Moments



Betty Bailey, Kindergarten



KINDERGARTEN



Carol Anderson, Kindergarten



Betty Bailey, Kindergarten

Mrs. Betty Bailey, Teacher - Kindergarten (AM)

Top Row: Sally Nash - Aide, Tyler Erickson, Lucas Leatherwood, Alex McBeth, Thomas MacAvoy, David Galli, Christopher Barfield

Center Row: Bryer Mueller, James Nichols II, Edwin Schroeder, David Vessels, Reid Wilder, Alissa Carruth

Bottom Row: Kacy Cole, Elizabeth Hartman, Blessing Mullis, Kemberly Nguyen, Bridget Schneider, Sarah Tang, Ashely Wallace

Mrs. Betty Bailey, Teacher - Kindergarten (PM)

Top Row: Sally Nash - Aide, Alexia Butler, Aileen Herrera, Rahmell Green, Paul Furr,

Alex Bozarth, Garrett Bockman
Center Row: M. Hollifield, David Hartzog, Cristine Olaes, Chase Kemper, Matthew Mol,

Sinae Kolesar, Bryson Salazar
Bottom Row: Heather Scott, David Smalley, Dionne Simms, Chad Wadlington, Kirstie Warren, Lisa Watkins, Patsy Young

Not Pictured: Chris Delauder, Keyah Gunter, Rafael Lopez





Carol Anderson, Kindergarten

Ms. Carol Anderson, Teacher - Kindergarten (PM)

Top Row: Mrs. Shirley Porterfield - Aide, Helen Bryant, Brycia Delano, Kenneth Hass, Anthony Garlick, Tanisha Davis, Logan Betts
Center Row: Jacqueline Inaldo, Christian Kadunce, Sam Kelley Jr., Sharmayne Maytes, Steven Mommaerts, Allan Minnier Jr. Amanda Phipps
Bottom Row: Melissa Thomas, Gladys Rabacal, Brandon Wheeler, Donald Harp, Kenneth Bates, Michele Hughes
Not Pictured: Joseph Bussiere, Gregory Ingram

Ms. Carol Anderson, Teacher - Kindergarten (AM)
Mrs. Shirley Porterfield - Aide

Top Row: Ms. Anderson, Owen Caison, Matthew Castro, Brittany Davis, Joseph Catterson, Amy Caron, Tyler Blake
Center Row: Nicholas Inouye, Kelsey Konicke, Kyle McNally, Wesley Pileski, Jessica Powell, Kristie Sigloh, Ryan Souder
Bottom Row: Janice Suever, Roger Valdez, Aya Wilson, Kevin Zantt, Anna Bedtelyon, Nicholas Blessing, Monique Miller
Not Pictured: Jacob Amposta, Courtney May, Dogiovanni Ortiz, Stephanie Ware





Grade 1-Moments



Agnes Herrington



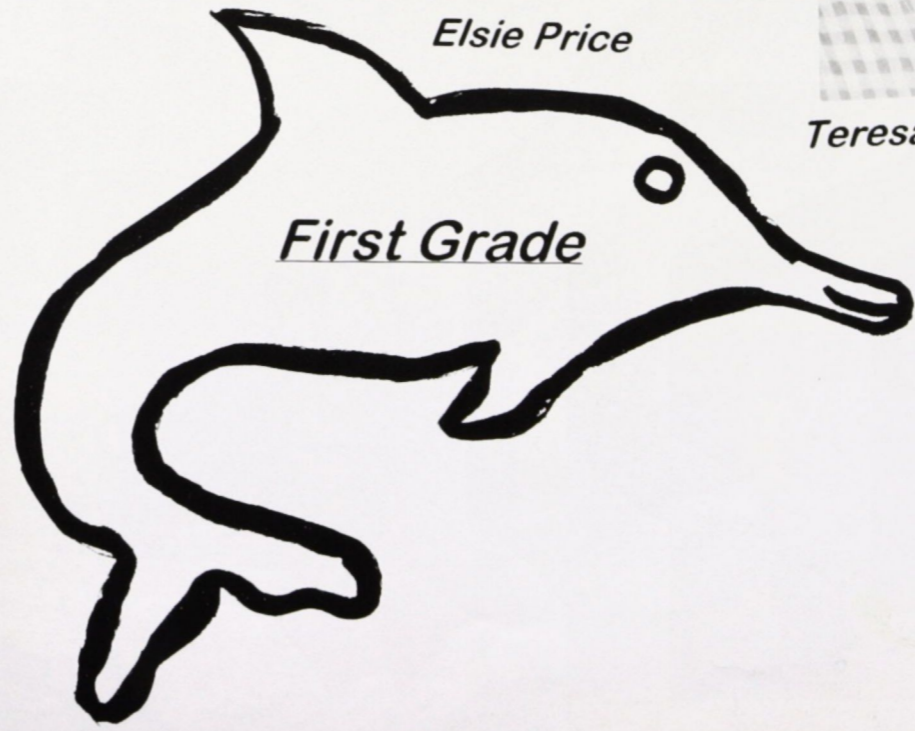
Aimee Minkle



Elsie Price



Teresa Lathem



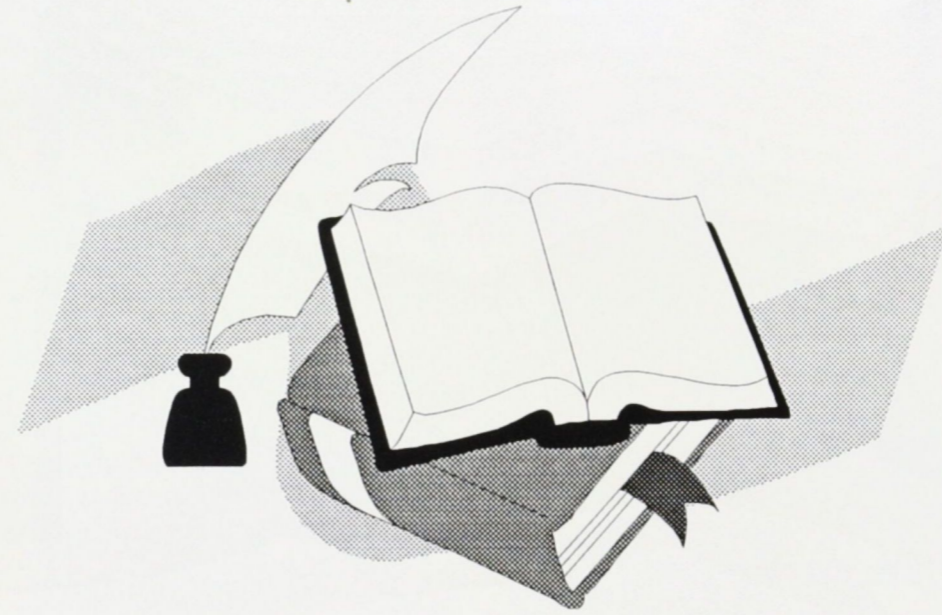
First Grade



Susan Cardenez



Ms Cardenez's First Graders



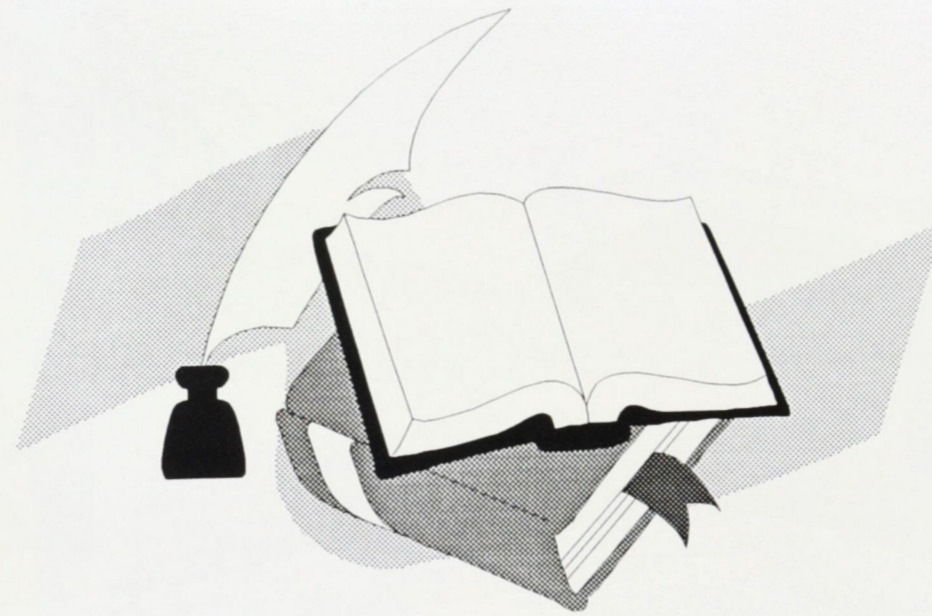
Mrs. Susan Cardenez, Teacher - Grade 1

Top Row: Amanda Baxley, Jacob Dybdahl, Amber Gurrola, Taryn Lehner, Mark Kasic, Kragen Gonzales, Christina Curtis

Center Row: Jorney McCallister, Stephen Murphy, Joshua Palmer, Michael Plante, Justin Radcliffe, Julian Shields, Andrea Smith

Bottom Row: Raymond Suarez, Porsha Valdez, Angela Werner, Heather Zillweger, Royce Kimbrough, Kristen Westendorff

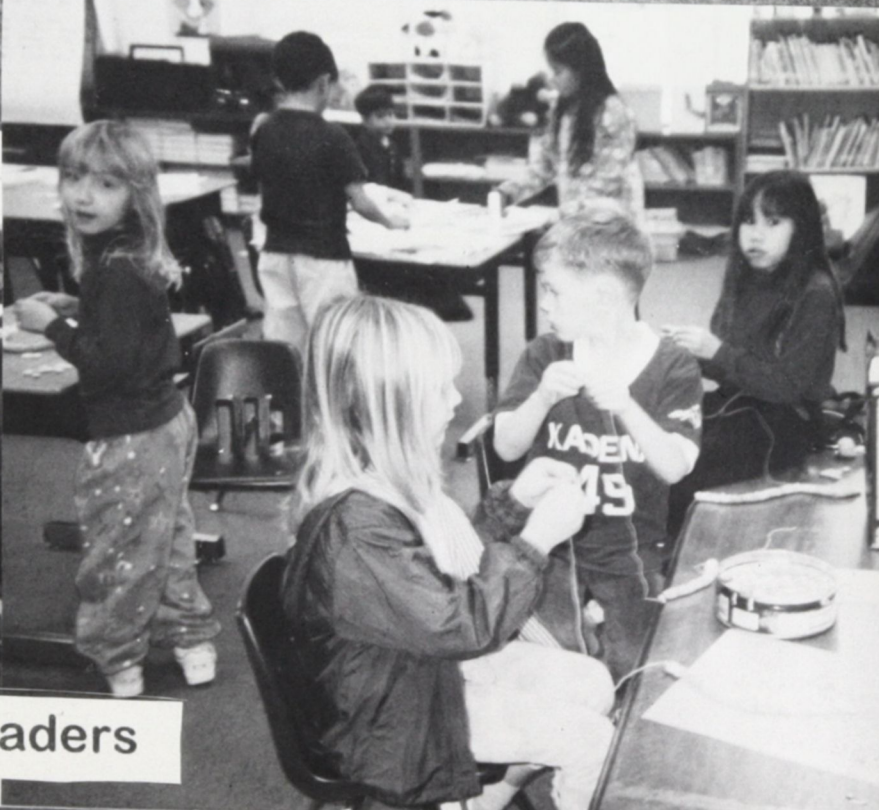




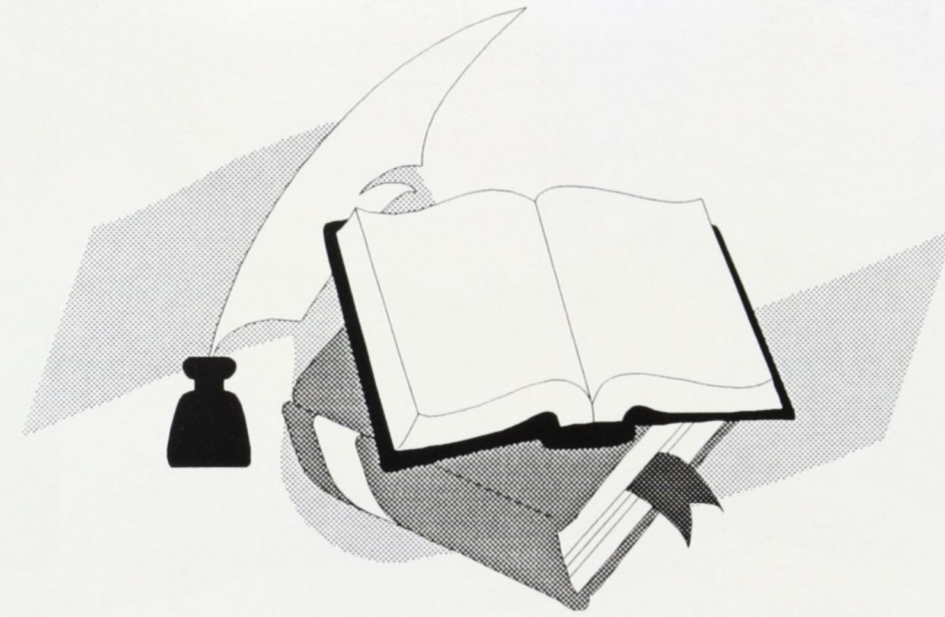
Ms. Teresa Lathem, Teacher - Grade 1

Top Row: Joel Blair, Benjamin Dunlow, Richard Edwards, Gilbert Esquibel, Theresa Knutson, Joel Escobar, Christina Breazell
Center Row: Genny Konicke, Kiersten Klepezyk, Ashley Markus, Brenden Lehner, Joshua Rouse, Ryne O'Dea, Tanya Sipos
Bottom Row: Sarah Smith, Cameron Roth, Juan Paulo Quiatchon, Daniel Westendorff, Quinn Whittaker





Ms Herrington's First Graders



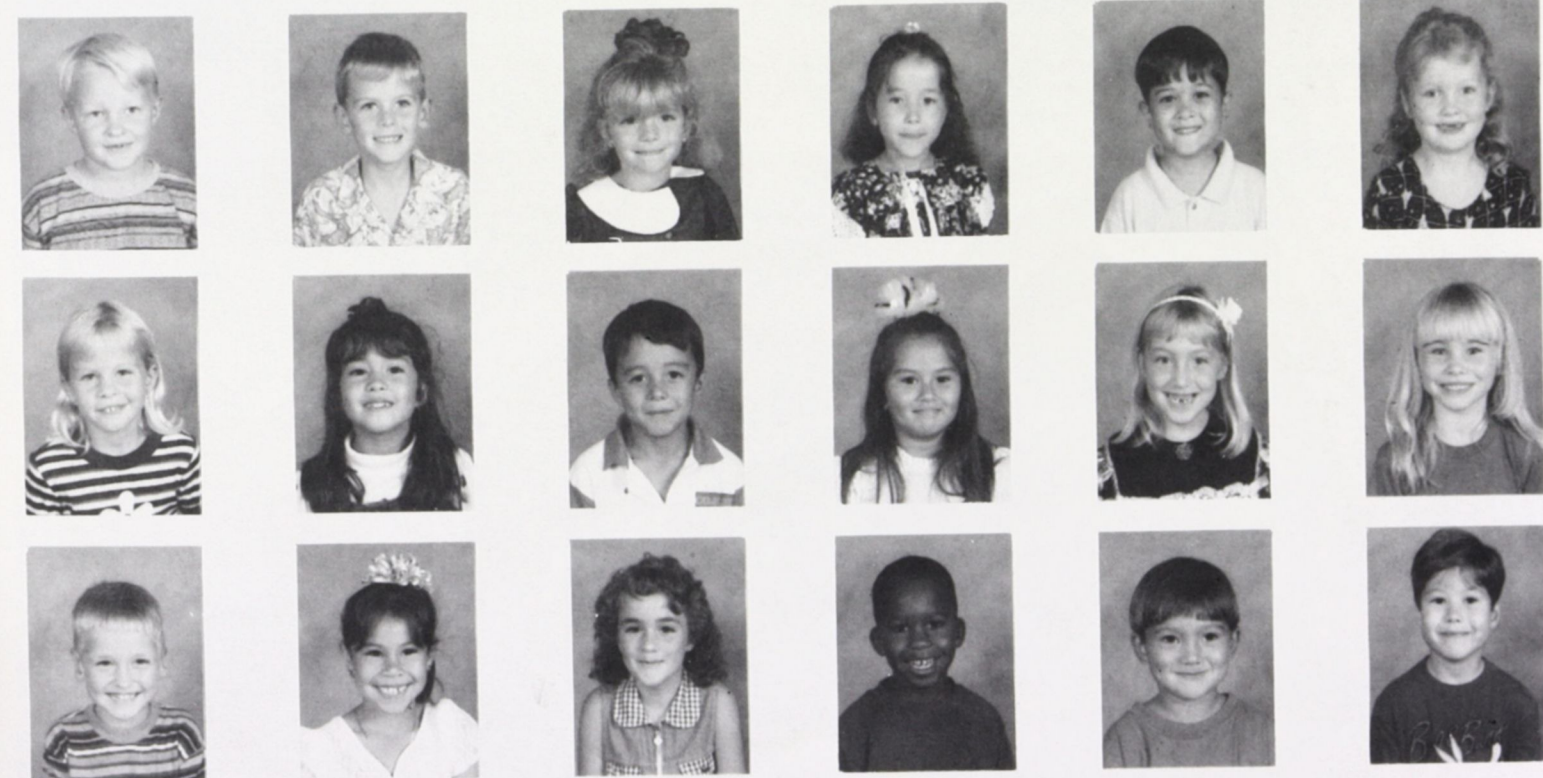
Mrs. Agnes Herrington, Teacher - Grade 1

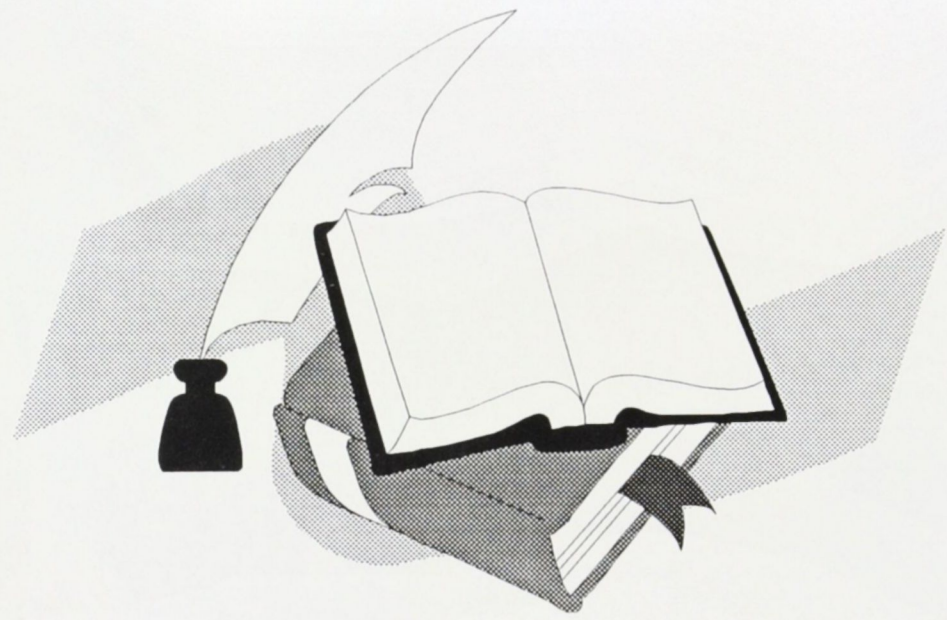
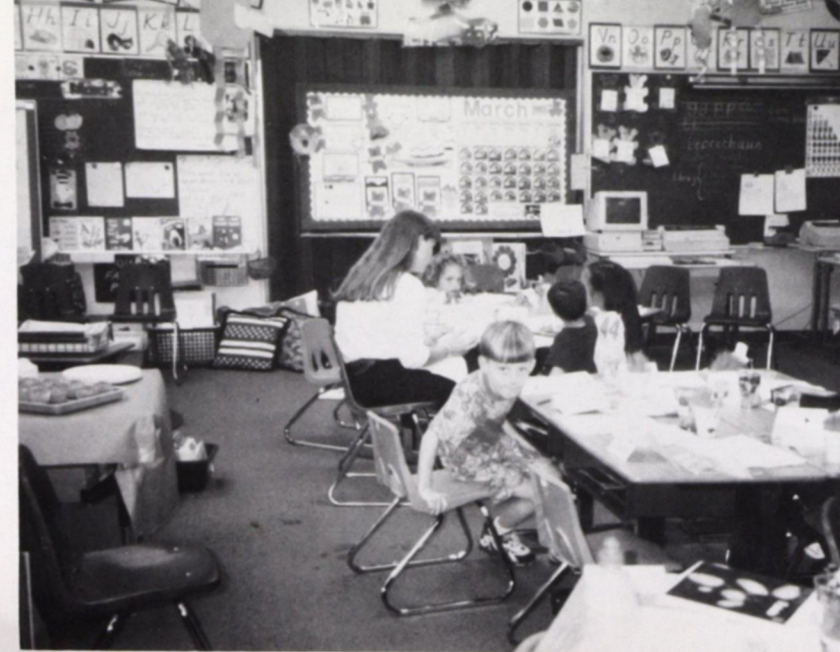
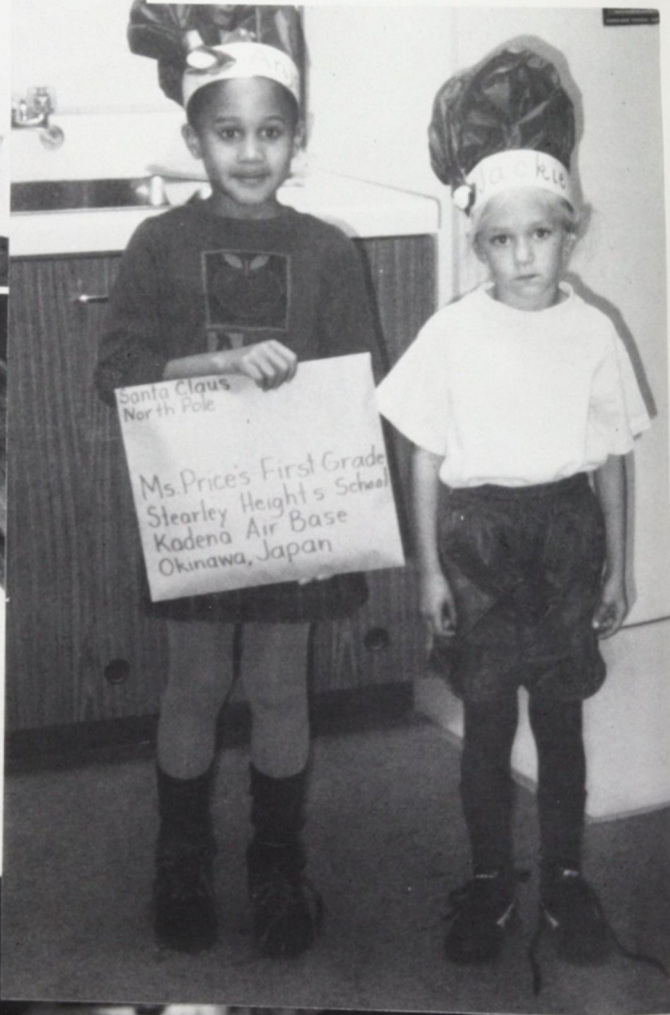
Top Row: Leroy Brown, Drew Clasen, Hayley Fish, Jessica Lancaster, Jon-Christian Gagner, Lauren Almand

Center Row: Chelsie Lessinger, Sheila McCabe, Gordon O'Hearne, Hanna Quinones, Maire Sanders, Casandra Schroeder

Bottom Row: Joshua Speer, Jennifer Sventek, Samantha Tilley, Clifford Lyter

Not Pictured: Whittany Deeson, Dewayne Bell Jr.





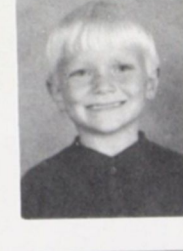
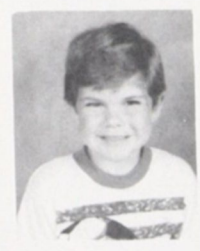
Ms. Elsie Price, Teacher - Grade 1

Top Row: Sammy Punimate, Janae'a Davis, Laura Ritch, Kayne Medsker, Anja Talley, Matthew Davenport

Center Row: Ryan Coker, Amanda Schultz, Michelle Gonzales, Colleen Herrera, Eric Conroy, Brett Rayner III.

Bottom Row: Nicole Wickum-Becker, Jonathan Bedtelyon, Monica Olaes, Nicholas McCracken, Jacqueline Scott, Anthony Houst

Not Pictured: Joshua Veneman, Angela Williams, Alexander McBeth





Ms Minkle's First Graders



Mrs. Emily Minkle, Teacher - Grade 1

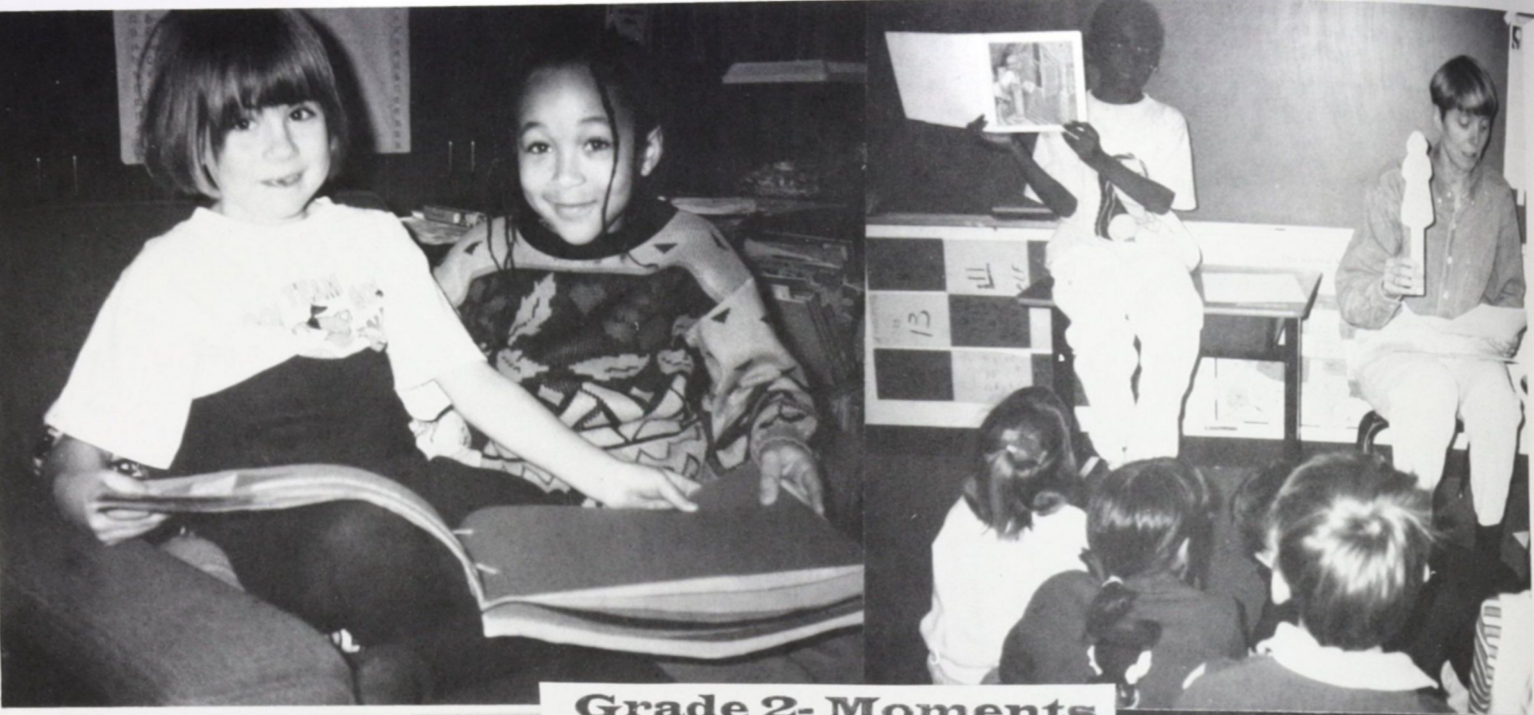
Top Row: Jessica Nelson, Dante Carne, Joshua French, Andrew Goss, Lukas Gilzean, William Clinger, Cailyn Bradley

Center Row: Dale Haskins, Kristen Henry, Brianne Kiefer, Angela Large, Jennifer McCollum, Christa Moran, Marika Morris

Bottom Row: Stacy Nelson, Jesse Reynolds, A. Sachse-Weaver, Walter Schmidt, Rachael Wheeler, Linday Harter

Not Pictured: Rachel McKenzie





Grade 2- Moments

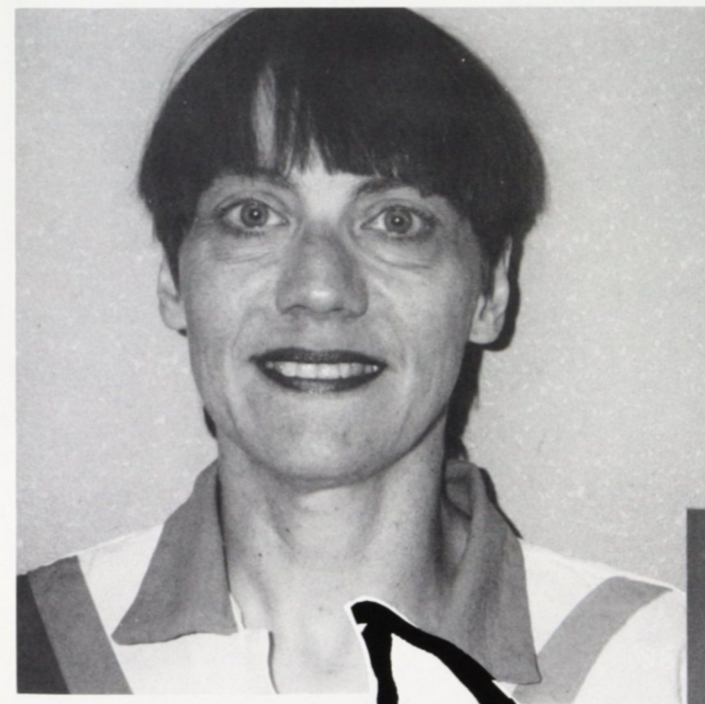


Renda Presser

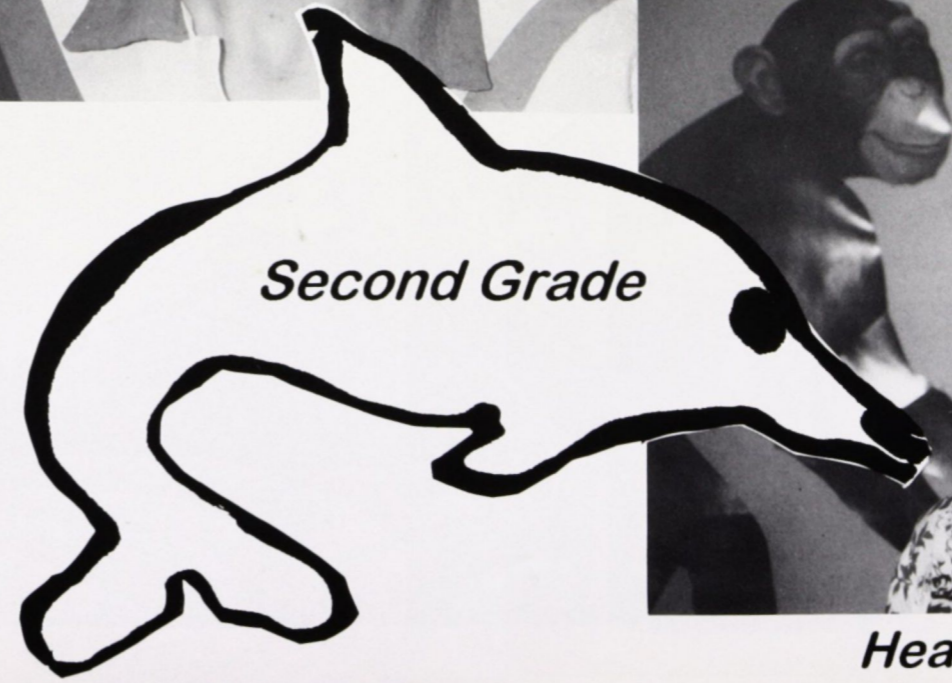
Cheryl Dawson



Joyce Osborn,



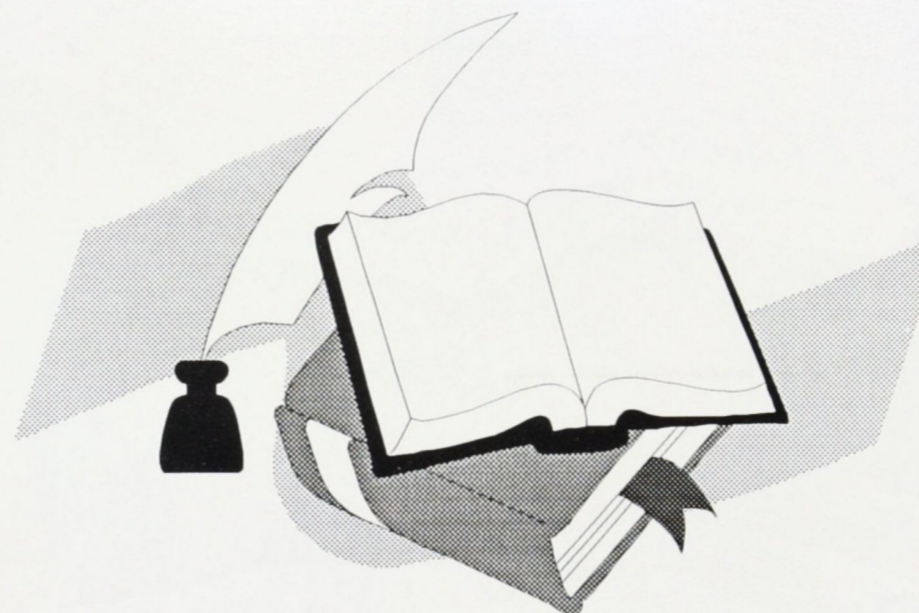
Heather Rowlett



Second Grade



Cheryl Dawson, Second Grade



Mrs. Cheryl Dawson, Teacher - Grade 2

Top Row: Lauren Clinger, Marjorie Faaiuso, James French, Leilani Hassell, Janelle Hinton, Amber Harris, Gregory Ferguson, Jenifer Evans

Center Row: Rashonda Joplin, Hank Mol, Cody Powell, Keith Reynolds, Jaymie Rogers Micki Iltis, Sean Schneider, Thomas Shulson

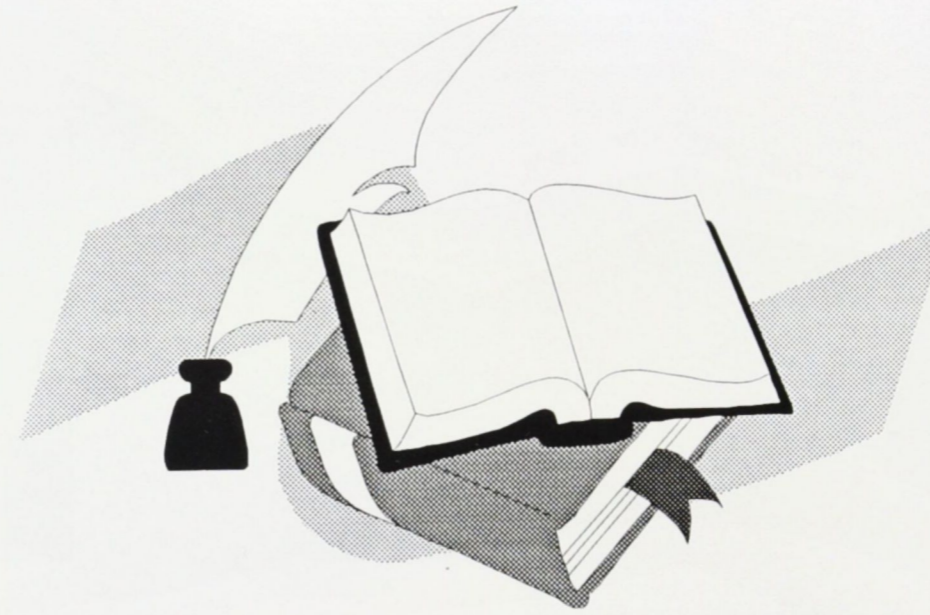
Bottom Row: Alyssa Tankersley, Donald Westerbeck, Sheila Floyd, Ariel Telford, Akeem Childs, Bryan Jewell

Not Pictured: Ryan May





Render Presser-Grade 2



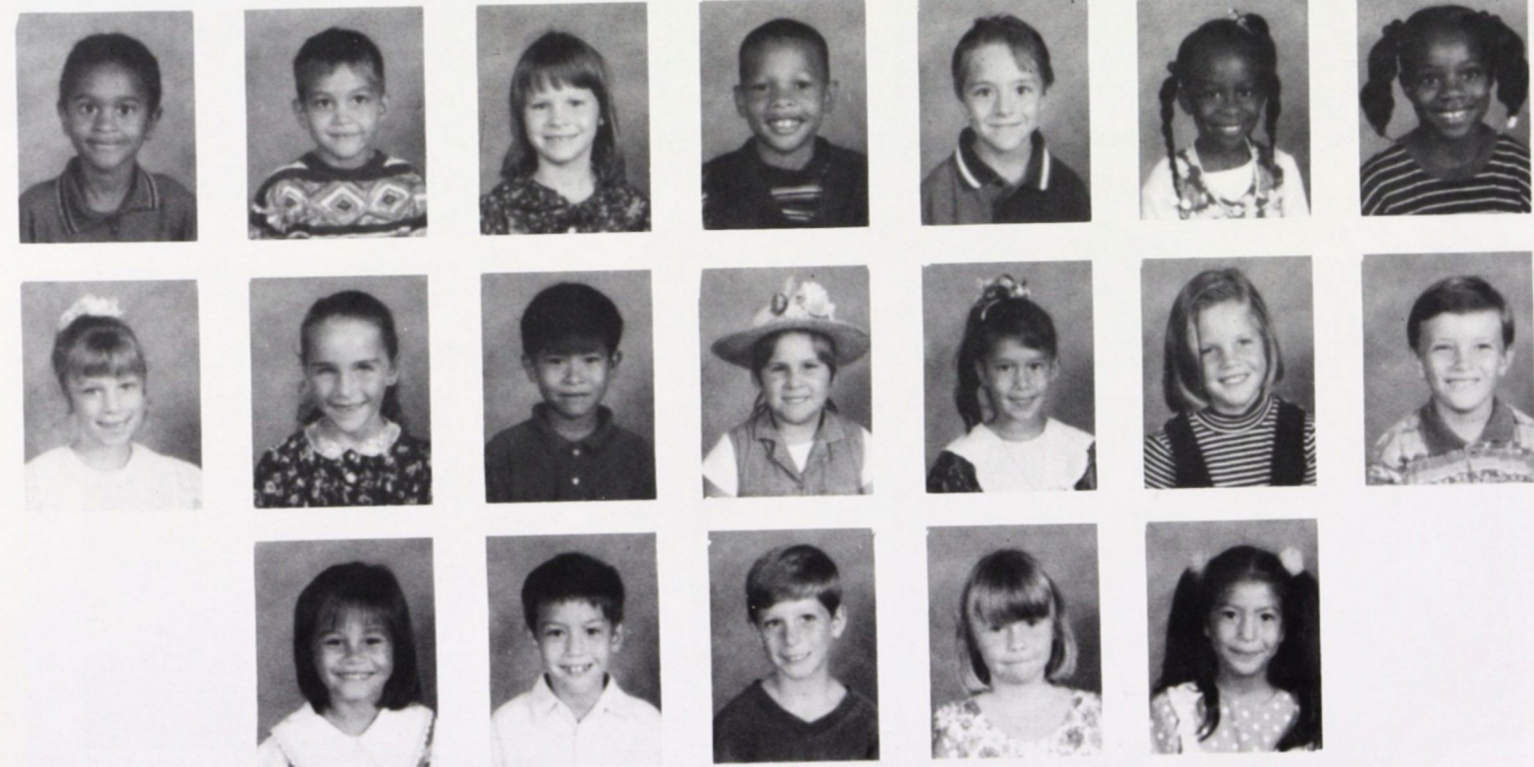
Mrs. Renda Presser, Teacher - Grade 2

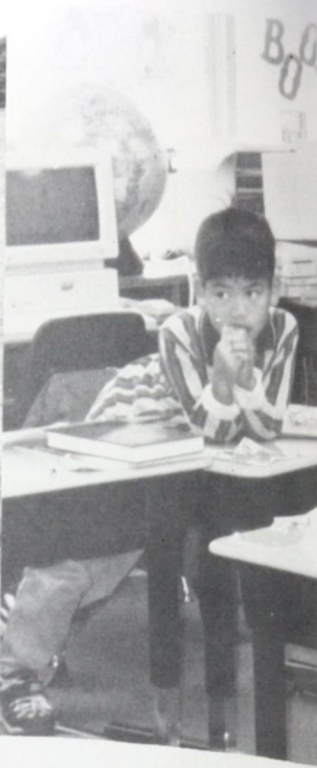
Top Row: Rendal Bass, C. Blessing, Emily Anderson, Tyler Davenport, Anthony Cappel, Candace Brown, Jasmin Bacon

Center Row: Christie Deaton, Kristen Fox, Rynel Gervacio, Stephanie Harper, Danielle Hines, Angela Larsen, Samuel MacAvoy

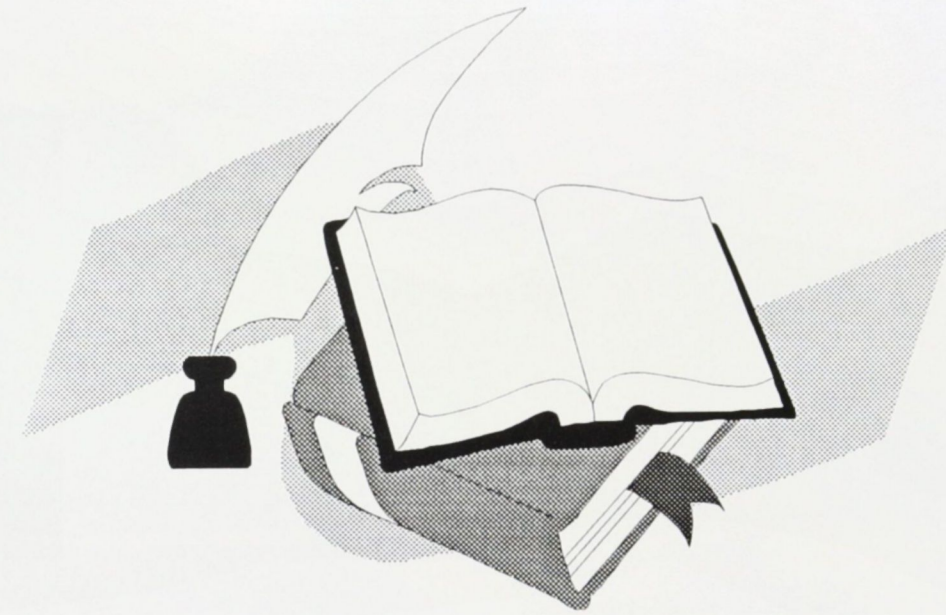
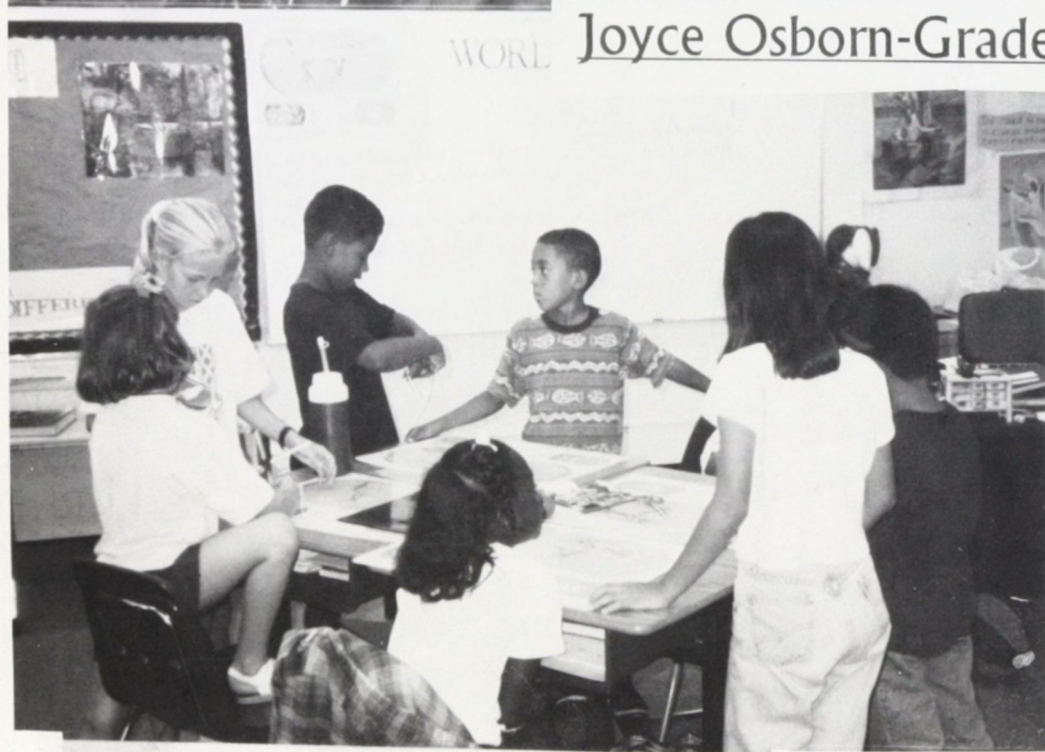
Bottom Row: Jaimee Robeson, Travis Shea, Myles Thomas, Holly Souders, Julie Thornsberry

Not Pictured: Jessica Delauder





WORL **Joyce Osborn-Grade 2**



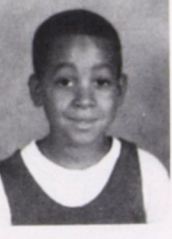
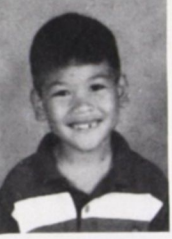
Mrs. Joyce Osborn, Teacher - Grade 2

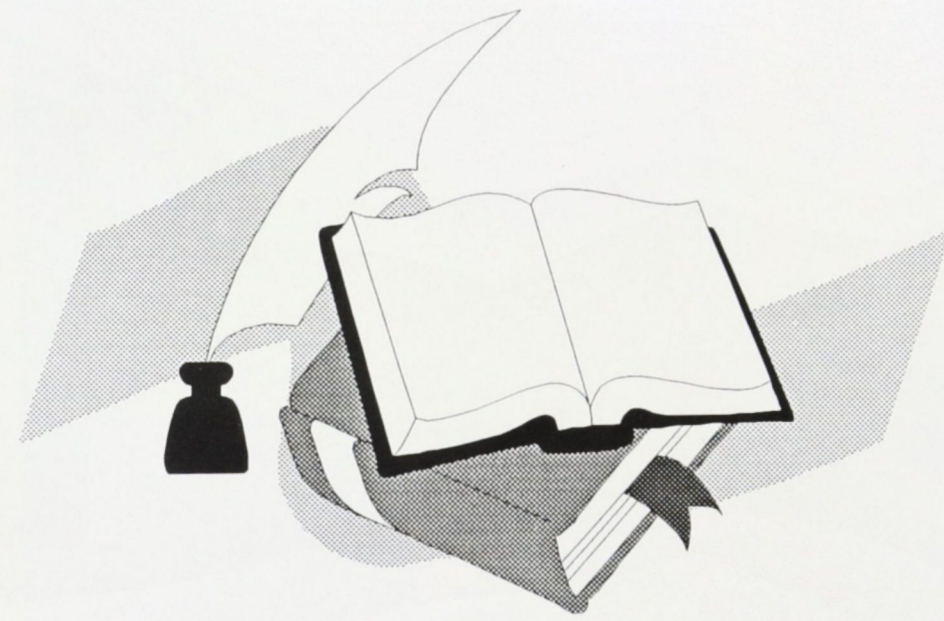
Top Row: Tajia Reed, Michael Lake, Zack Kalenowski, Brittney Schneider, Catherine Smiley, Christina Hoak

Center Row: James, Johnston, Ryan Nalepa, Harlow Halliday, Christina Lyter, Felicia Butler, Justin Inaldo

Bottom Row: Michael Curtis, Brenna Odoski, Jacquilynn Brancheck, Phillip Harding,

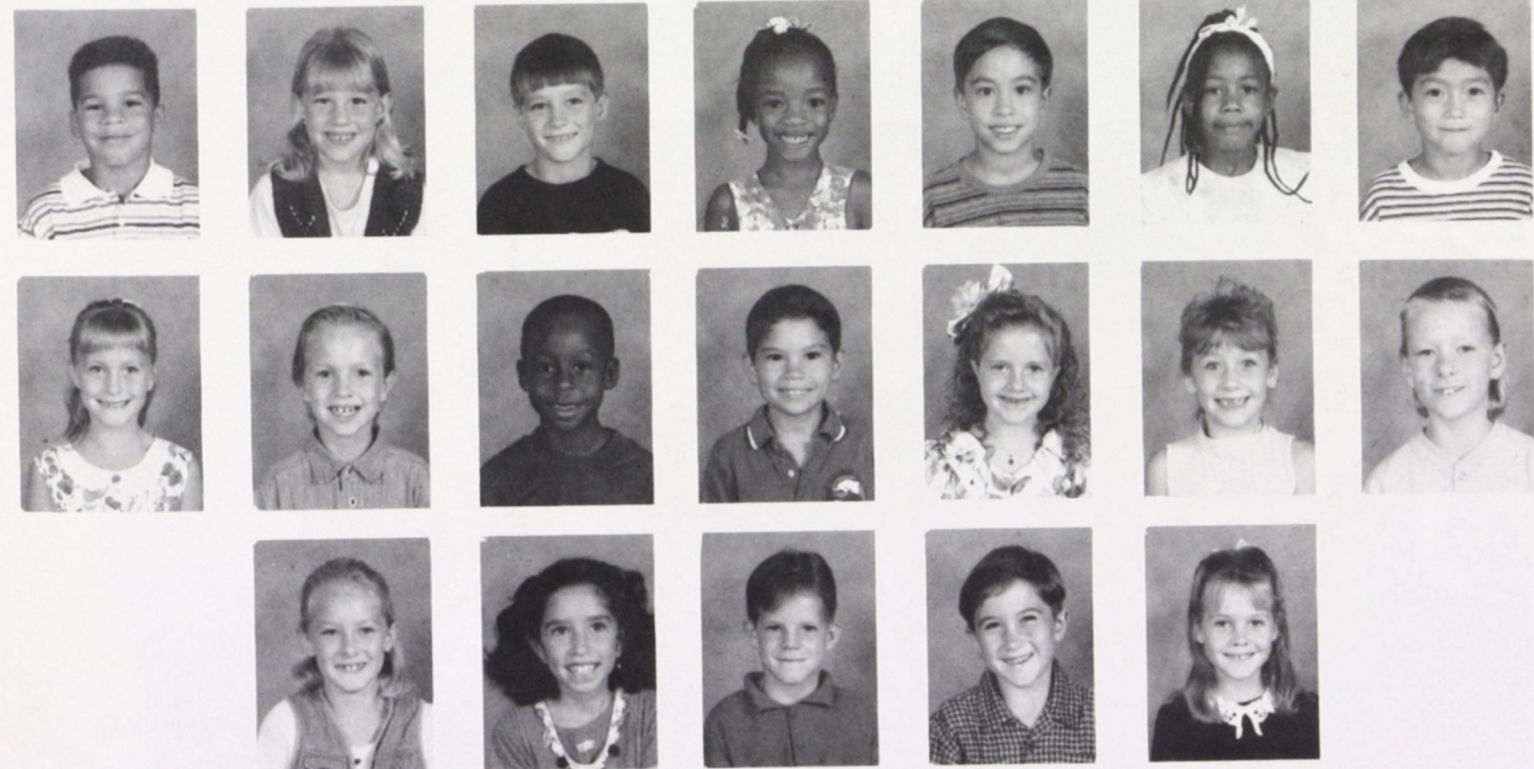
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Not Pictured: Chelsea McKenzie, Darran Parrish

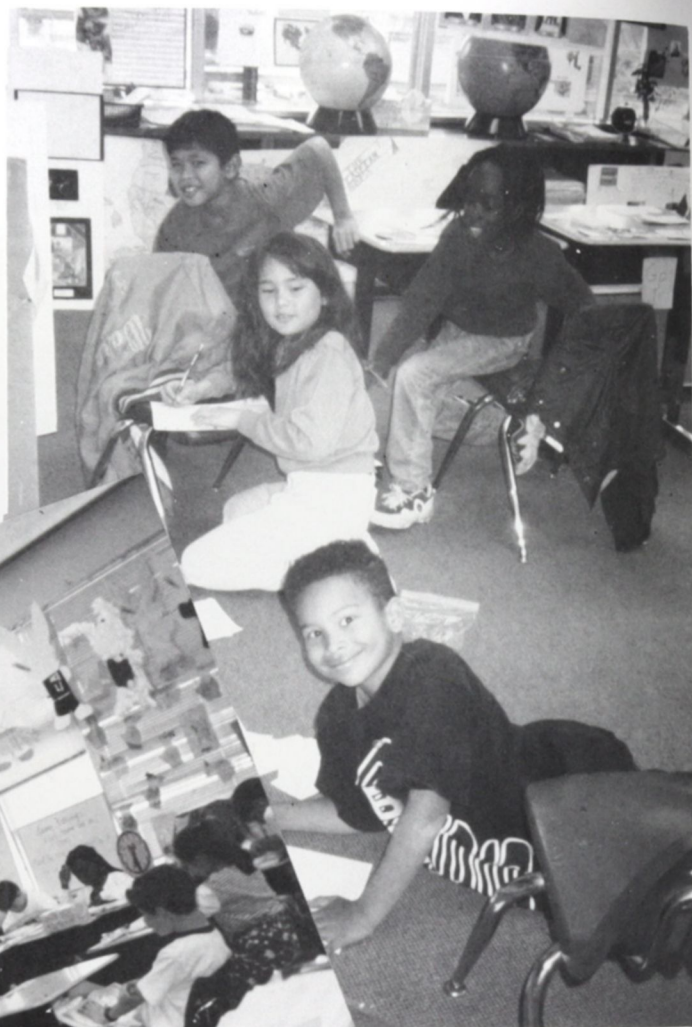




Mrs. Heather Rowlett, Teacher - Grade 2

Top Row: Joshua Hunt, Ashley Hayes, Sierra Torney, Maverick Rasmussen, Jasmine Richardson
Center Row: Nicole Truskowski, Denny Tankersley Jr., Debonair Taylor, Nathanal White, Jacqueline Hunter, Holly Alderman, Michael Arnold
Bottom Row: Crystal Bartlett, Tyler Brown, Zack Carruth, Brittany Deeson
Not Pictured: Chelsea Drayton, Jeffrey Bryan





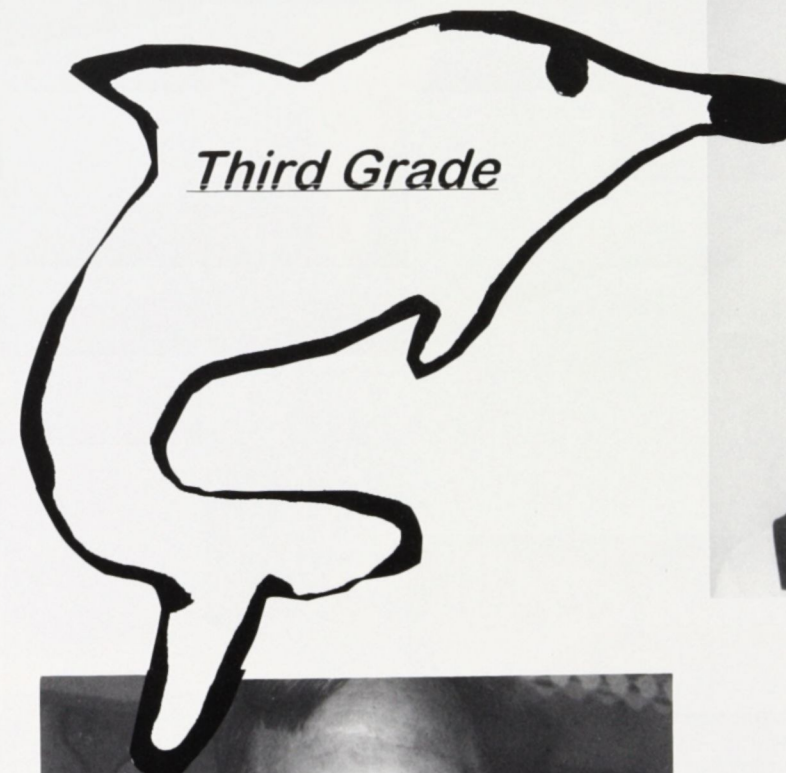
Grade 3- Moments



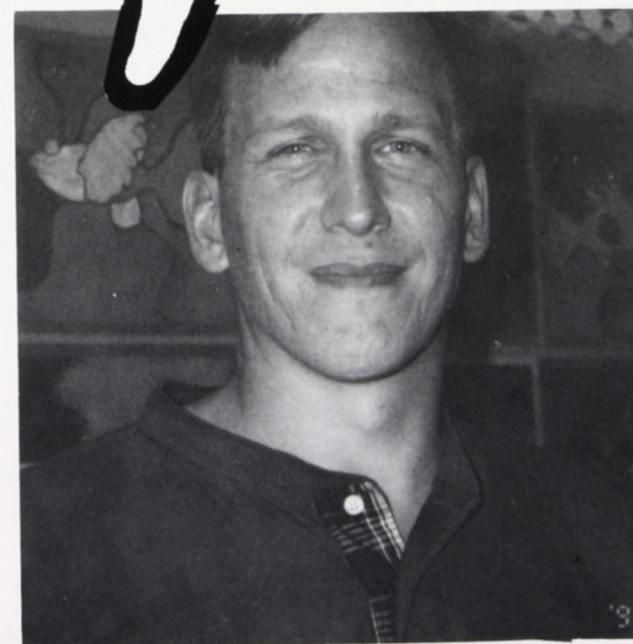
Susan Lane-Gerenza



Cindy Goldman



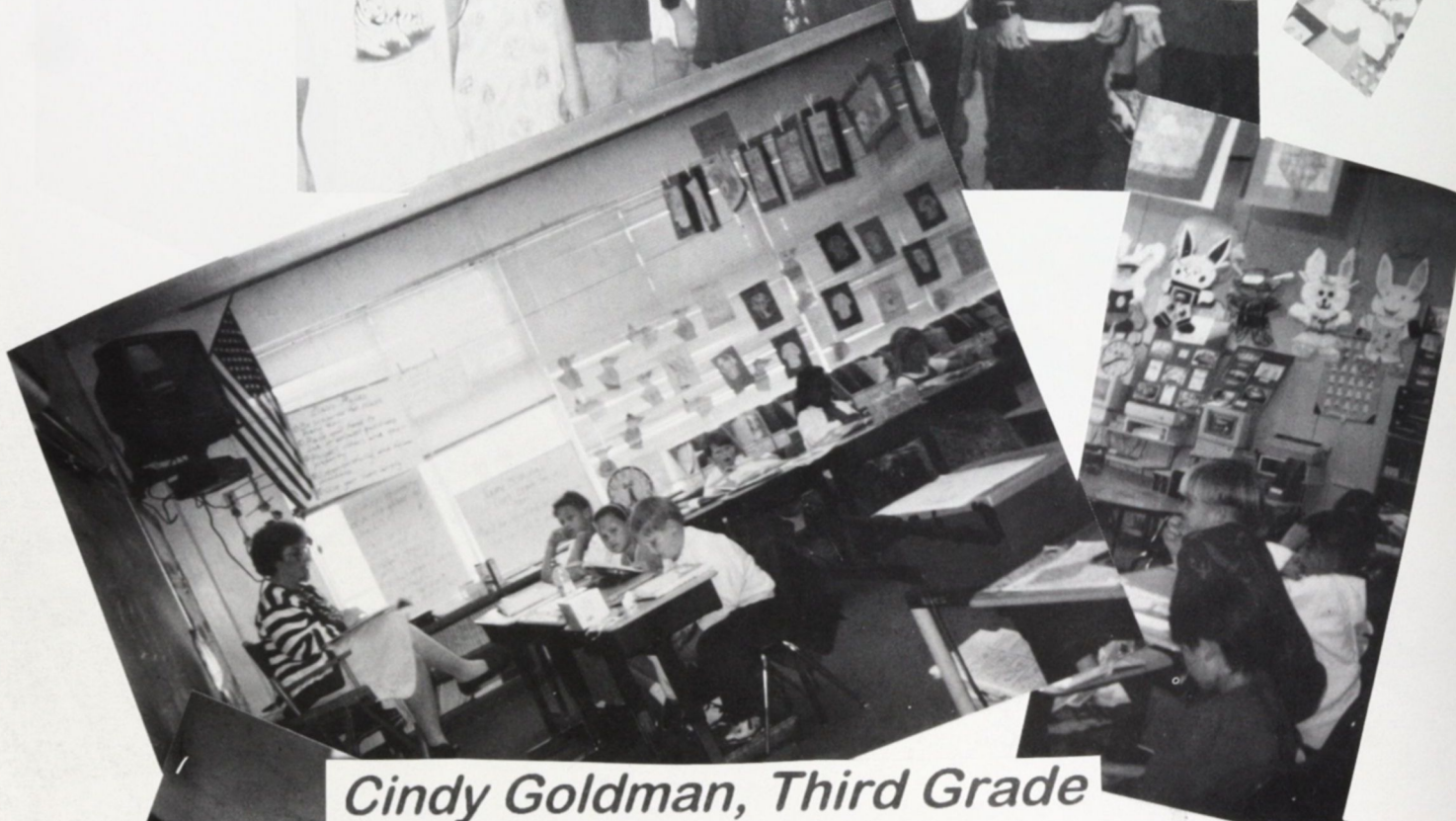
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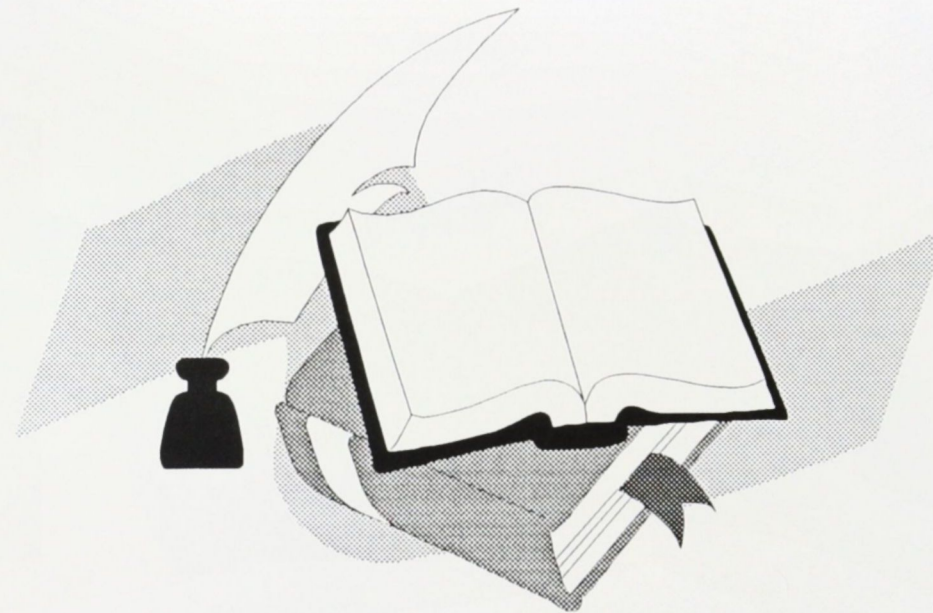
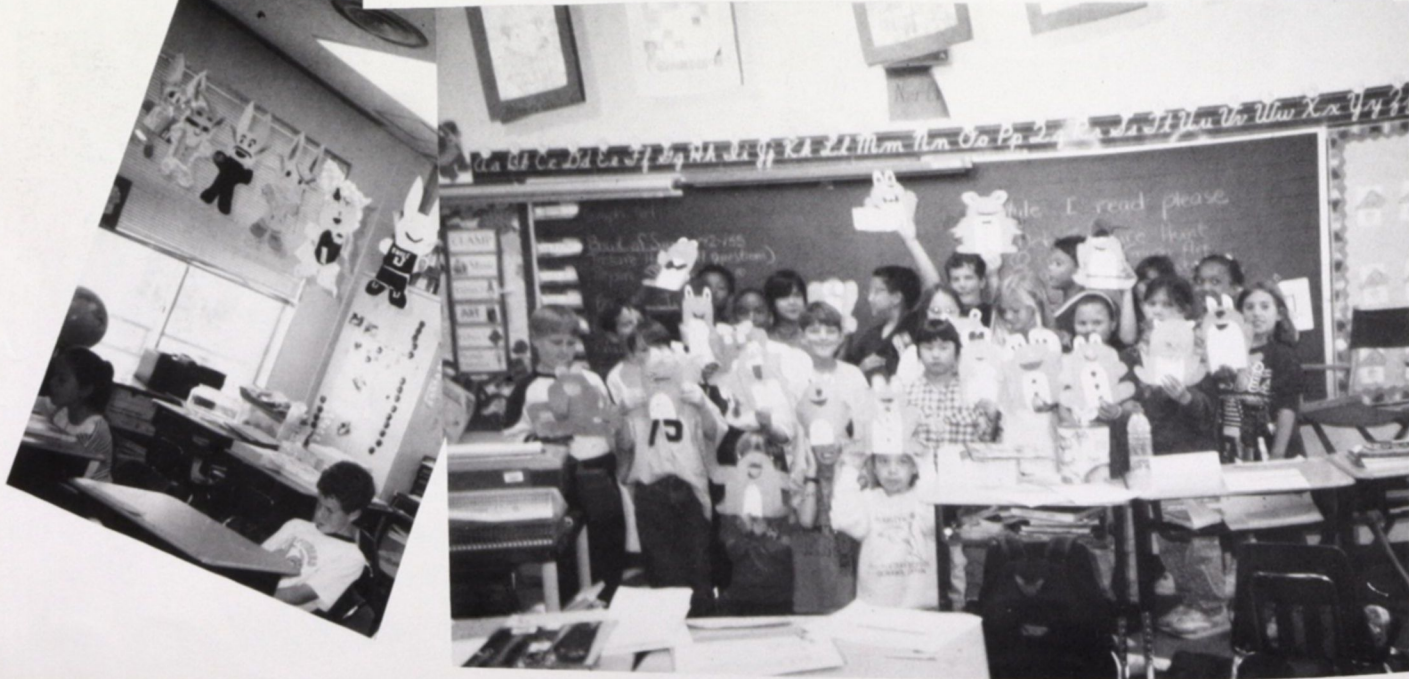
Chris Riley



Faith Martin



Cindy Goldman, Third Grade

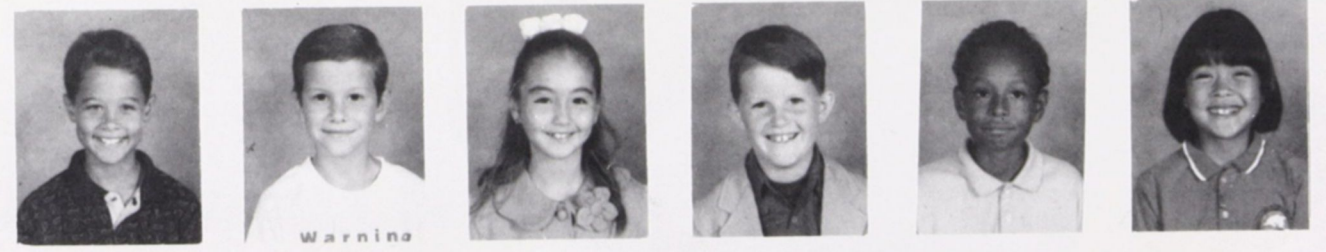


Mrs. Cindy Goldman, Teacher - Grade 3

Top Row: Jasmine James, Scott Vinyard, Daniel Craig Jr., Paige R. Inouye, Melissa J. Misner, Tanada N. Rogers, Vernon R. Easley III.

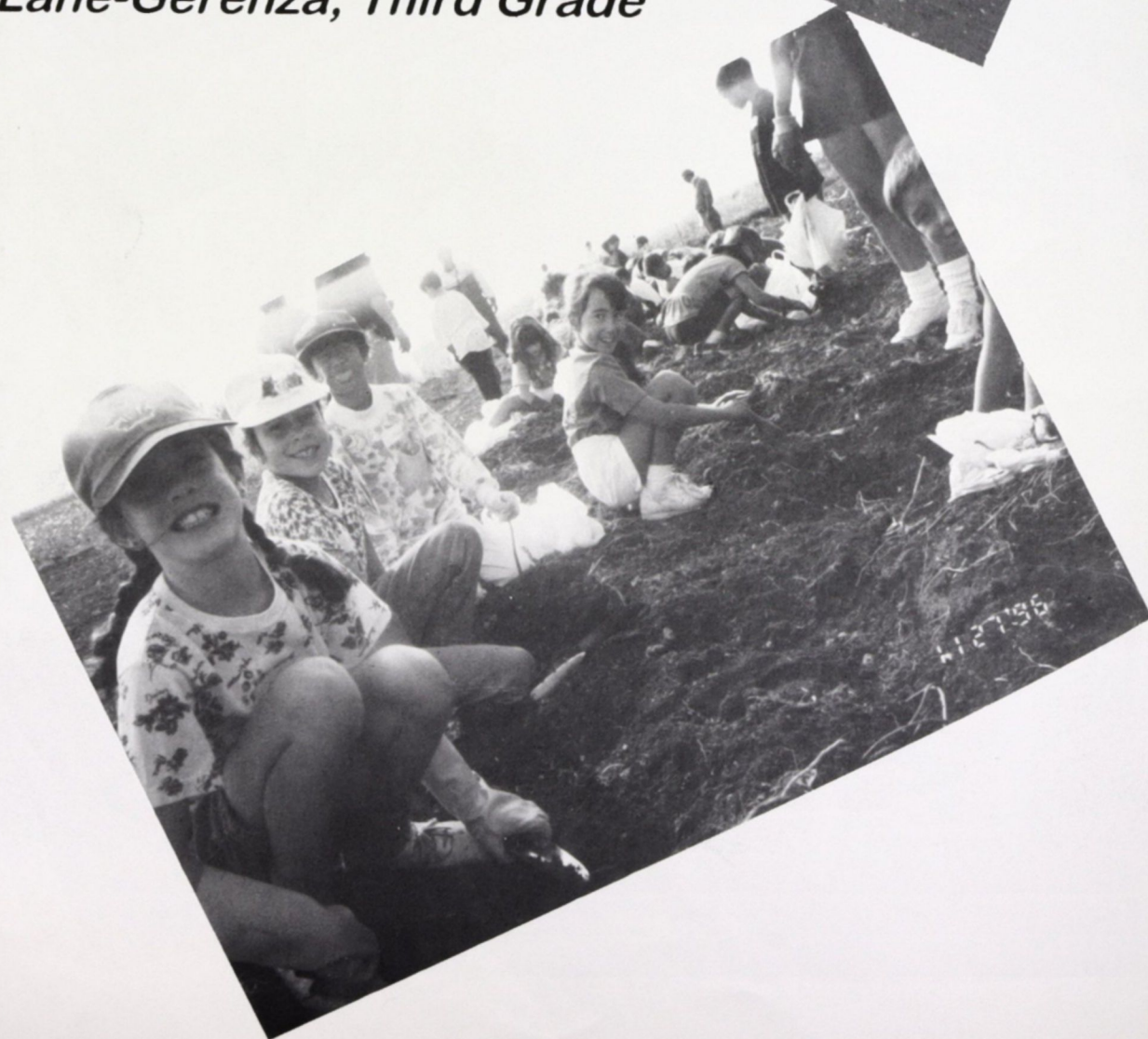
Center Row: Angela K. Keesee, Carolyn Bellerive, Lisa M. Scott, James Speer, Jenca N. Berry, Duncan R. Stephens, Amanda Gonzales

Bottom Row: Avery Tate-Jones, Eric Young, Mimi R. Wilson, Phillip Bramley, Enrico Webb, Cecilia Javier





Susan Lane-Gerenza, Third Grade



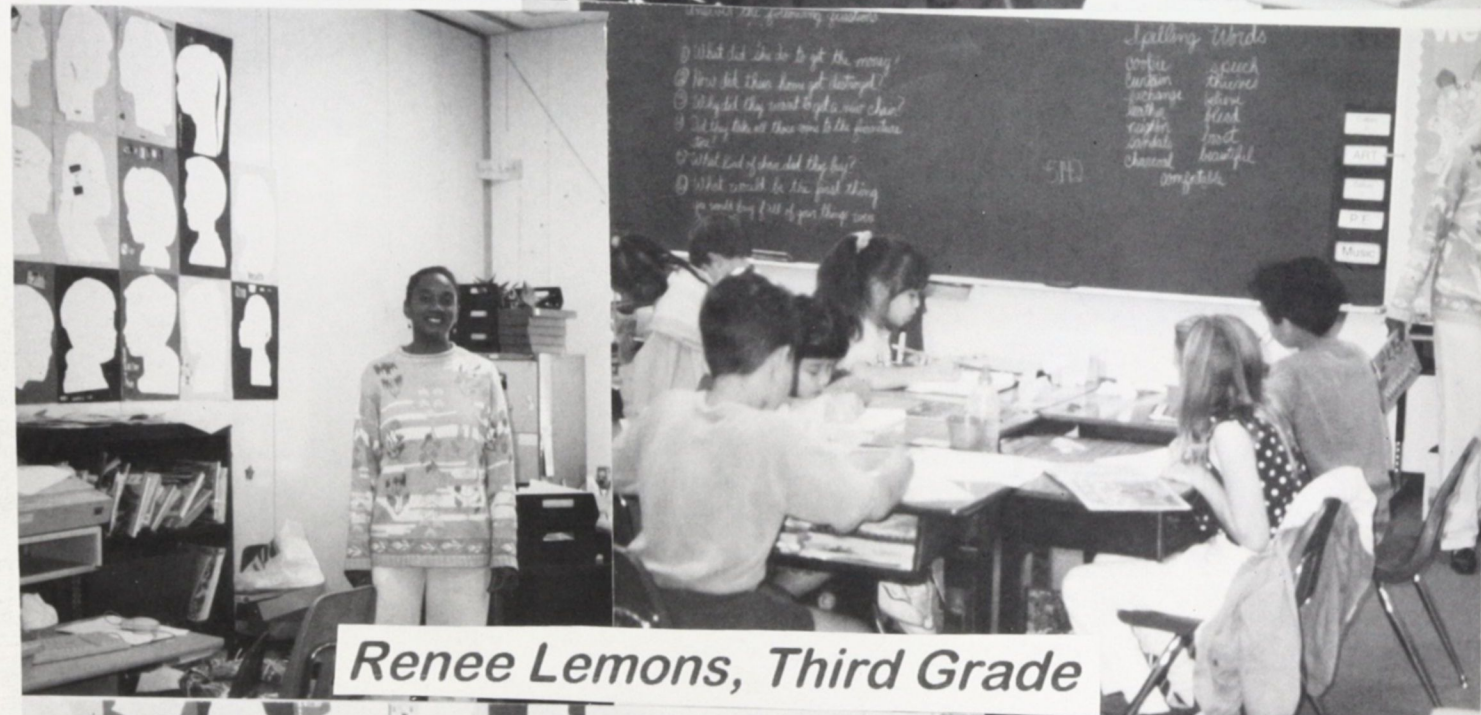
Ms. Susan Lane-Gerenza, Teacher - Grade 3

Top Row: Susan Wiley, Marilou Canon, Hannah Pull, Maureen Mulholland, Elaina Gonzalez, Loren Caison, Jennifer Harris, Renata Porterfield

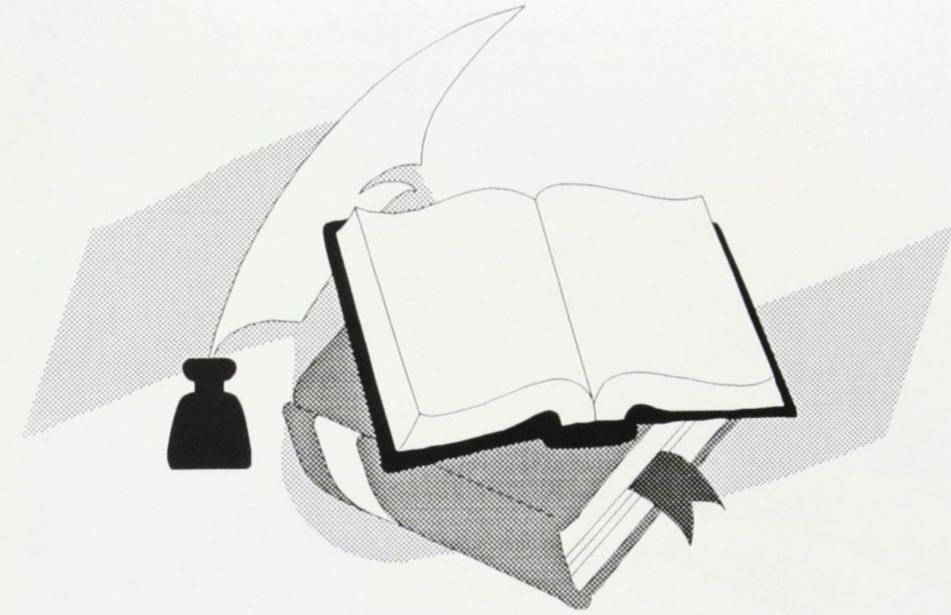
Center Row: Heather Ehle, Alyssa Heins, Rebekah Davenport, Sasha Talley, Marcus Schmidt, Michael Eide, William Bradley II., Andrew Kerekes

Bottom Row: Tyrell Davis, Brandon Snell, Joshua Mommaerts, John Long, Harvey Large, Ryan Stewart, Madison Harter





Renee Lemons, Third Grade



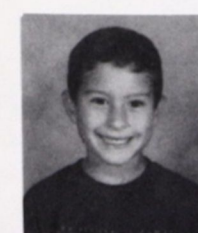
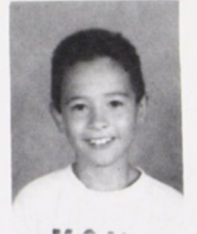
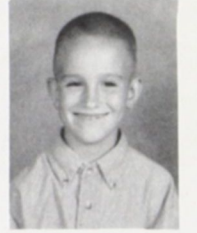
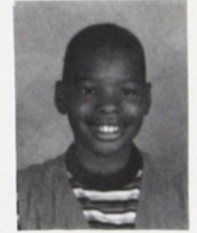
Ms. Renee Lemons, Teacher - Grade 3

Top Row: Stephen Nelson, Irene Rumfilt, Heather Williams, Travis Davenport, M. Griffith-Marotta, Stacy Sigloh, Jonathan Seroogy

Center Row: Asia Nichols, Rachelle Minnier, Jon Christensen, Ryan Cruz, M. Breazell,

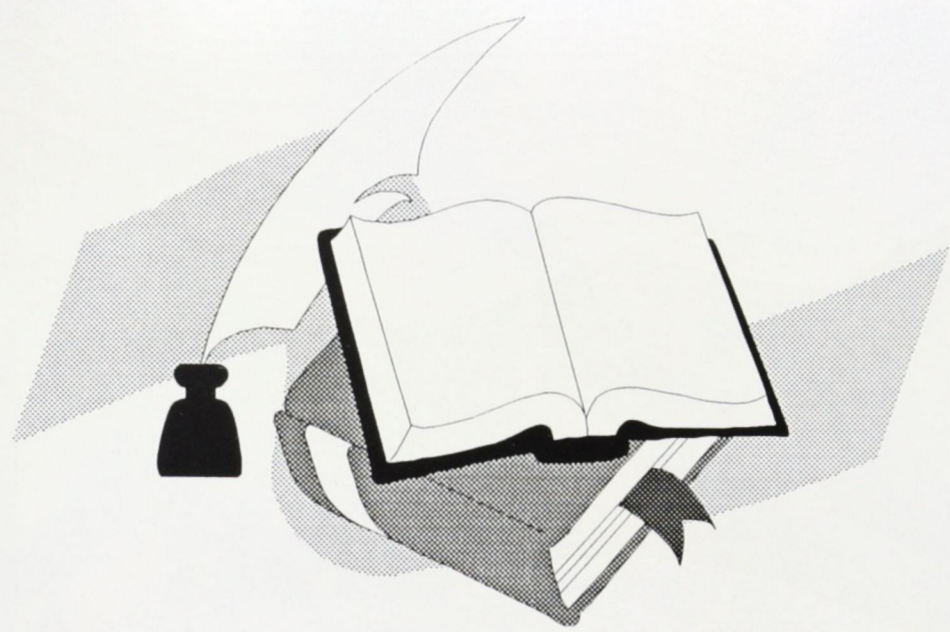
Janet Kaylor, Sophia Smith

Bottom Row: Stephen Herrera, Gabrielle Daniels, Amanda Vollman, Christina Damico, Genesis Mullis





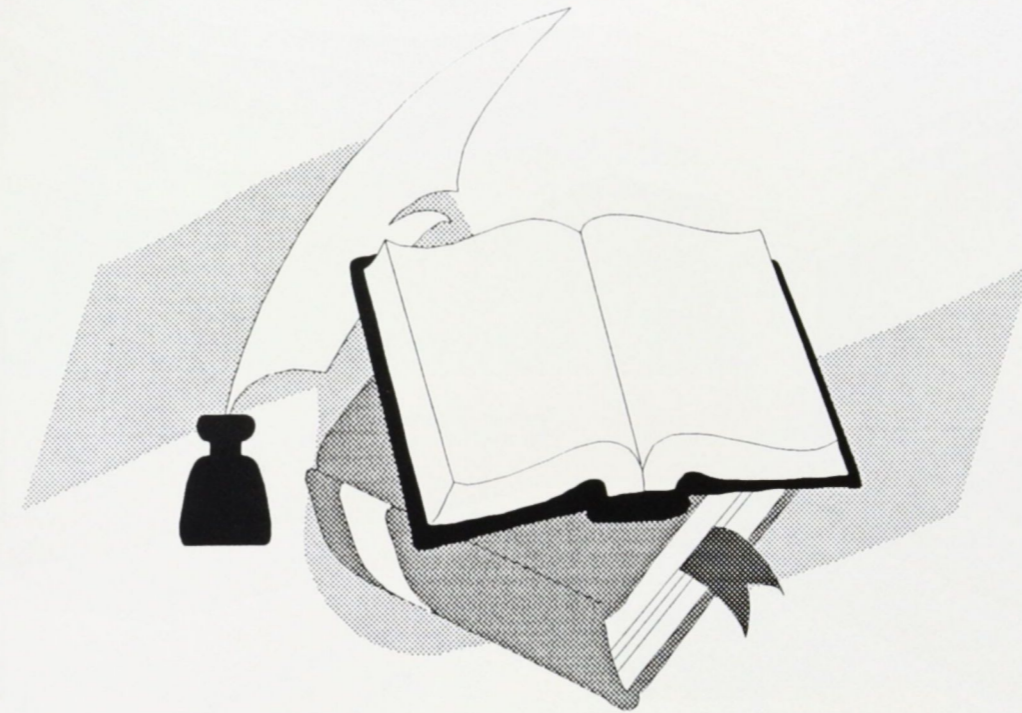
Faith Martin, Third Grade



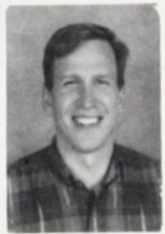
Mrs. Faith Martin, Teacher - Grade 3

Top Row: Krystal Bernowski, Anne Carney, Ryan Cole, Brittany Esquibel, Natalie Hayes, Camille Ecton, Daniel Clasen, Briana Brewer
Center Row: Courtney Hurd, David Naputi, Michael Parsley, Jessica Plante, Morgan Radcliffe, Brittney Simpson, Corbin Steward-Pal
Bottom Row: Jeffrey Williams, Kristi Winger, Nicholas Zillweger, Rene Escobar Turth Clark Jr.
Not Pictured: Shenna Ware

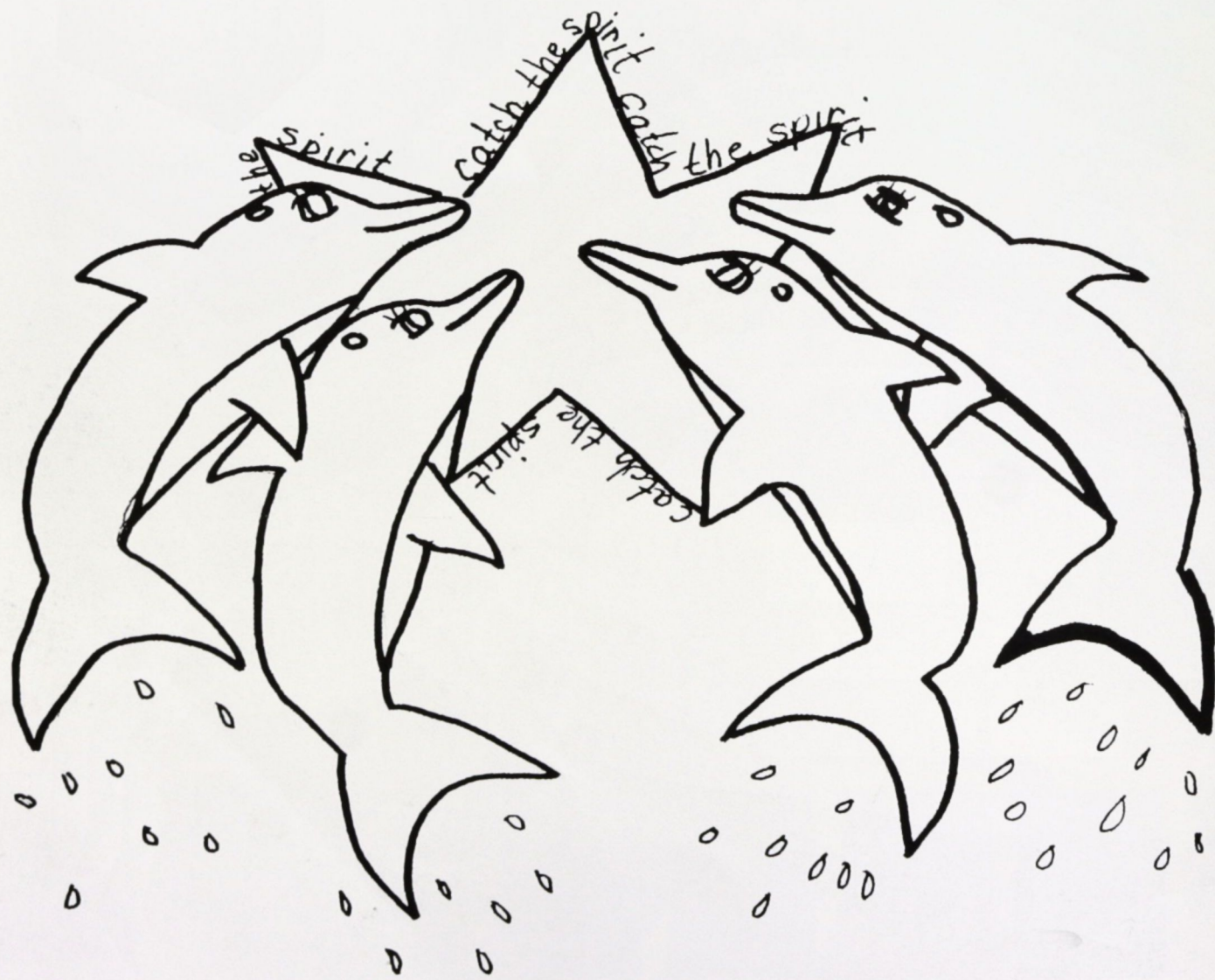




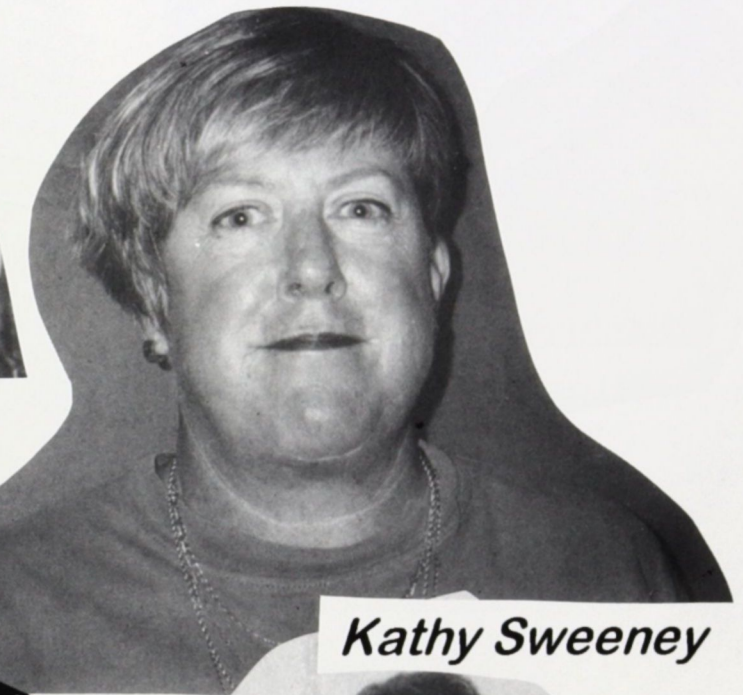
Chris Riley - Teacher
Top Row:
 Nicole Roman, Gabrielle Potts,
 Chantal Gagner, David
 Miyamori
 Steven Graak, Farrah
 Hernandez, Rebecca Alderman,
 Ryan Anderson
2nd Row:
 Chrystine Bourbina, Marcus
 Mayweather
 Tyler Betts, Allen Roose
 Jessica Tilley, Kimberly Bates,
 Talia Reed, Christine Rayner
3rd Row:
 Jon Moran, Lauren Essex
 Nicholas Audette, Aisha Childs
 Randal Smith, Bradley Rohr



'Catch the Spirit' with Grade-4



Yvonne Wingfield,



Kathy Sweeney



Fourth Grade



Pamela Johnson



Michelle Winter,



Rosalie Bohner

Rosalie Bohner, Fourth Grade

With Sure Start Buddies in the Mac Lab.



Our origami creations.

Bucket Brigade Winners.



Our Tangram Teams.



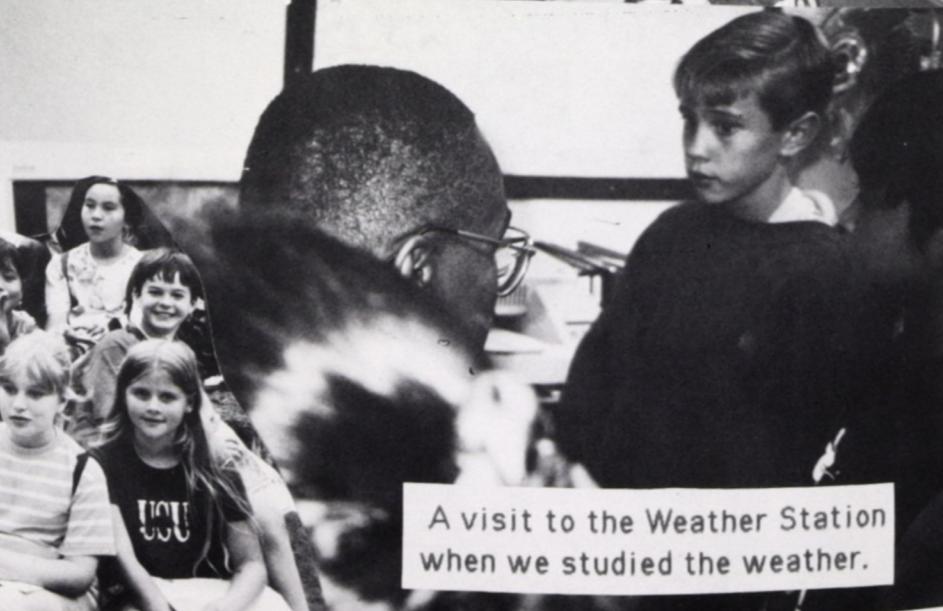
Owl Pellet Research.



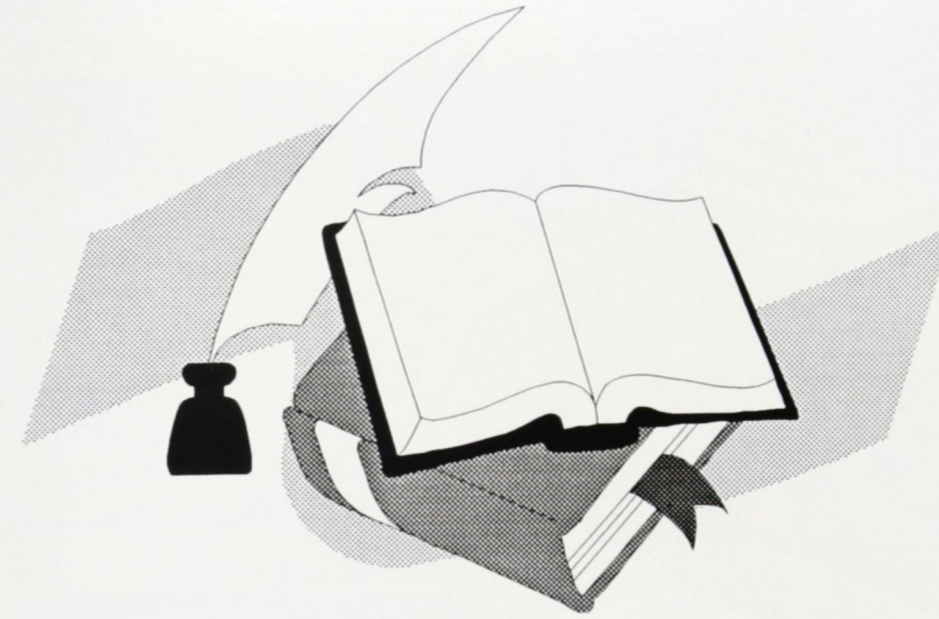
Our Thanksgiving Play for the First Grade.6



Botanical Gardens Field Study.



A visit to the Weather Station when we studied the weather.



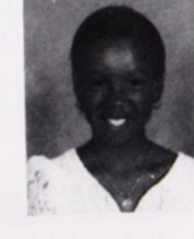
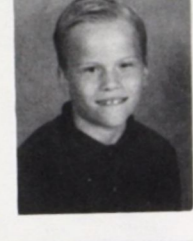
Mrs. Rosalie Bohner, Teacher - Grade 4

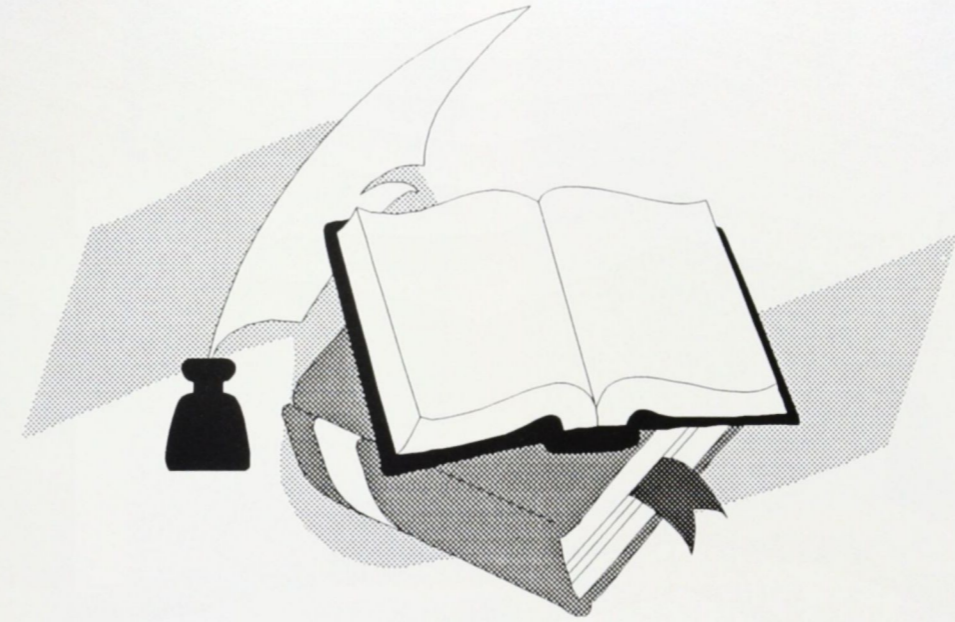
Top Row: Jessica Naputi, Seth Faaiuso, Christian Marquez, Brittany Nelson, Jordan Williams, Brittanie Booker, Micah Kalenowski

Center Row: John Caro, Monica Gatus, Kimberly Ferguson, Andrew Gilzean, Michael Kelley, Lauren Furr, Mia Kilkenny

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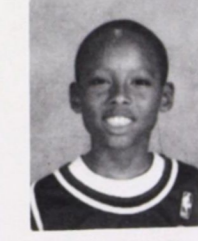
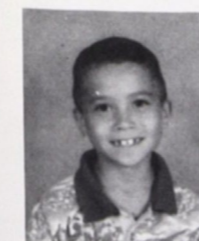
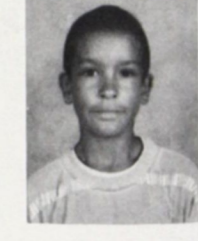
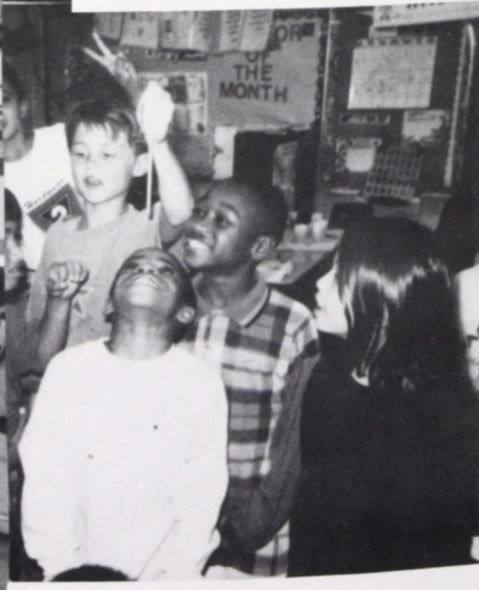


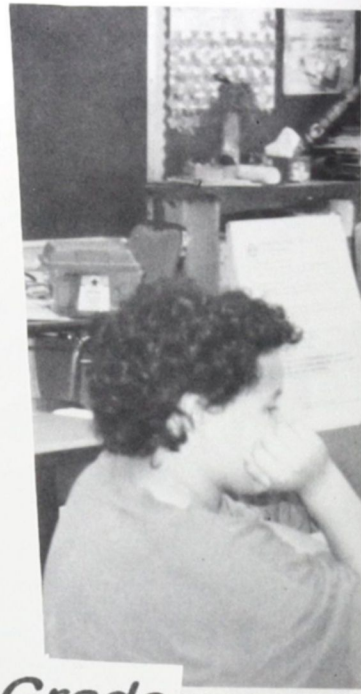


Ms. Pamela Johnson, Teacher - Grade 4

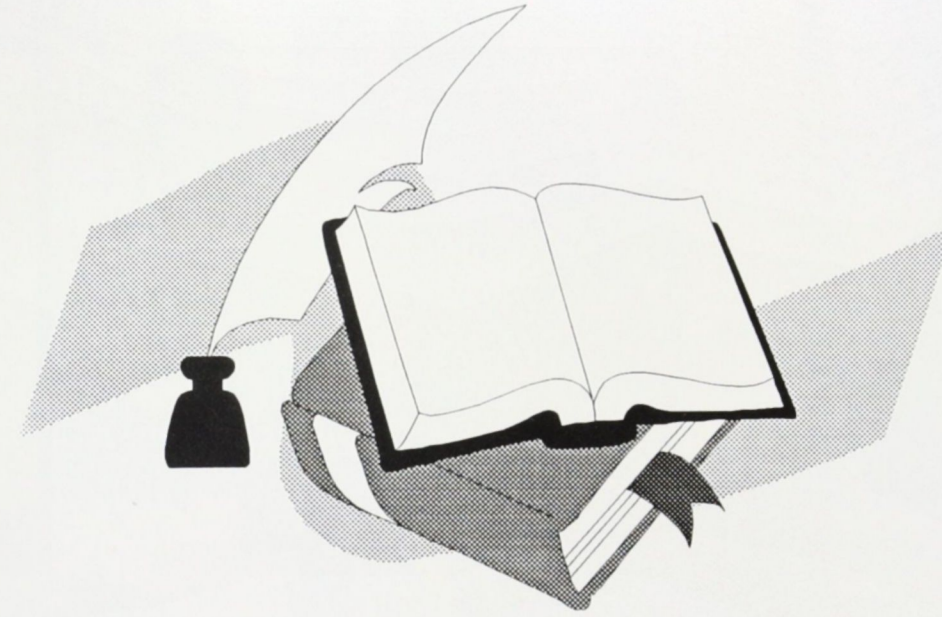
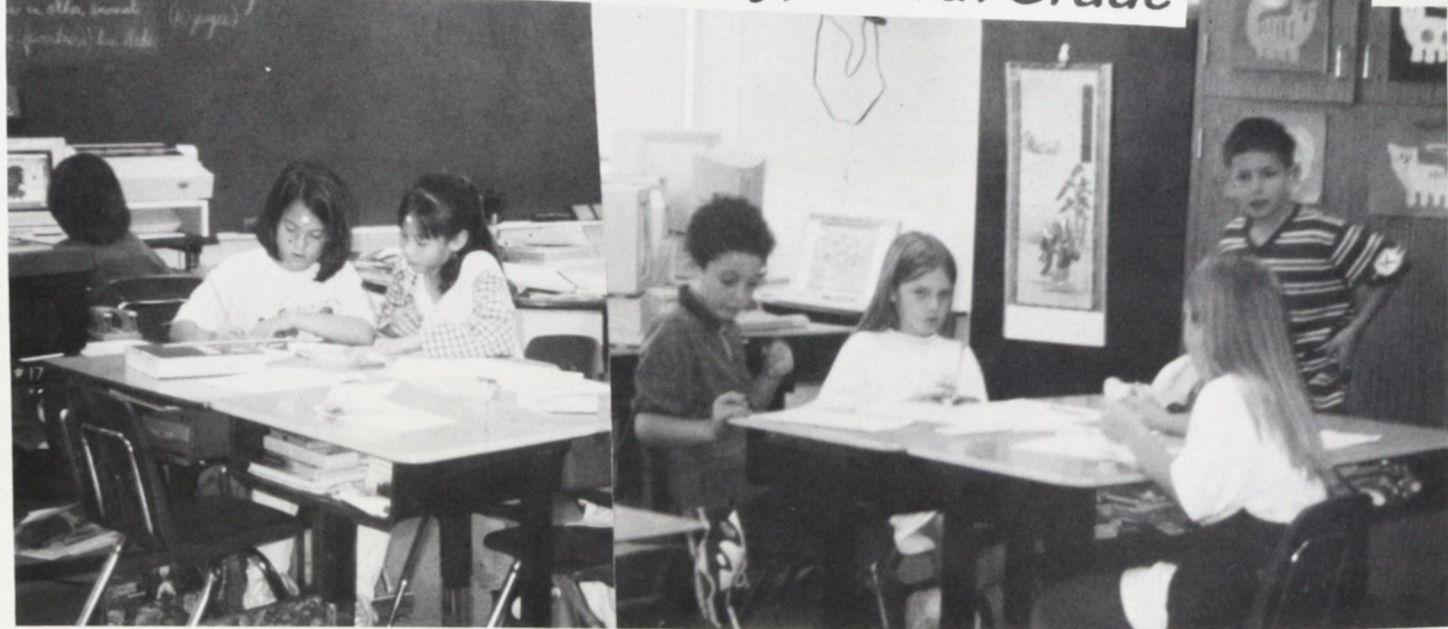
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Pamela Johnson, Fourth Grade





Kathy Sweeney, Fourth Grade



Ms. Kathy Sweeney, Teacher - Grade 4

Top Row: Sarah Markus, Trevin Turner, Alicia Smith, Brittan VanBeuge, Christian Crowe, Leeann Halliday, Holly Dembinski

Center Row: Candace Kiefer, Lauren Tarpley, Tracy Floyd, Brittany Kiefer, Heath Mook, Angelie Rumfilt, Chance Lodge

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Michelle Winter- Grade 4



Michele Winter - Teacher

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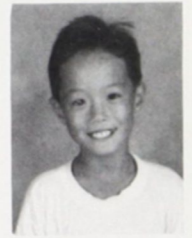
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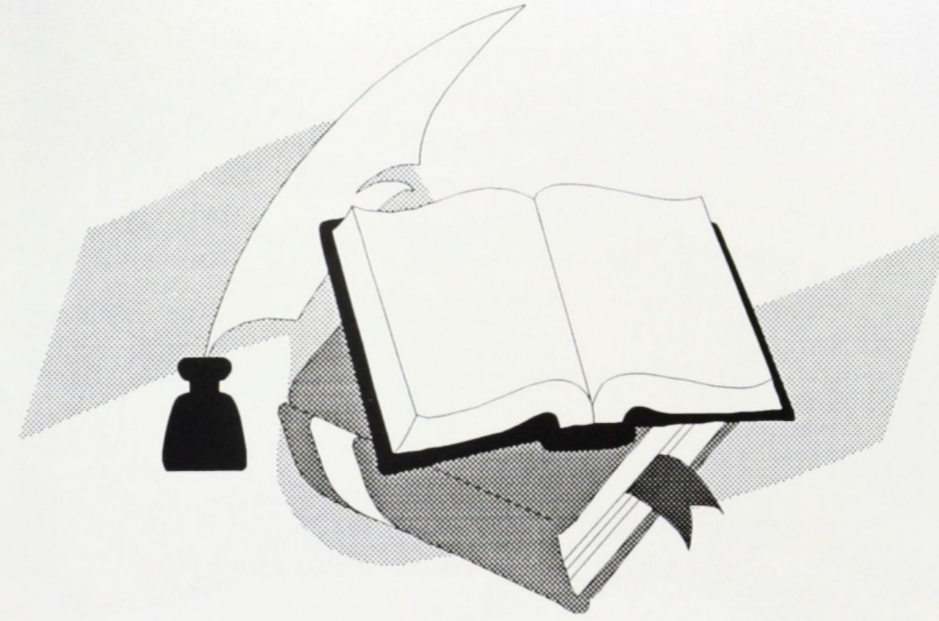
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Yvonne Wingfield- Grade 4



Ms. Yvonne Wingfield, Teacher - Grade 4

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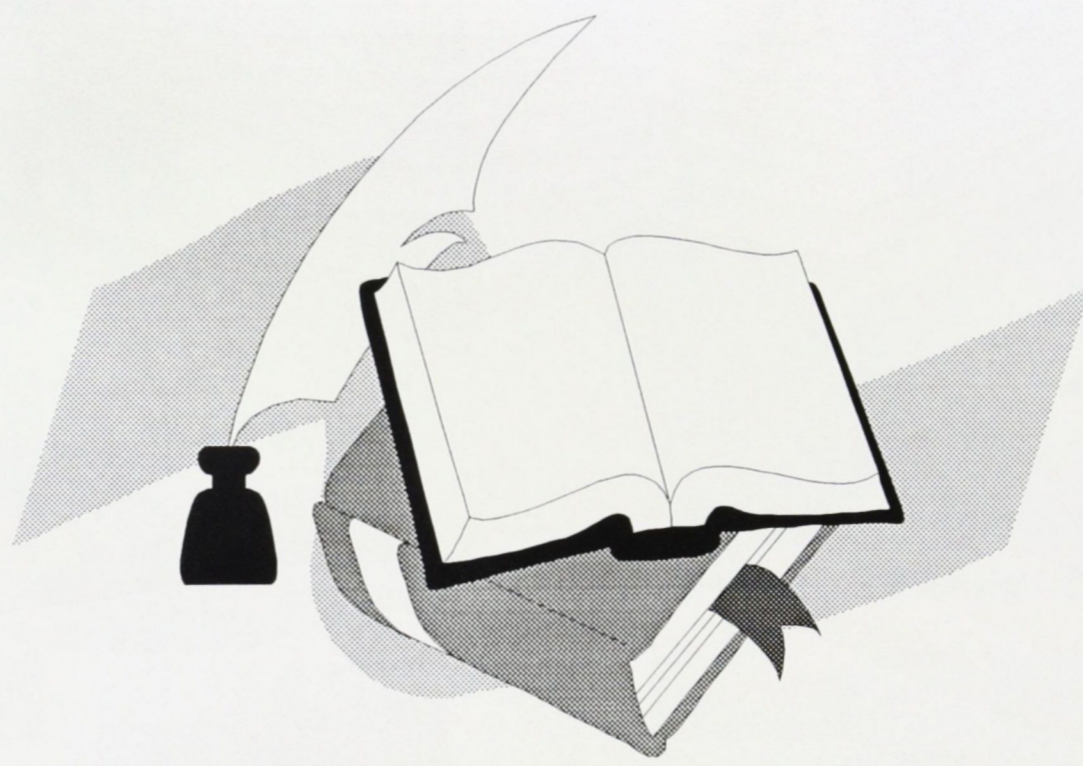
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Sure Start Moments-



Mrs. Susan Kilkenny, Teacher - Sure start

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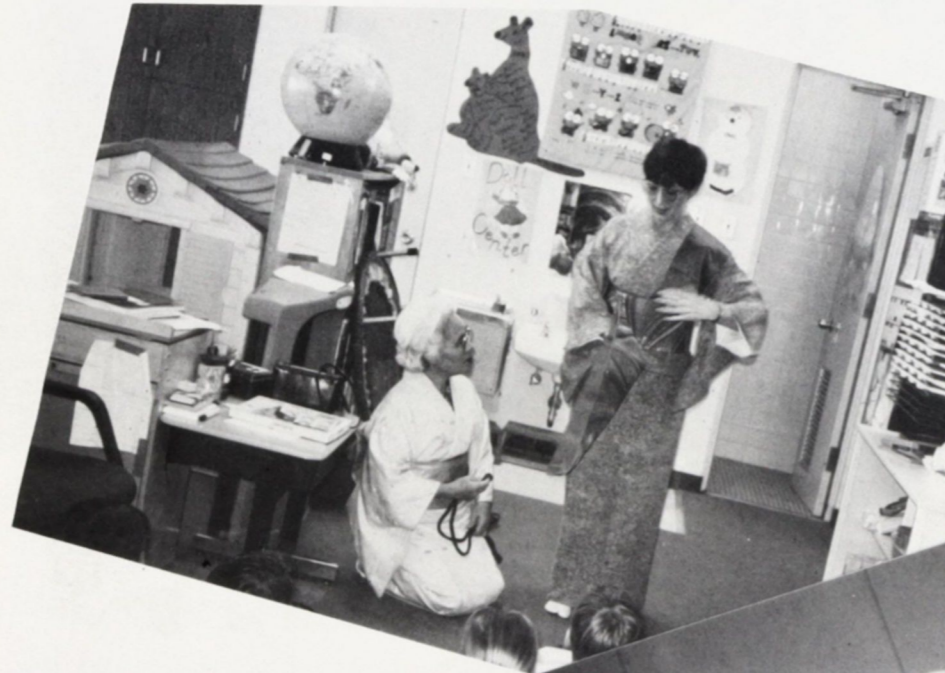
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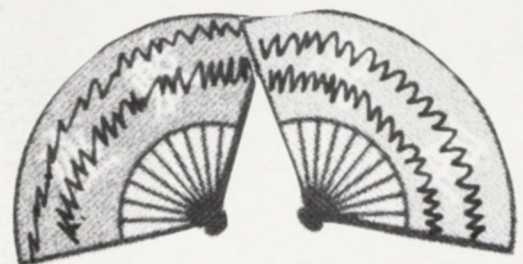


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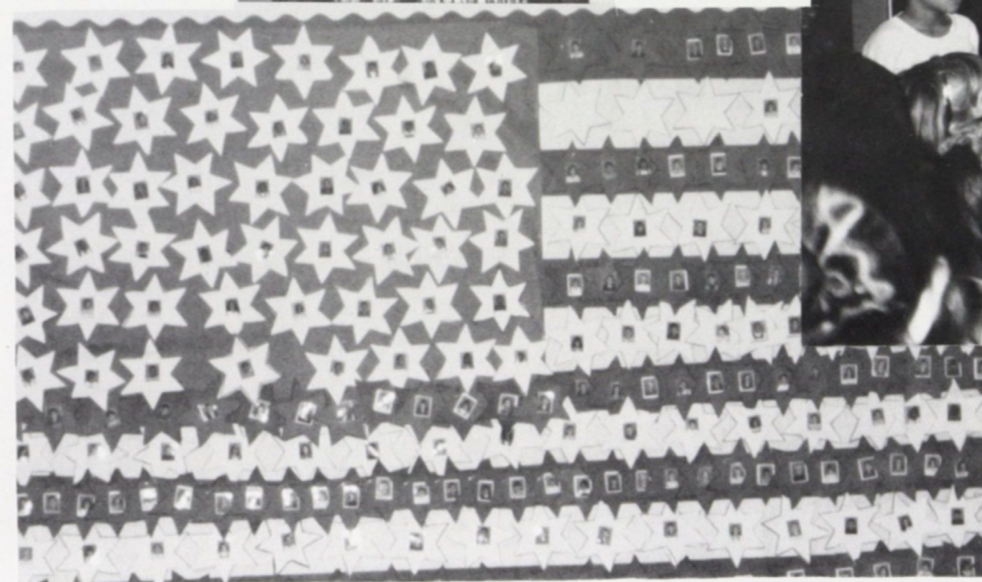
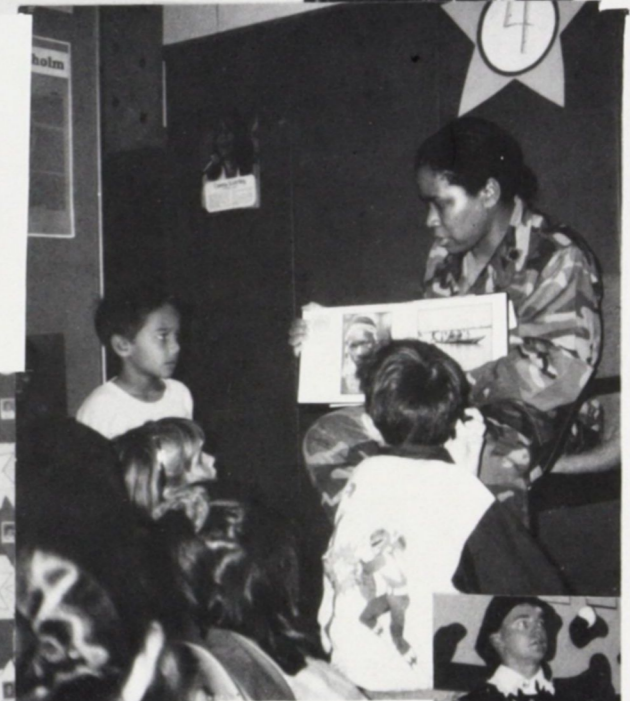
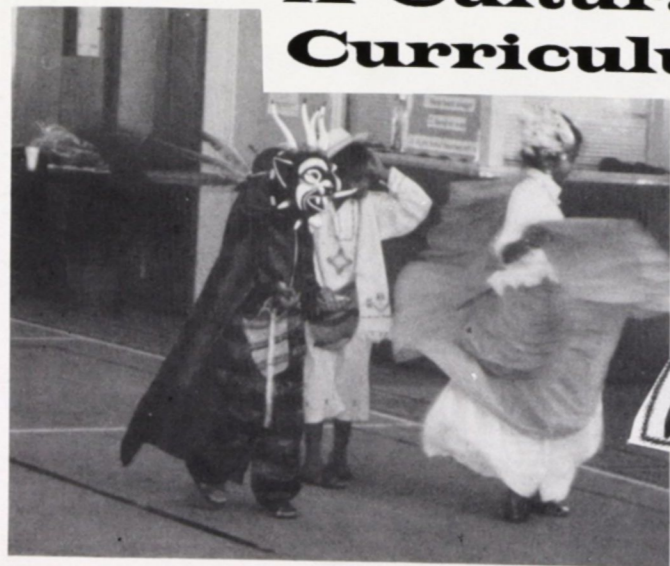


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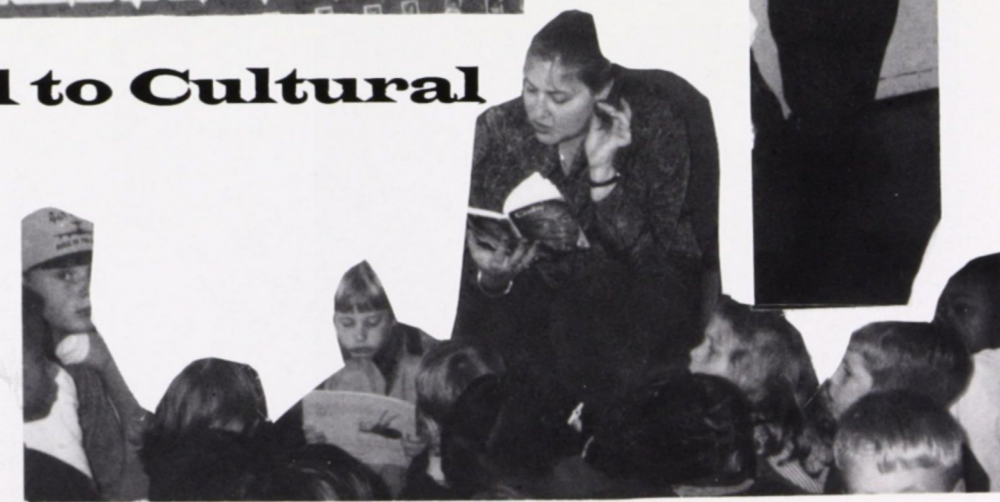




A Culturally Responsive... Curriculum



Committed to Cultural Diversity.

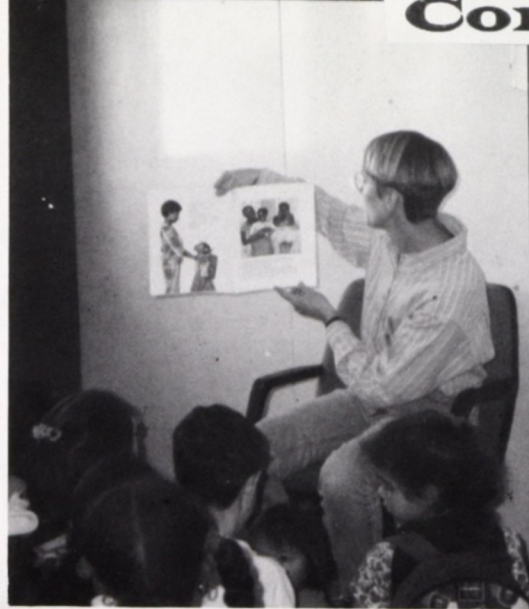
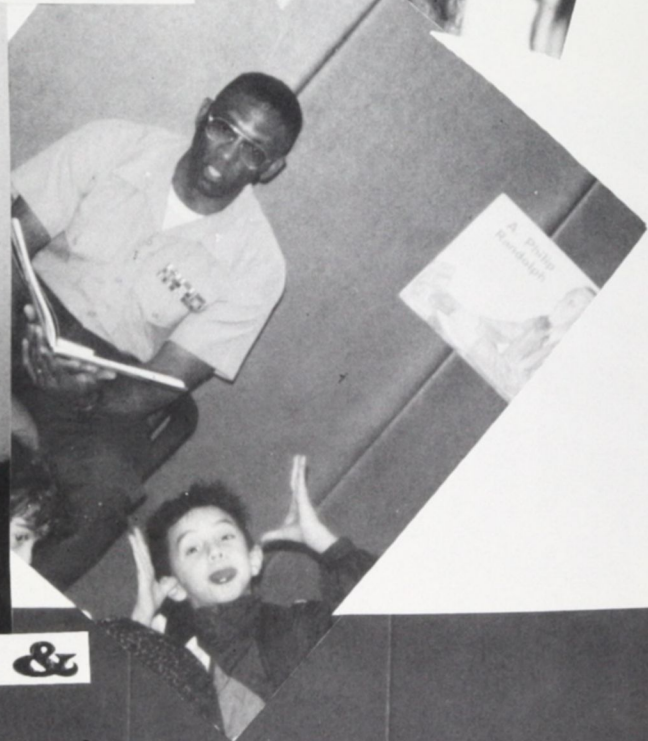




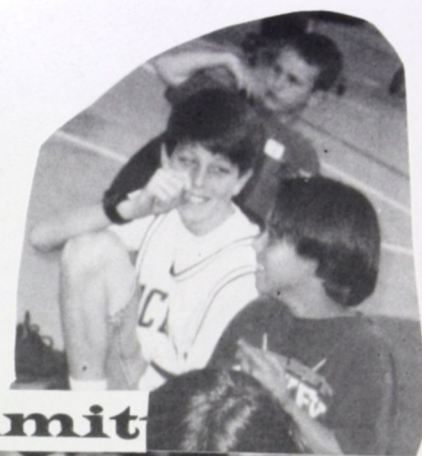
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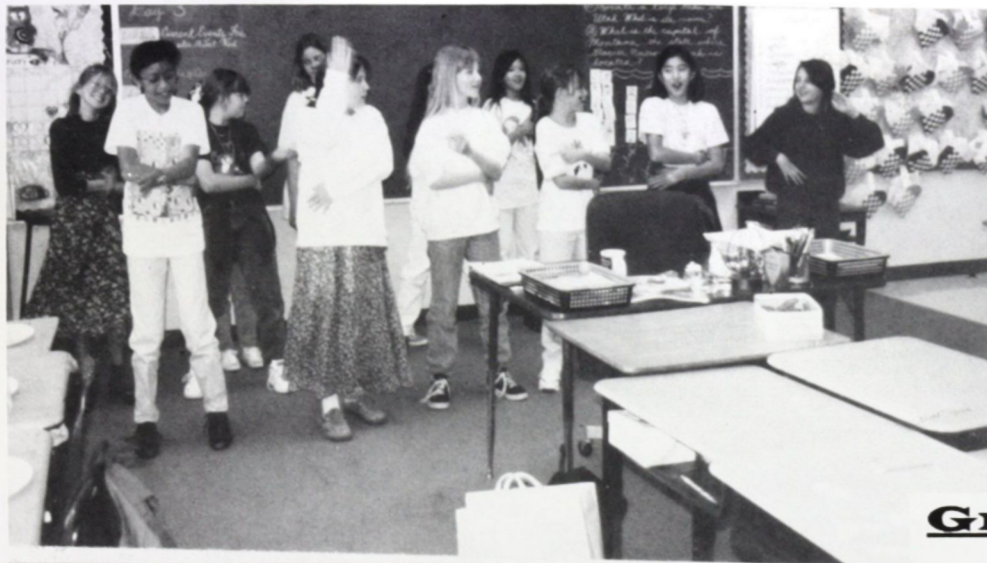
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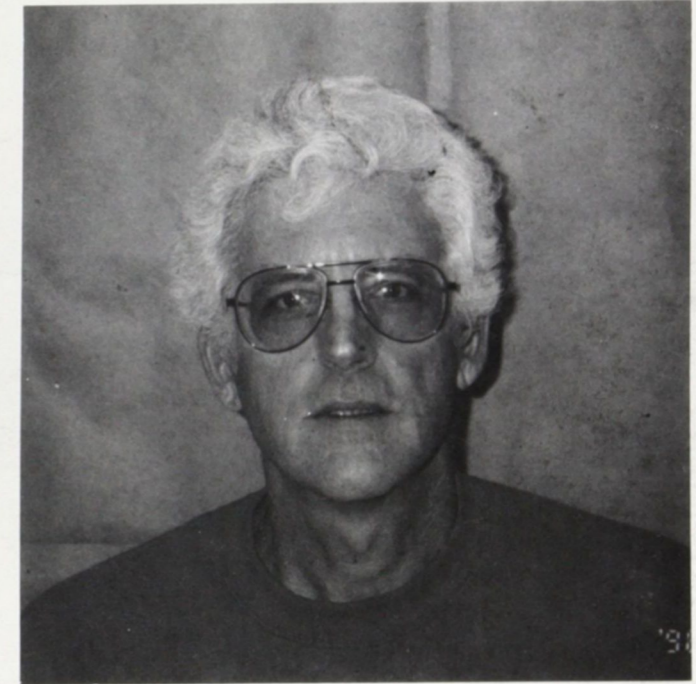


Grade 5 - Moments



Kate Bradley

Gary Schwam



Ruth Reynolds



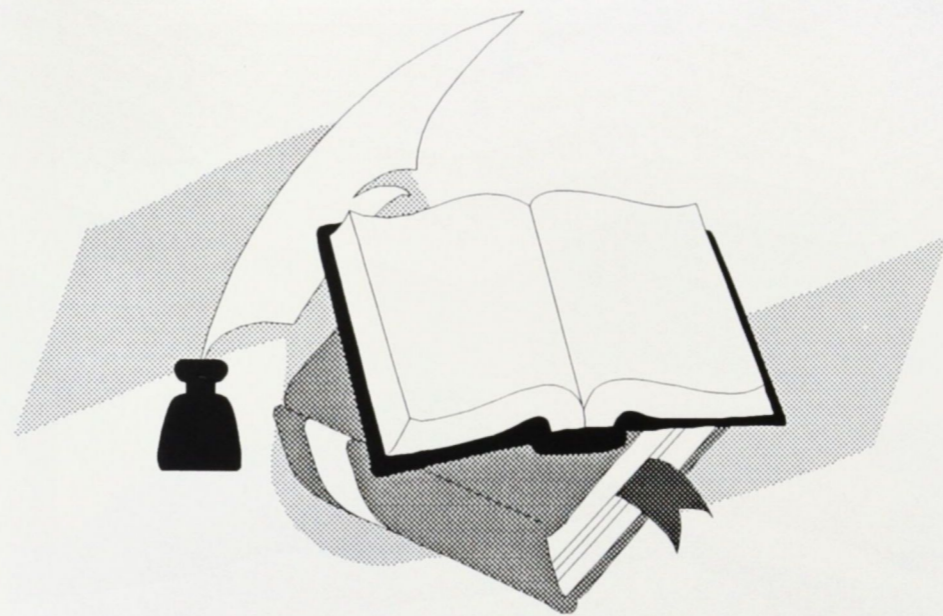
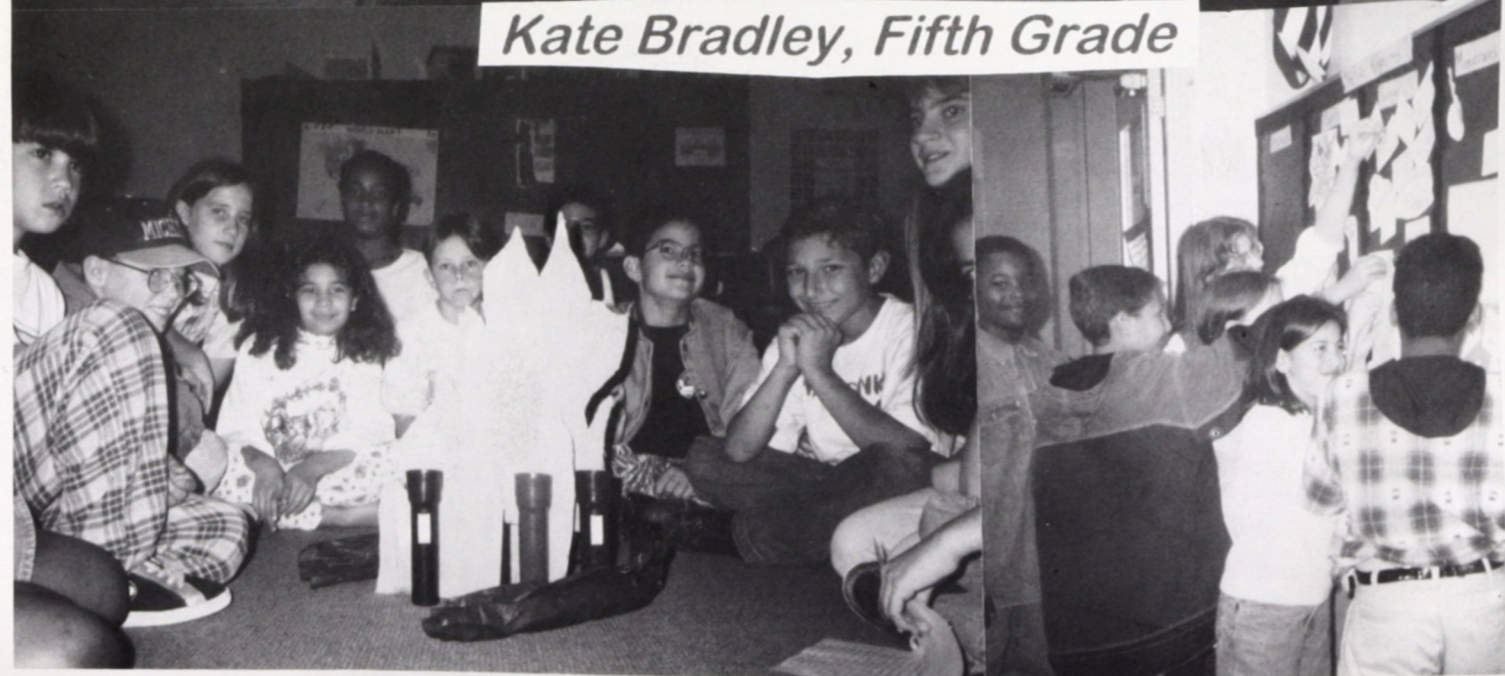
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Fifth Grade



Kate Bradley, Fifth Grade



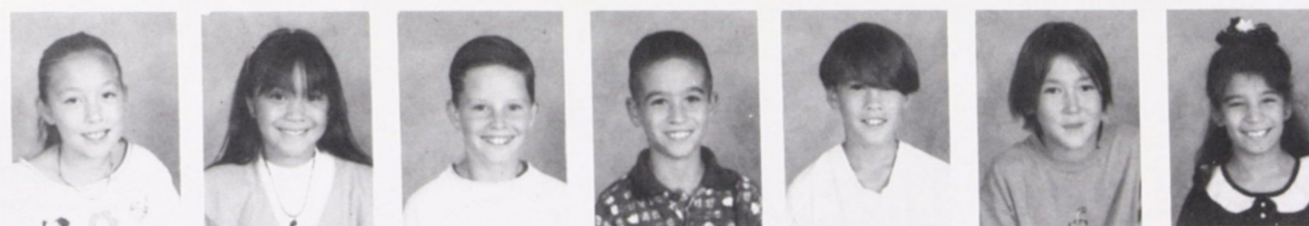
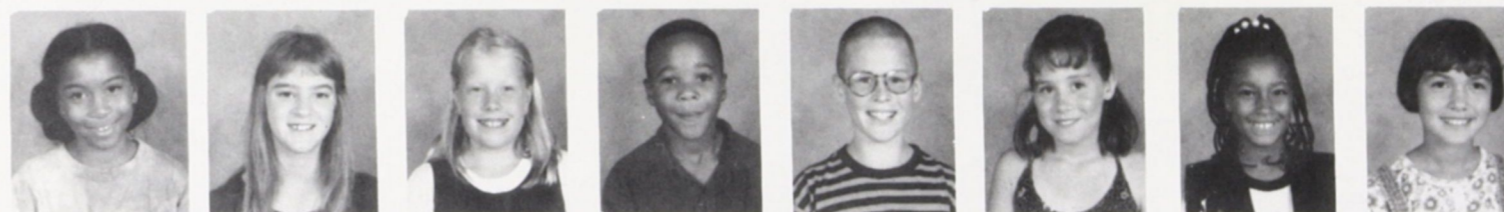
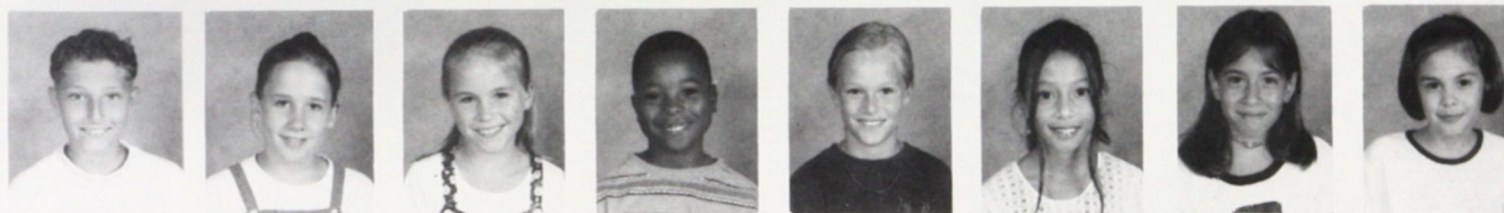
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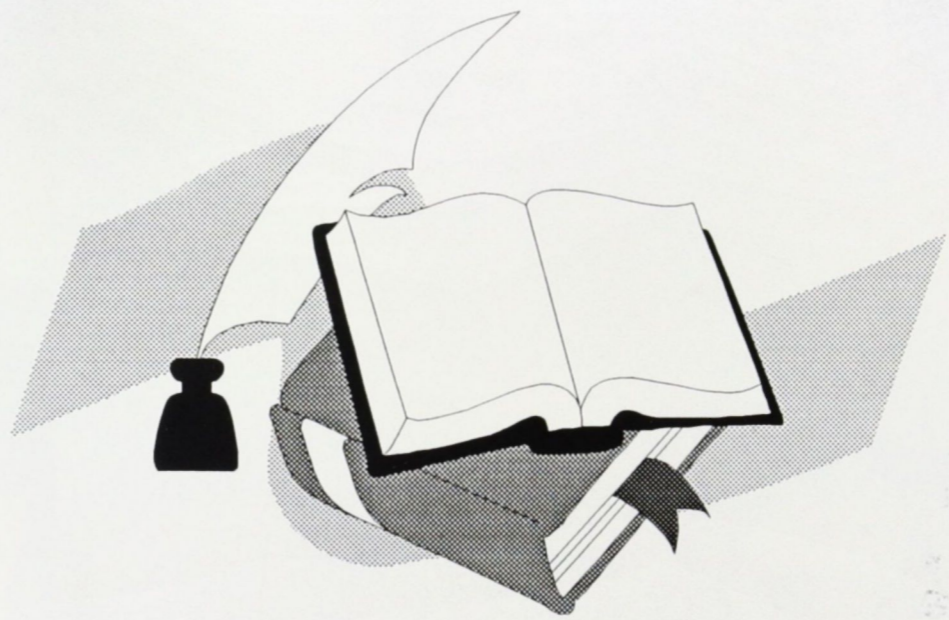
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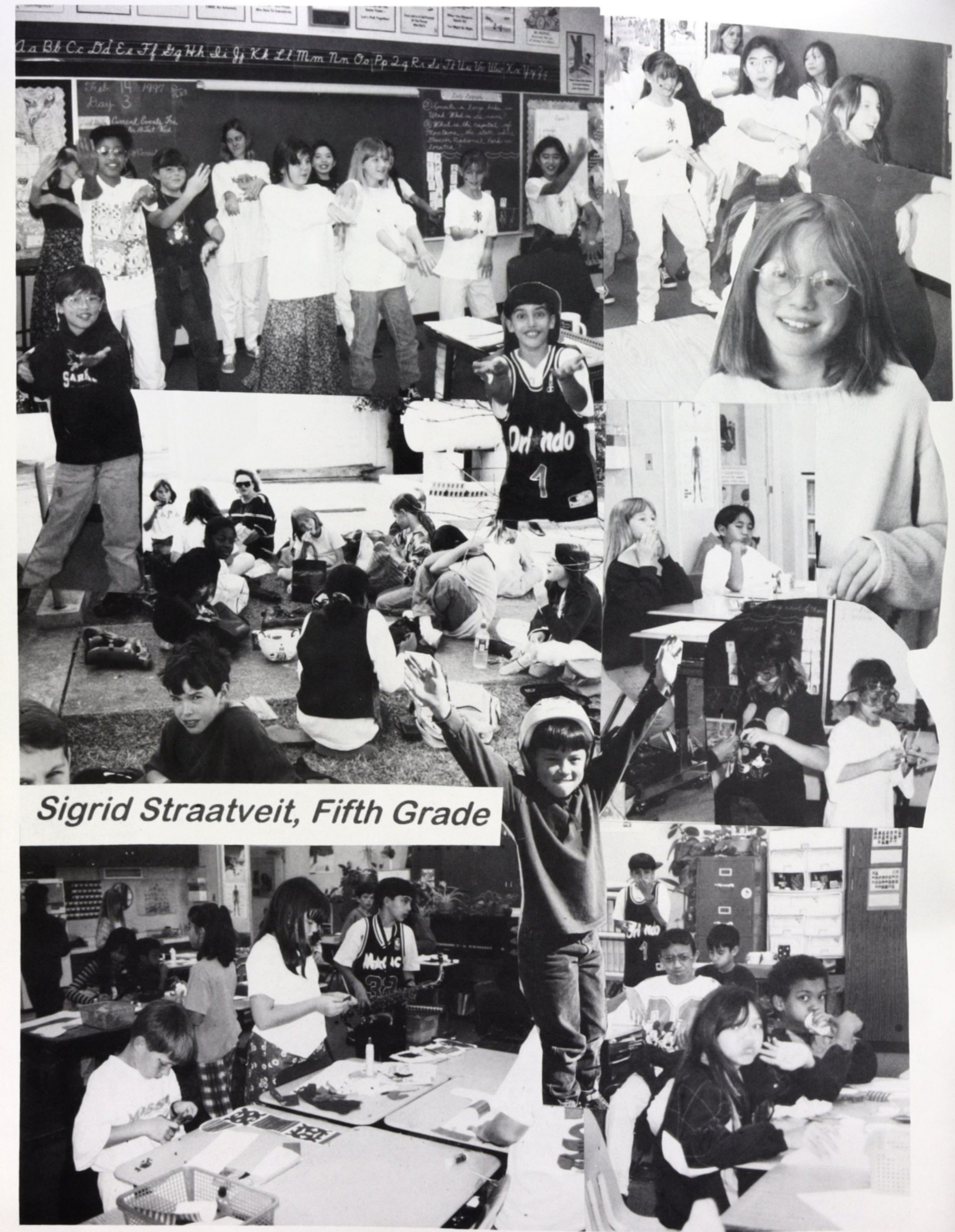
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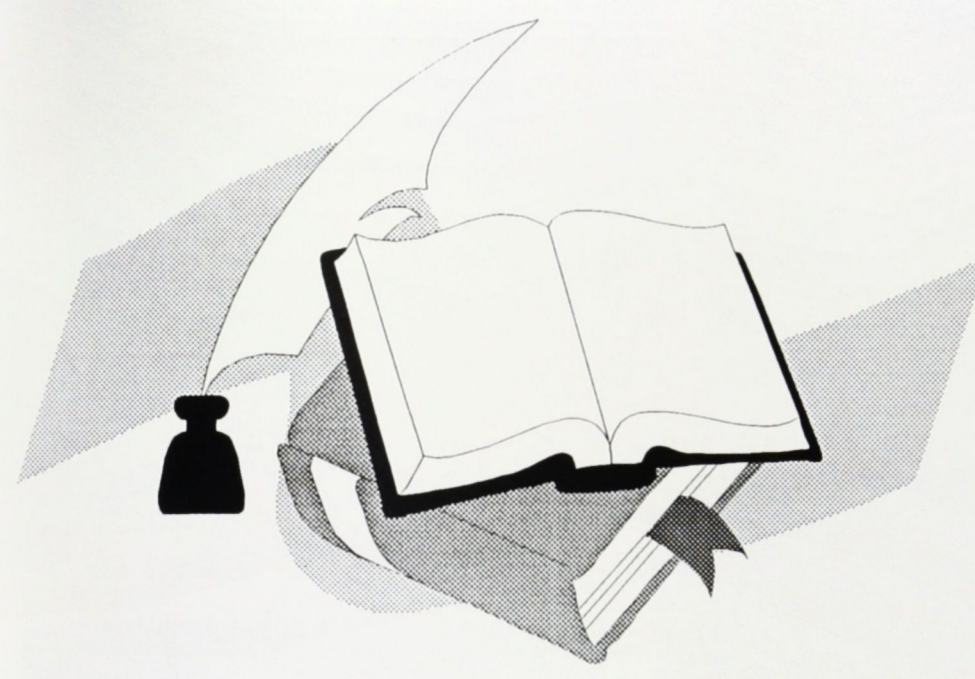
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Sigrid Straatveit, Fifth Grade

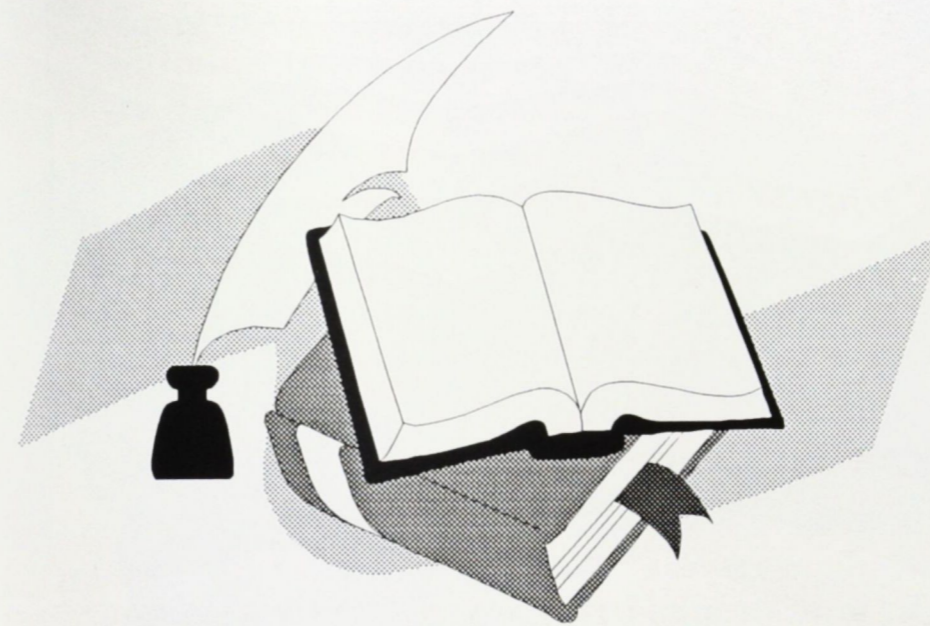


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Gary Schwam, Fifth Grade



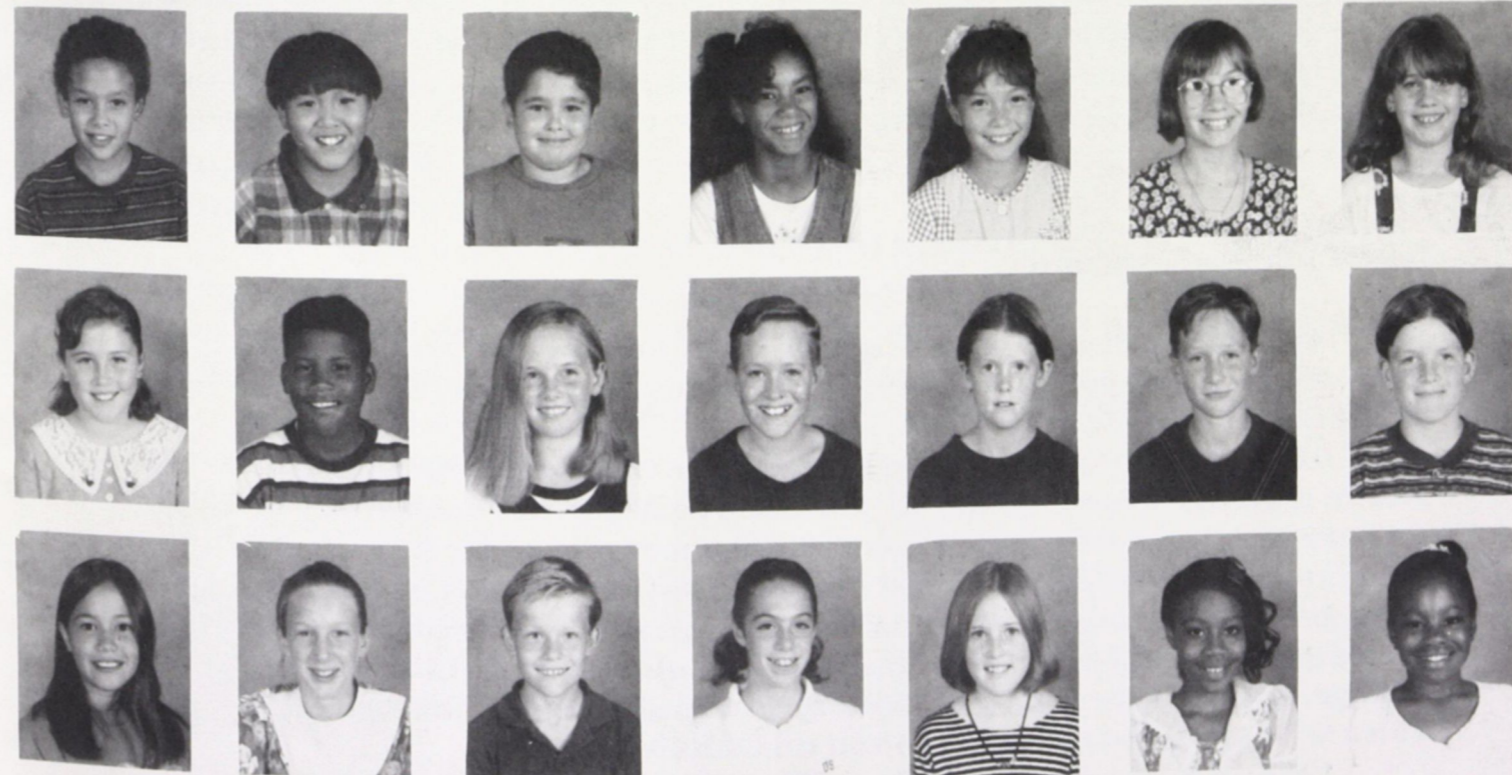
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Bottom Row: Melissa Spring, Diane Sirois, David Kalenowski, Tyana Bering, Sarah Waddles, Devri Kirkwood, Kristina Miller

Not Pictured: Christopher McCollum





Welcome New Students!

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PSC 80 BOX 14882
APO AP 96367-4882
November 5, 1996

Dear Okinawa Newcomer,

My name is Megan Canon. In this letter I would like to take the opportunity to tell you things about Okinawa and about Okinawa and about my move over here.

Okinawa, as you may know, is located in the South Pacific. If you've traveled around Okinawa you can wonder at the beautiful scenery you find. (Of course I mean the scenery out of the crowded cities and towns.) There are vast mountains with luscious green trees and bushes covering it. The bushes have many beautiful flowers on them called hibiscus. Hibiscus range in colors from white, red, orange, to pink. These descriptions the natural beauty I have given you are just a few of the many found on Okinawa.

Kids on Kadena Air Base do various things to keep themselves busy other than television. Many kids my age hang around the Youth Center. As any other youth center, it has an arcade, classes on piano, and ballet, and dances. If you attend one it is a great way to meet some new friends.

When you come here do not bring many winter clothes because it doesn't snow. The period of time when it is cold here is very short. (Just about like two months.) But, when summertime comes you have to watch out. In Okinawa, it can get unbearably hot sometimes. So bring lots of shorts. Also if you are going to move off-base in the summer bring fans because if you use the air conditioners you have to pay extra. The same goes in the winter. You have to bring your own heaters.

I have been living on Okinawa for two years now, and I enjoy it very much. One of the things I like about being here is going to festivals and exotic places. In festivals you can eat or sample the delicious and cultural foods of Okinawa. One of the many places I have been to that I likes on Okinawa, is Aya Falls. Aya Falls is both adventurous and exciting. It is adventurous because to get to Aya Falls you have to go down this red clay cliff. Don't worry there is a rope there to help you down. Once you reach the bottom and take a look at the scenery you will be amazed. The big gray rocks, clear water falling down from it, and trees popping up all around. It is exciting because you get to explore and climb on the rocks.

Before I moved here I thought I would find all these men and women dressed up in kimonos. Was I ever wrong. The Japanese don't dress like that anymore. Only for traditional purposes. I thought too that the American people would be dressed up in kimonos. I was wrong again. They just live like any other American living in the States.

Also before I arrived here I was very curious about the Okinawans living on Okinawa. I had an image of Okinawans being karate experts, Kung Fuing people down as I had seen Japanese people do in movies. In another I had an image of vicious villains. For what reason I don't know . When I arrived here I found Okinawa completely different from my thoughts. In truth, the Okinawans are polite and enjoyable people.

When I moved here I wished I had brought my bike. I couldn't bring I because there was no room and I was forced to leave it in storage. There are so many trails over here I wish I had my bike so I could go out and explore my surroundings.

In conclusion, Okinawa is a very wonderful place and when you move here I hope you will enjoy Okinawa too.

Sincerely,

Megan Canon
Grade 6
Mrs. Clark

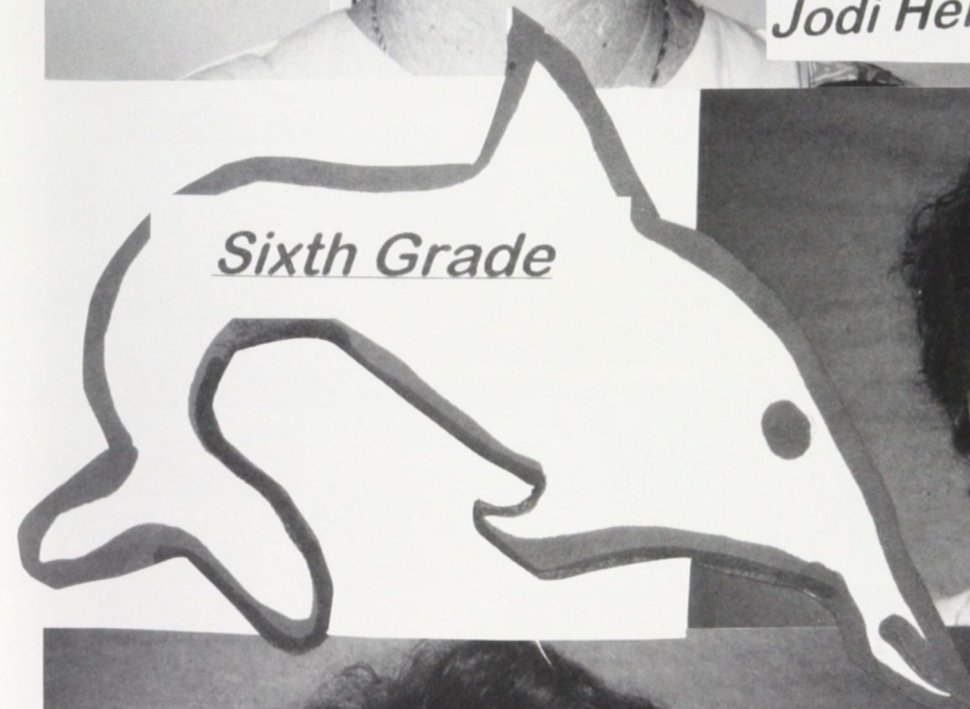
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Grade 6 Moments



Jodi Heins



Sixth Grade



Maxine Clark

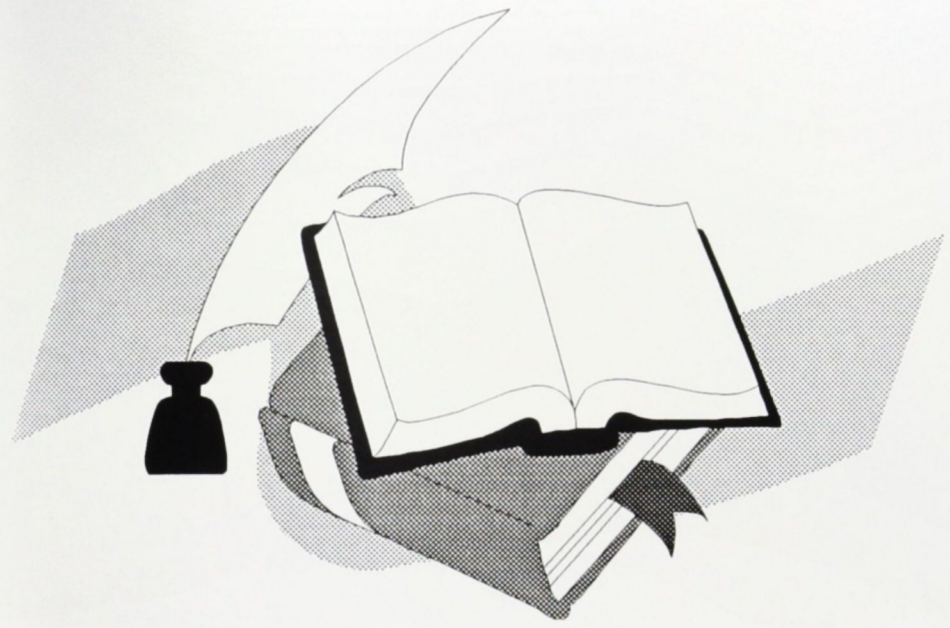


Caryn Jordan





Maxine Clark, Sixth Grade



Ms. Maxine Clark, Teacher - Grade 6

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Bottom Row: Antonia Miller, Rafael Urena, Susanne Kerekes, Christen Brown, Joshua Escusa, Megan Ferrell

Not Pictured: Kristina Bullock, David Rowan Jr.



Do your homework: Be prepared

Laura Nalepa

Try to finish all of your homework in your spare time so you don't have hours of homework.
Tom Klopfed

Stay Cool + Be Prepared
Kathryn Berg

If I were up I wouldn't make up any excuses + looing your work
Kristia Hayes

Trisha Conno

Jacob Palmer

Work Hard
Donny Myers

The best of Luck!
Mary Kay Oates

Do not forget your work
Robert

Micole Moses

Jessica Craig

COMMENTS:

To: Grade 5 students

From: Grade 6

Be cool
George Lehman

ask questions that's what teachers are there for

careful what you do.
Ricky Bernowski

Always follow the rules
Randall Mook

Never skip detention or it doubles
Cody Wood

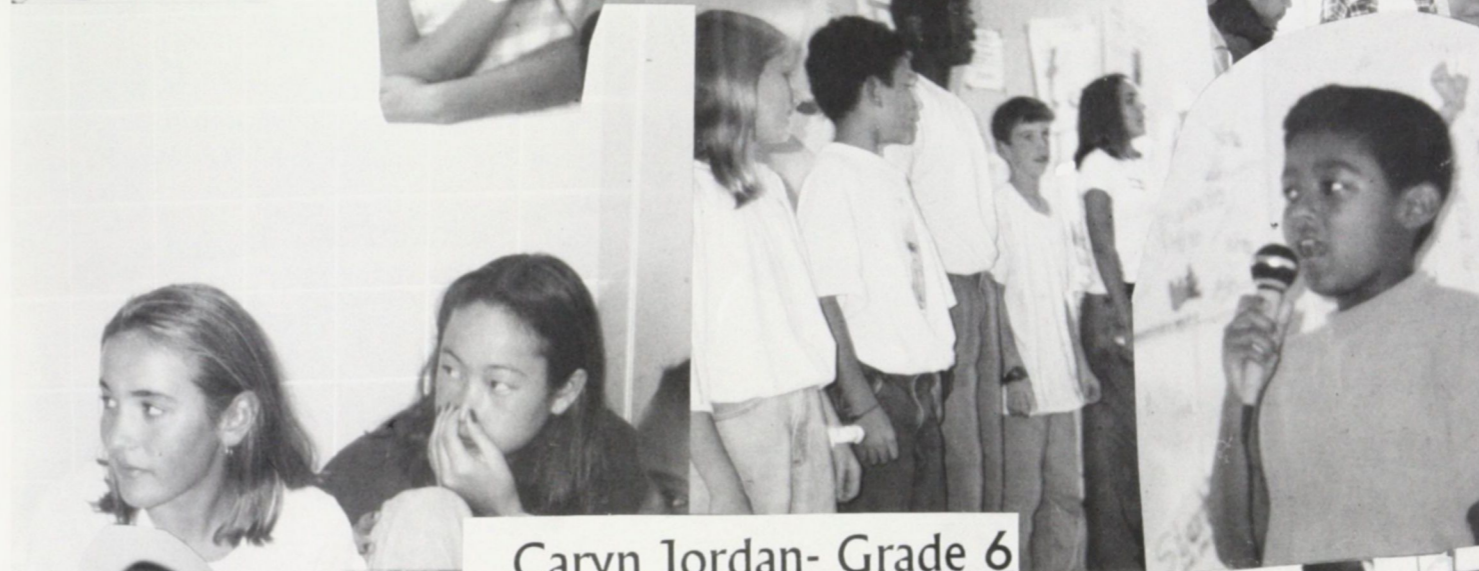
Don't goof in the Sixth Grade
Josse Webb

Don't forget your homework
Jeffrey Evans

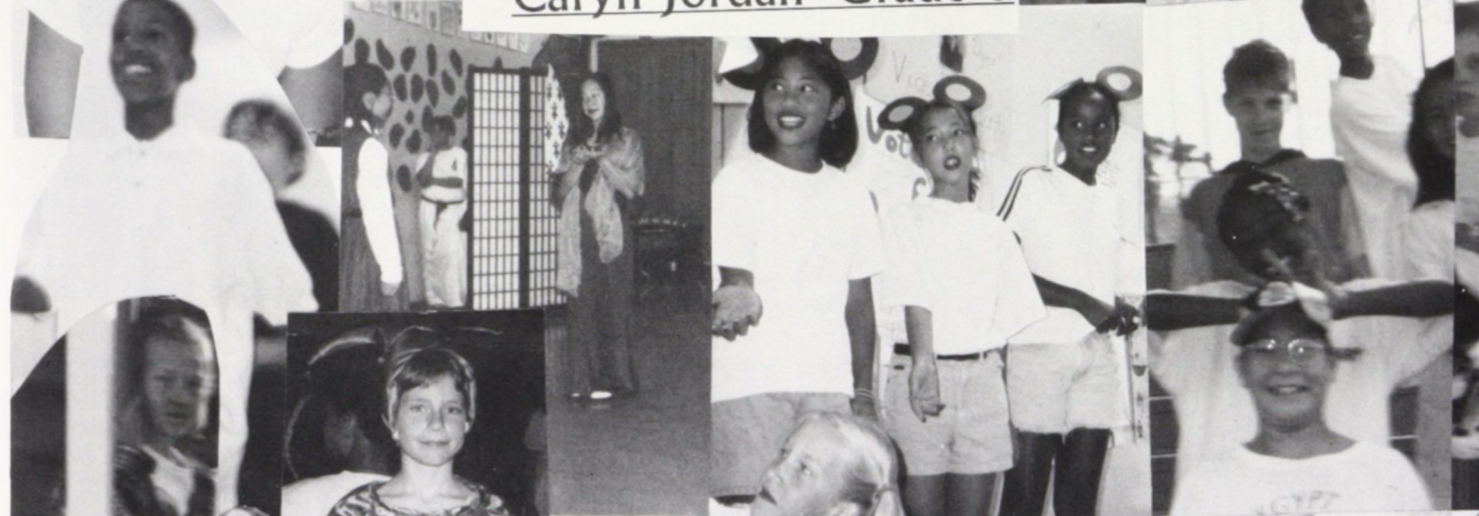
Don't let your teachers catch you written notes!
Jenny M

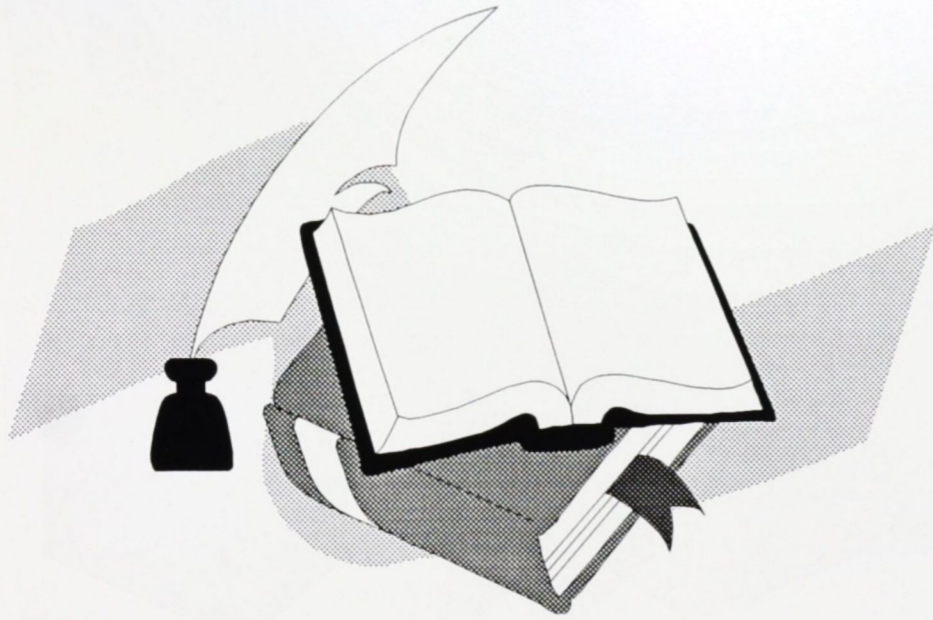
HEY, whatever you do, don't get an attitude with your teachers. Believe me, I should know.
Naomi Colangelo

TO POST IN THE LOCKER



Caryn Jordan- Grade 6





Mrs. Caryn Jordan, Teacher - Grade 6

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Do all your work
Ben Andersen

Watch out for homeworks
John McDonough

Do your work or be in trouble.
Cassandra Smith

Sixth grade is tough watch out!
Christen Brothman

Do your Homework
Annie Warden

Work hard and have fun!
It Pays off in the Future!
- Always
Jenny Clinton

Bring a Big Backpack
Jennifer Pritch

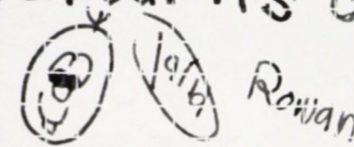
Cheolra Hill

To: Grade-5
FROM: Grade-6

Be quiet in class!
Rafael Urena

Do all your homework and don't talk back to the teachers!
Krestina Bullock

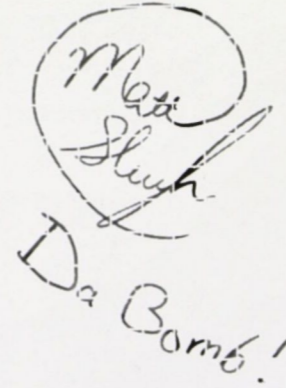
Watch out it's a killer



Don't suck up. They're wise to that.
Megan Fernell

Don't get in detention or else you're in trouble!
Good Luck in 6th Grade!
Megan Canon

Try to do your best at all times and don't give up!
Christina Farris
Antonia



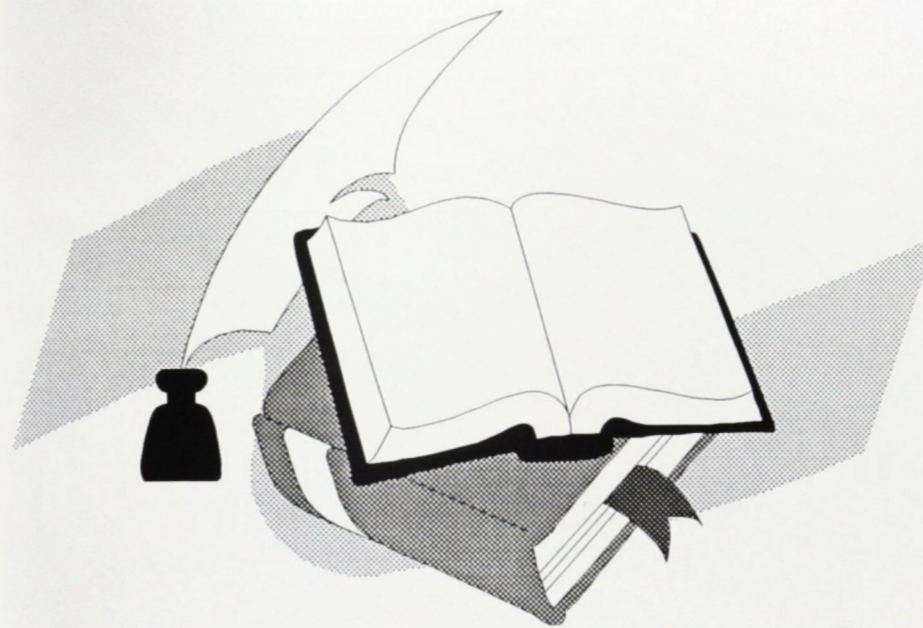
Six Grade is hard but learning is easy so stick with what's right. Don't give up.

Michael Moore

If you work your hardest and do your best then you will do Great!

Do your best!
Susanne H.
Joshua E. → Great!

Jodi Heins, Sixth Grade



Mrs. Jodi Heins, Teacher - Grade 6

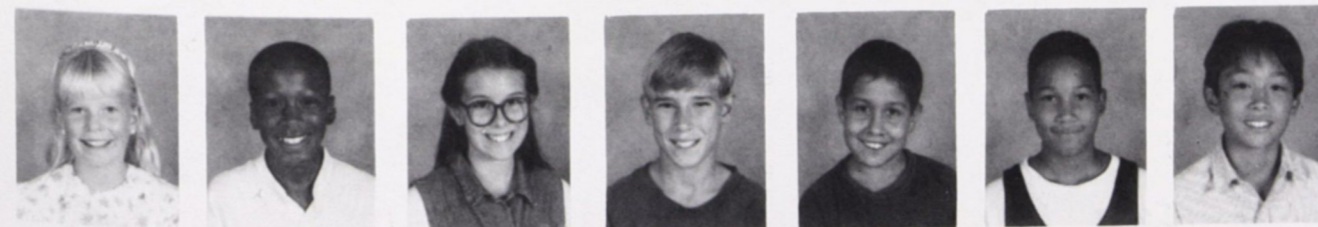
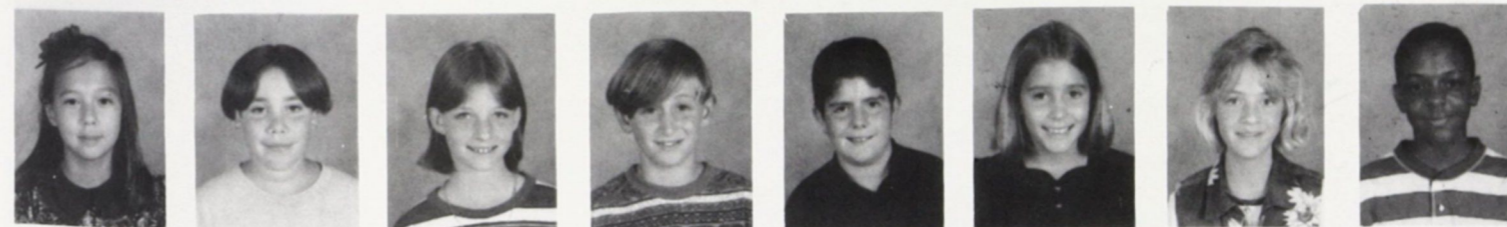
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Not Pictured: Laura Barwick



Be prepared
6th grade
can be
tough and
easy!

Jessie
Mullin

Mr. Davis

Janie
Hitis

The
teachers
work hard.
You
study
for tests
and try
your
hardest
on everything.

Study
for tests
and try
your
hardest
on everything.

Camille Roth

A

Justin
Sibler

Be prepared
for lots of
homework!!!
Erin Davis

COMMENTS:

To: Grade 5
FROM: Grade 6

Daniel CJ
McDonough Barrera

Megan Williams

GIVE THIS
Note to your
teacher:

YYUR, YYUB, ICUR
YYUB Leah Gross

Always turn in
your homework!

miranda
morris

Do what the
aides tell you to
do.
Brandon Thomas

Listen to
the teachers
Christine
Coke

Be prepared and
do your homework

Keep
your
grades
up!

Nathan Anderson

Be Prepared
Everyday!!
Katie Barwick

Study for
test so you
can pass
Eric Katerick
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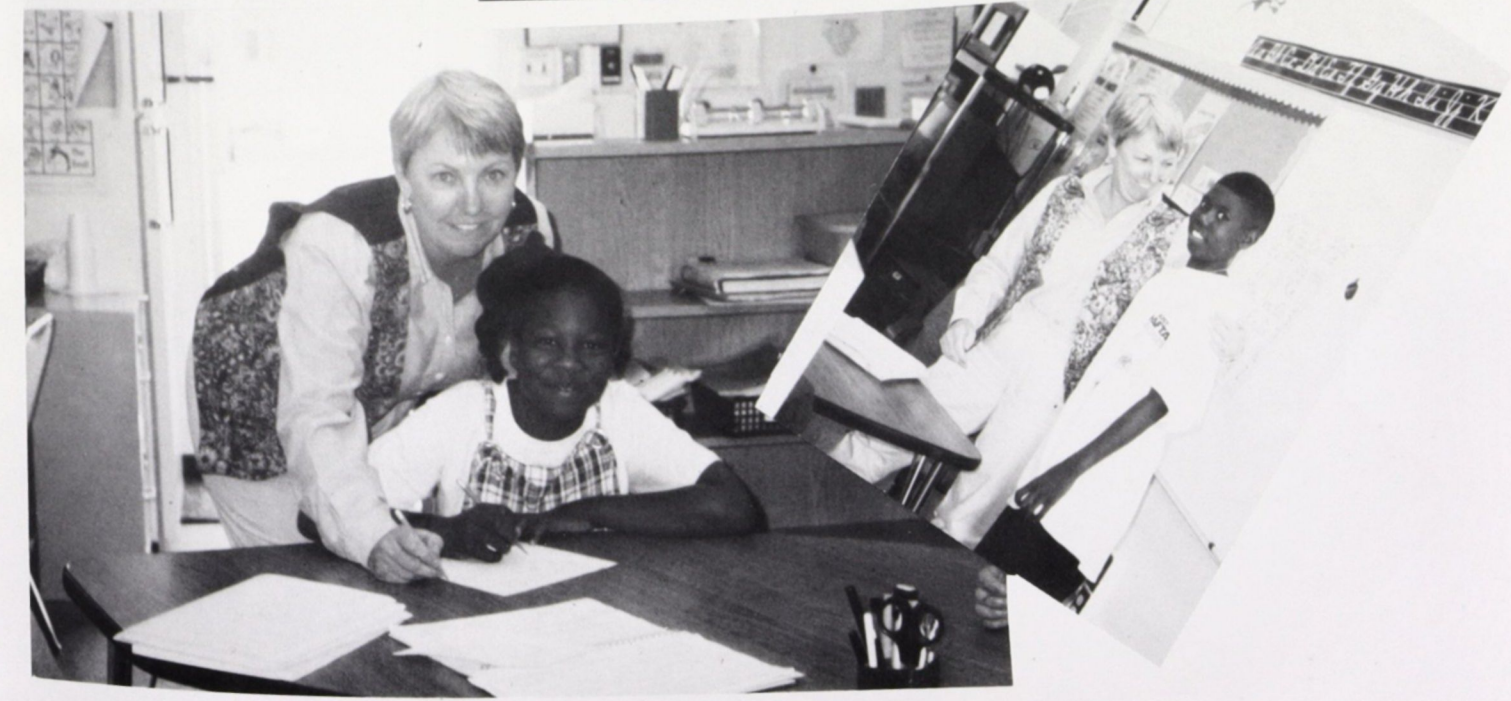
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Rhyne



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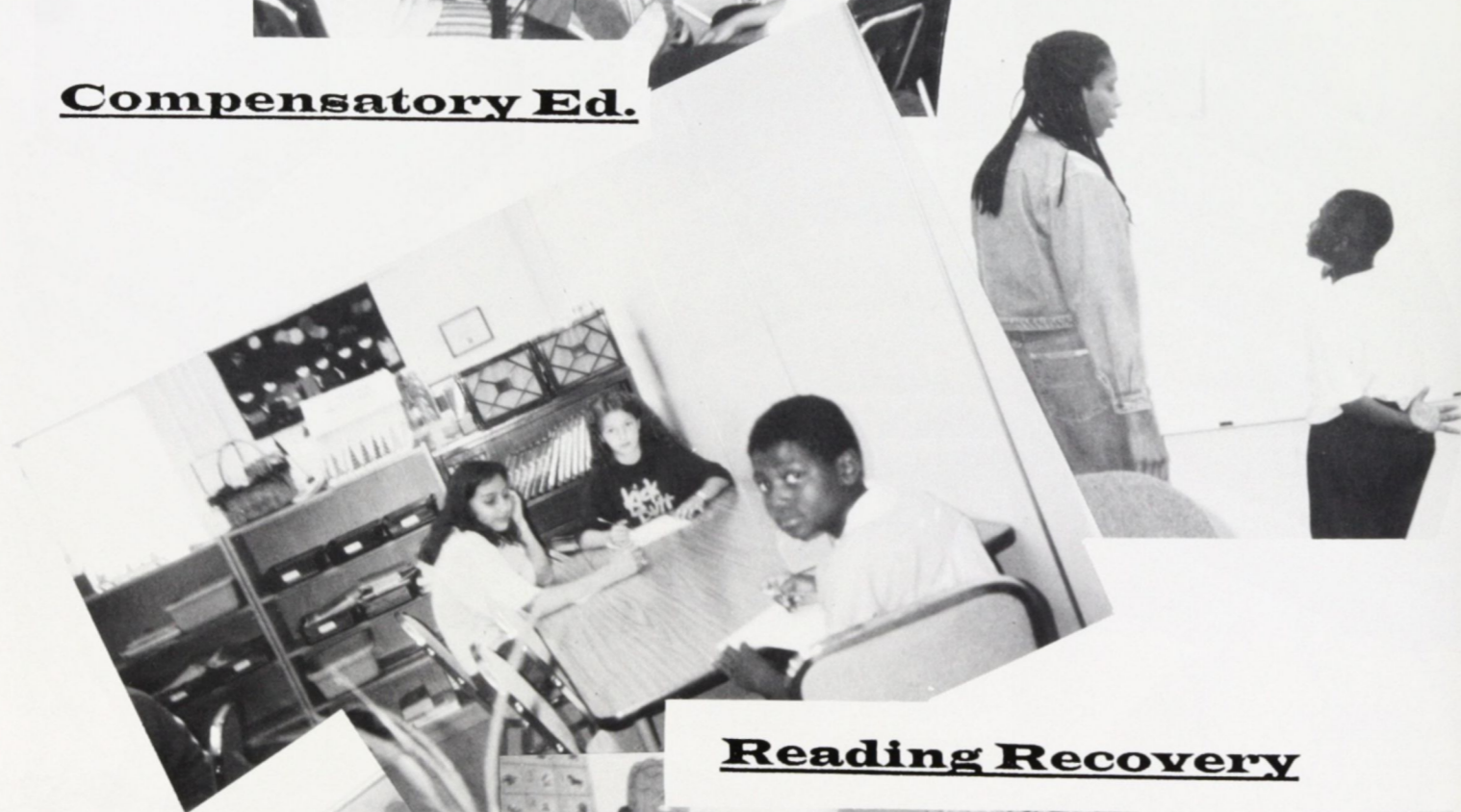




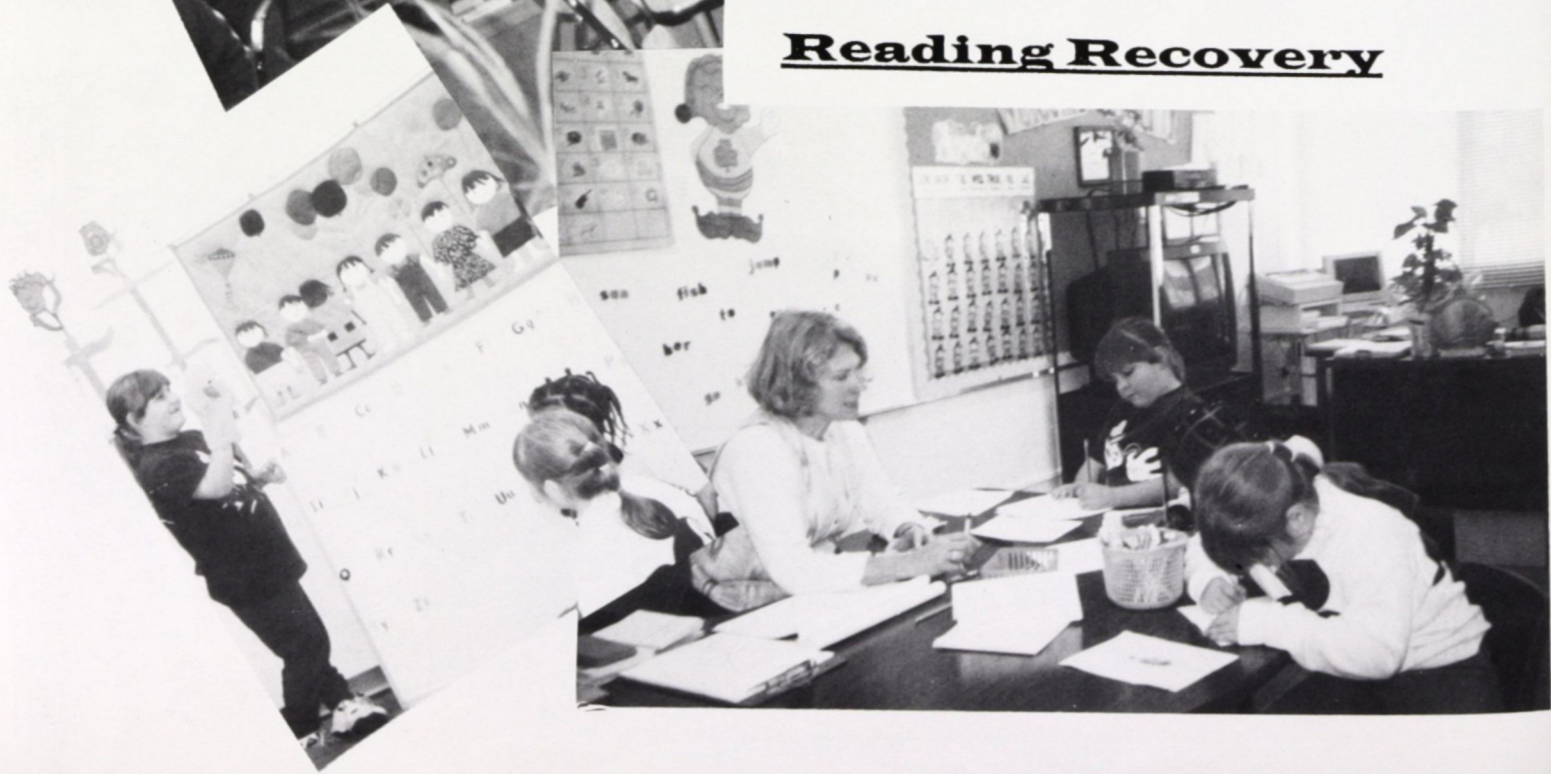
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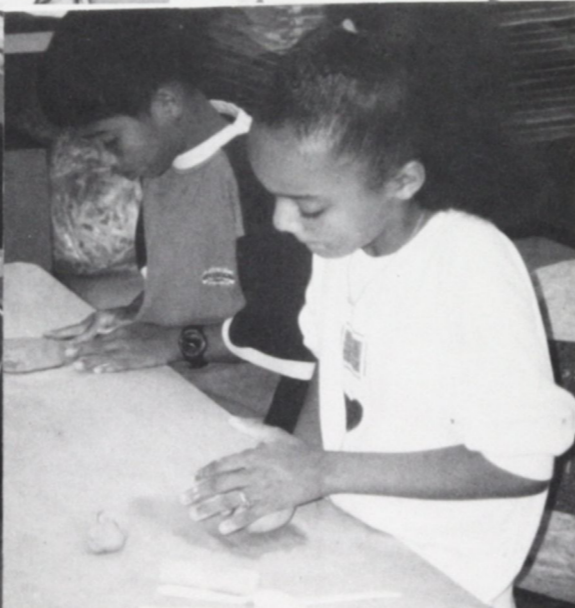
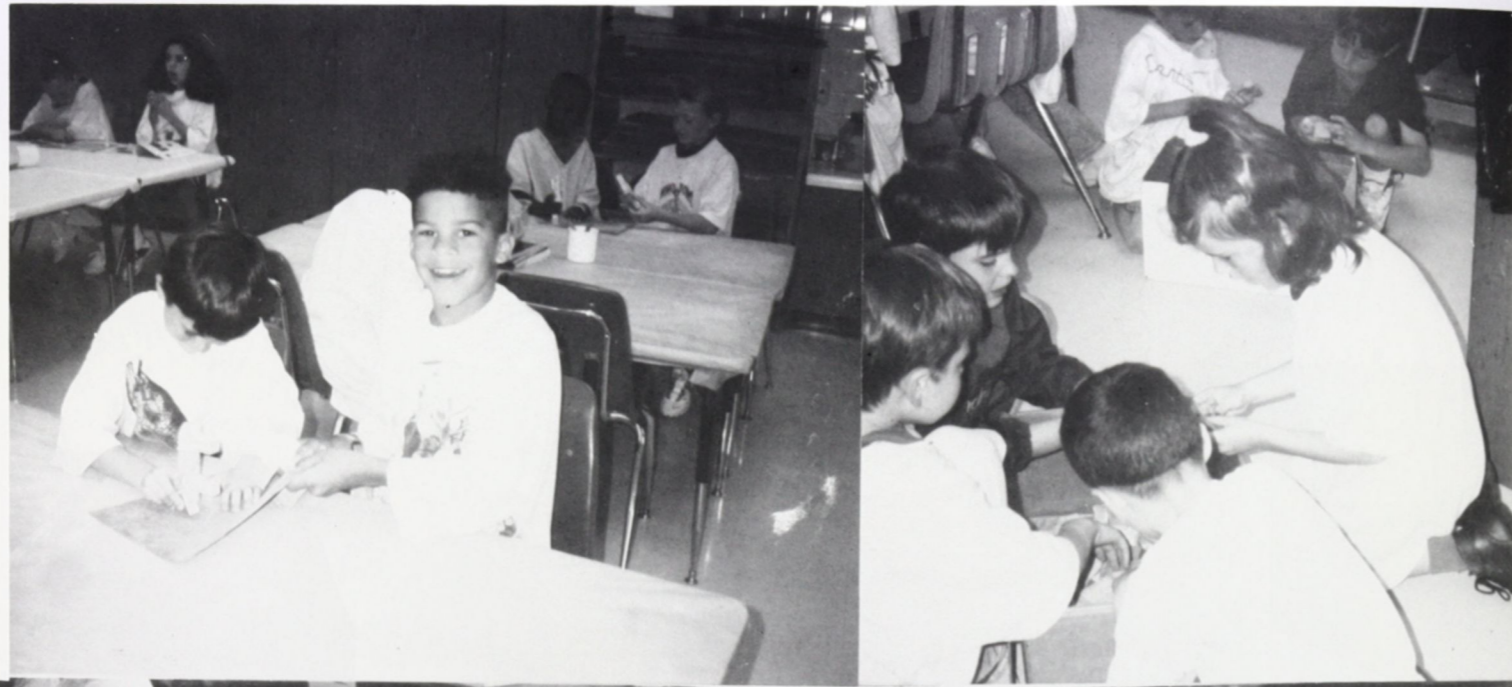


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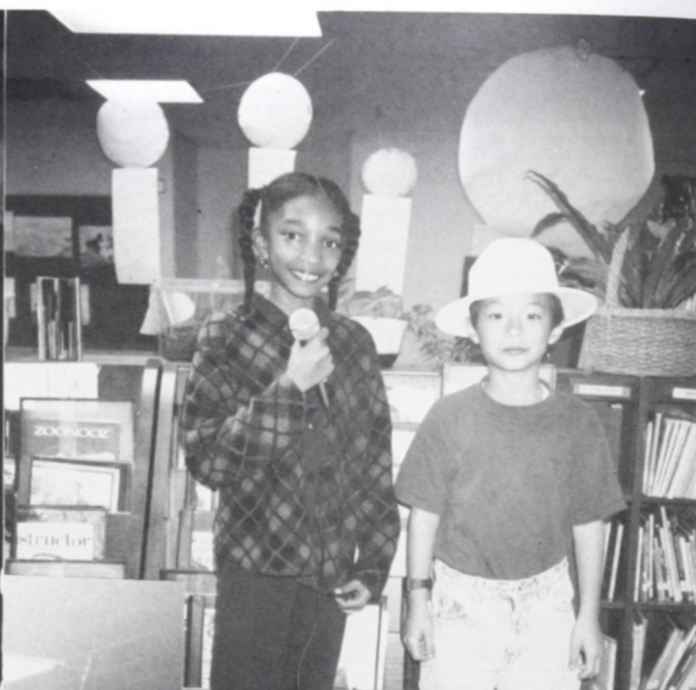
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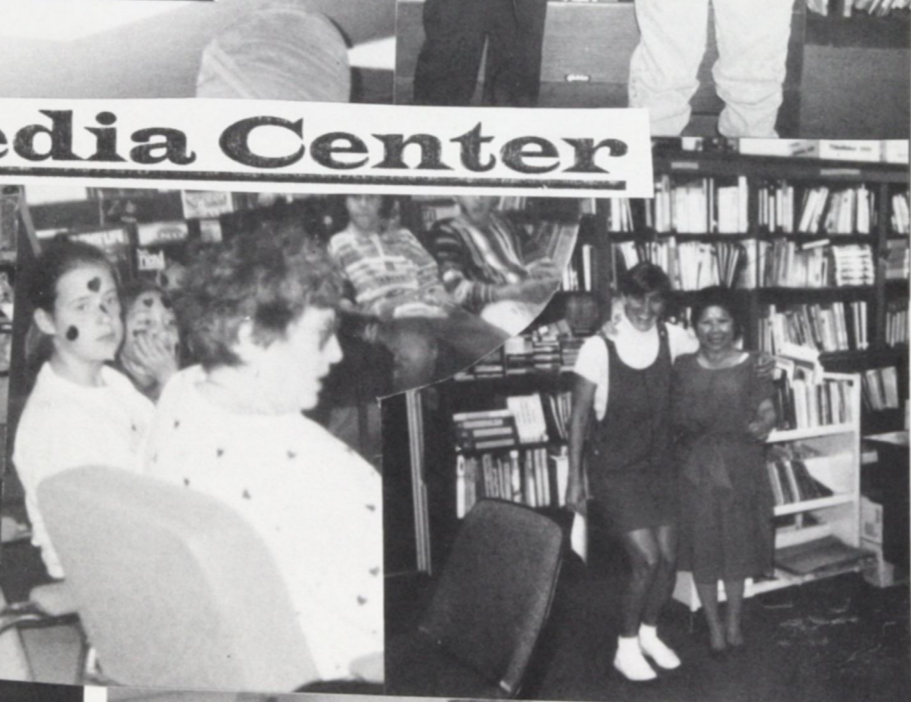


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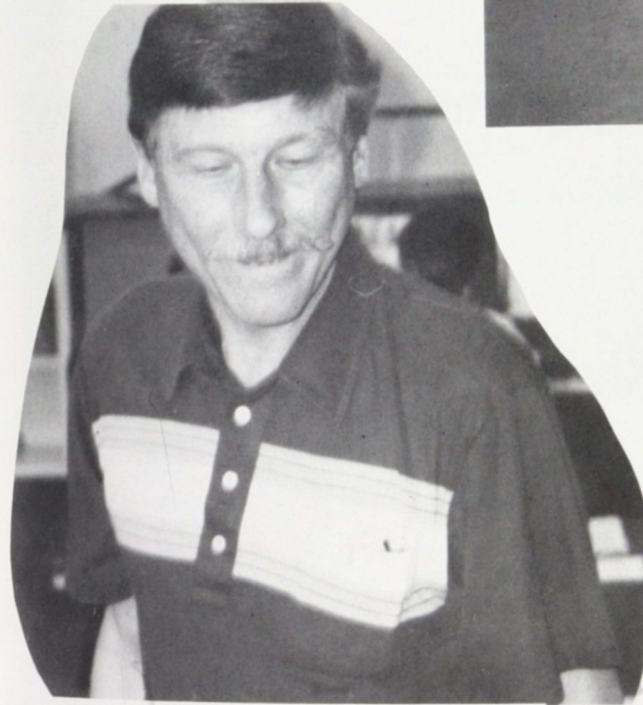
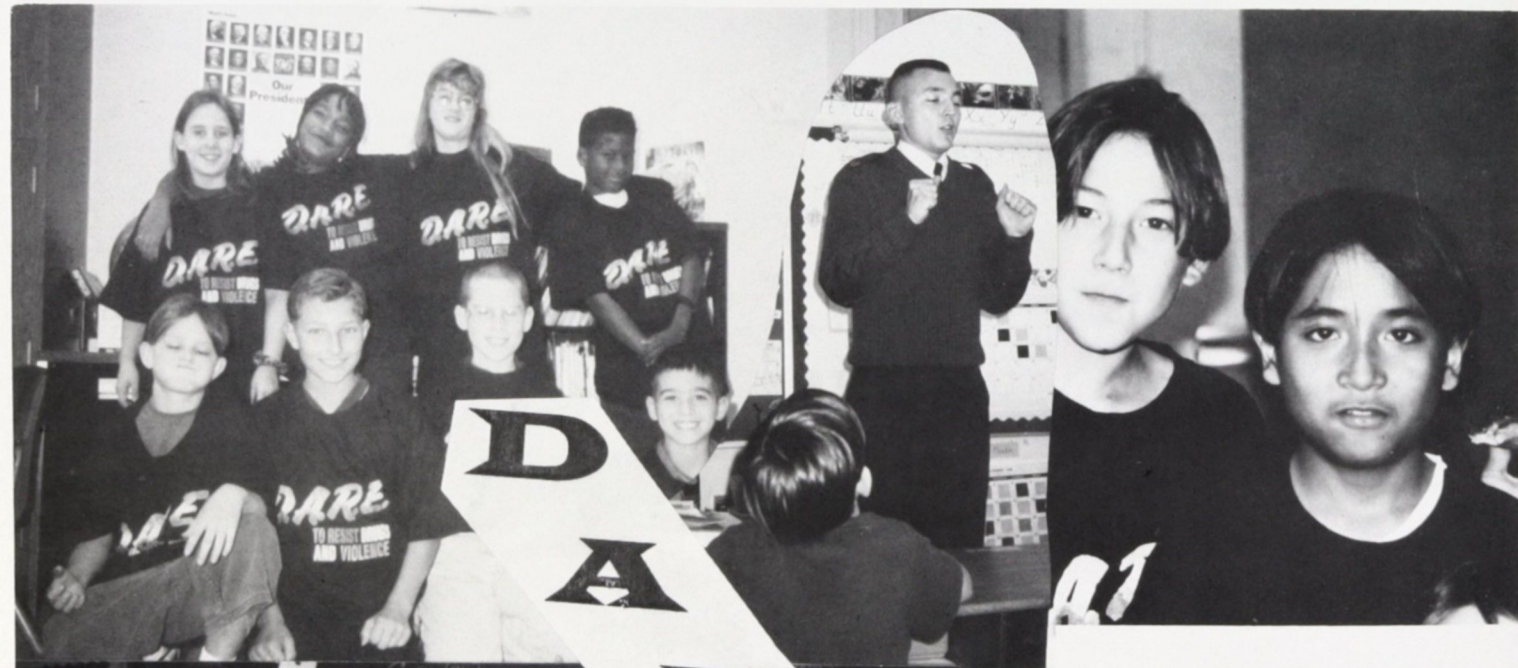




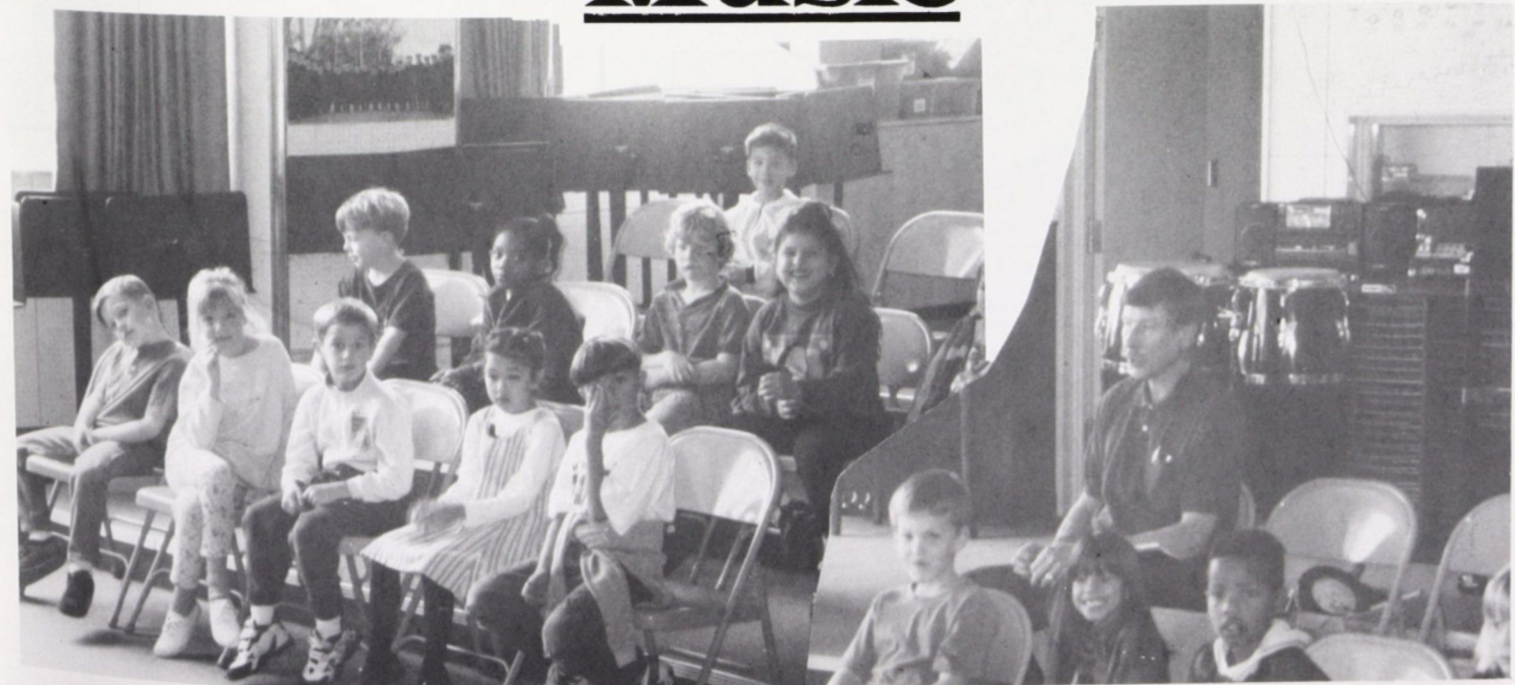
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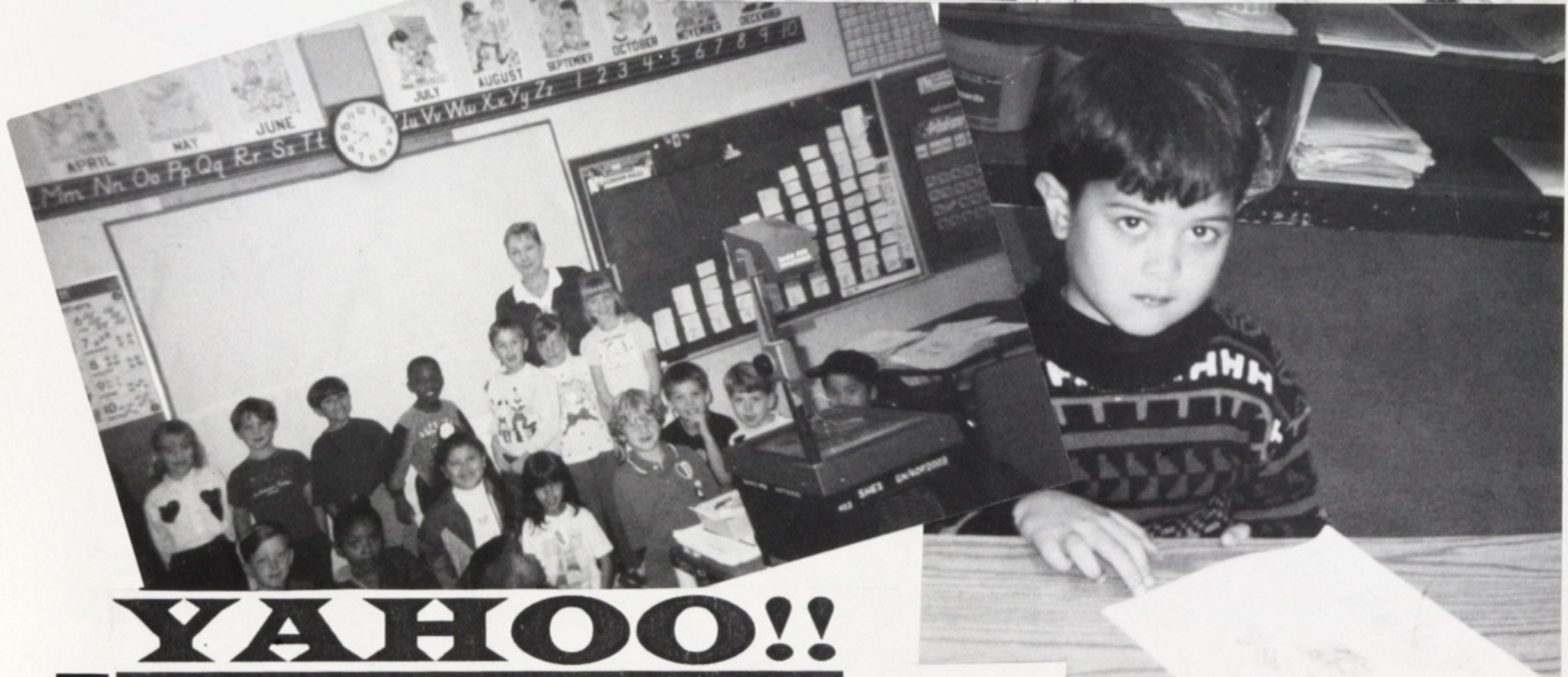
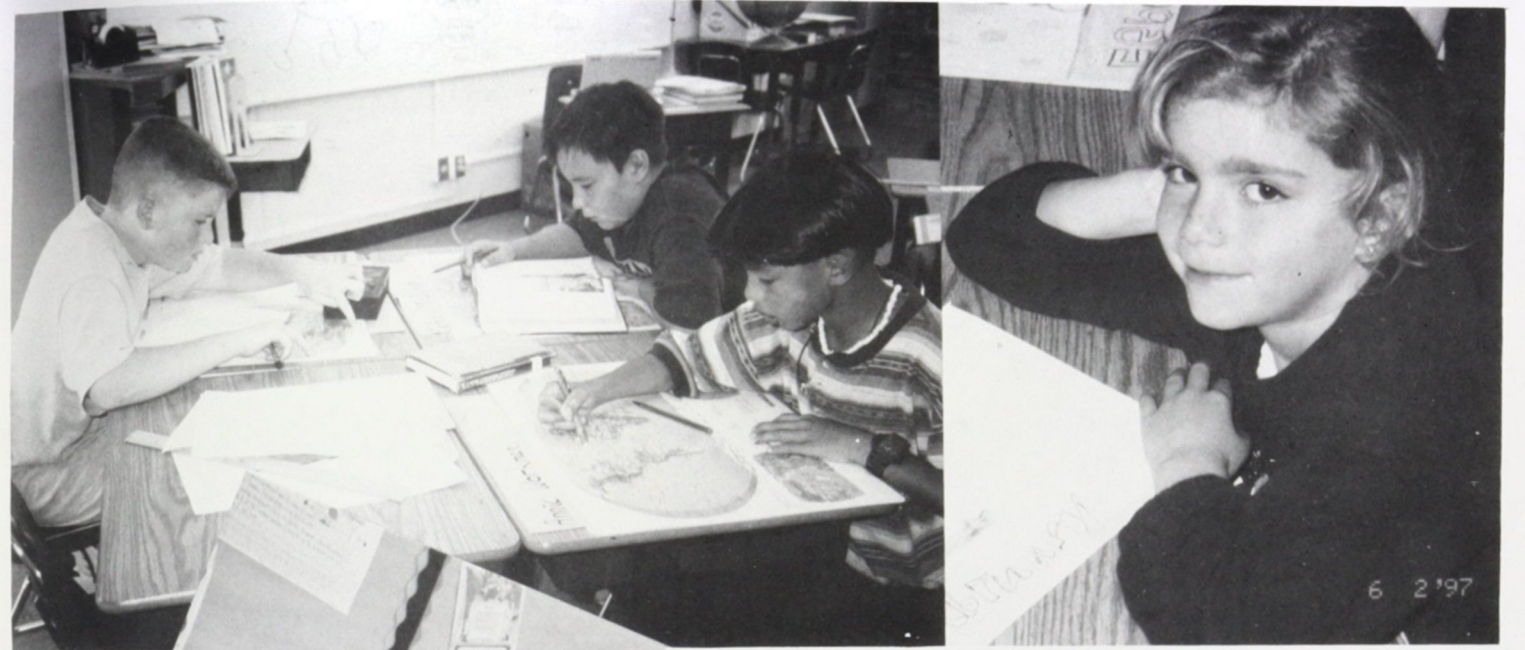


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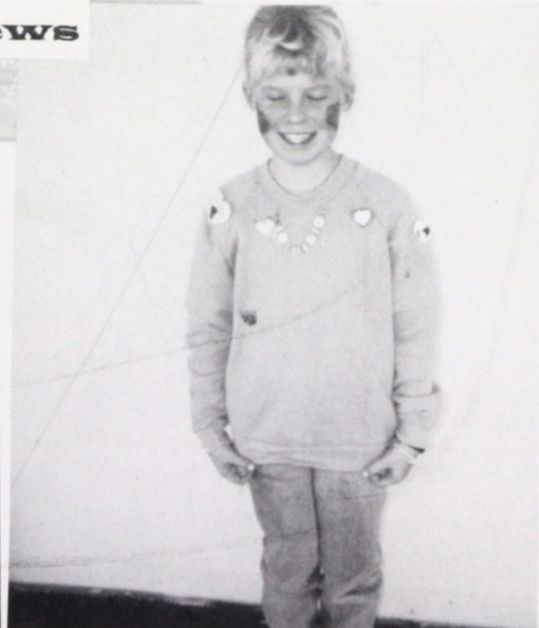
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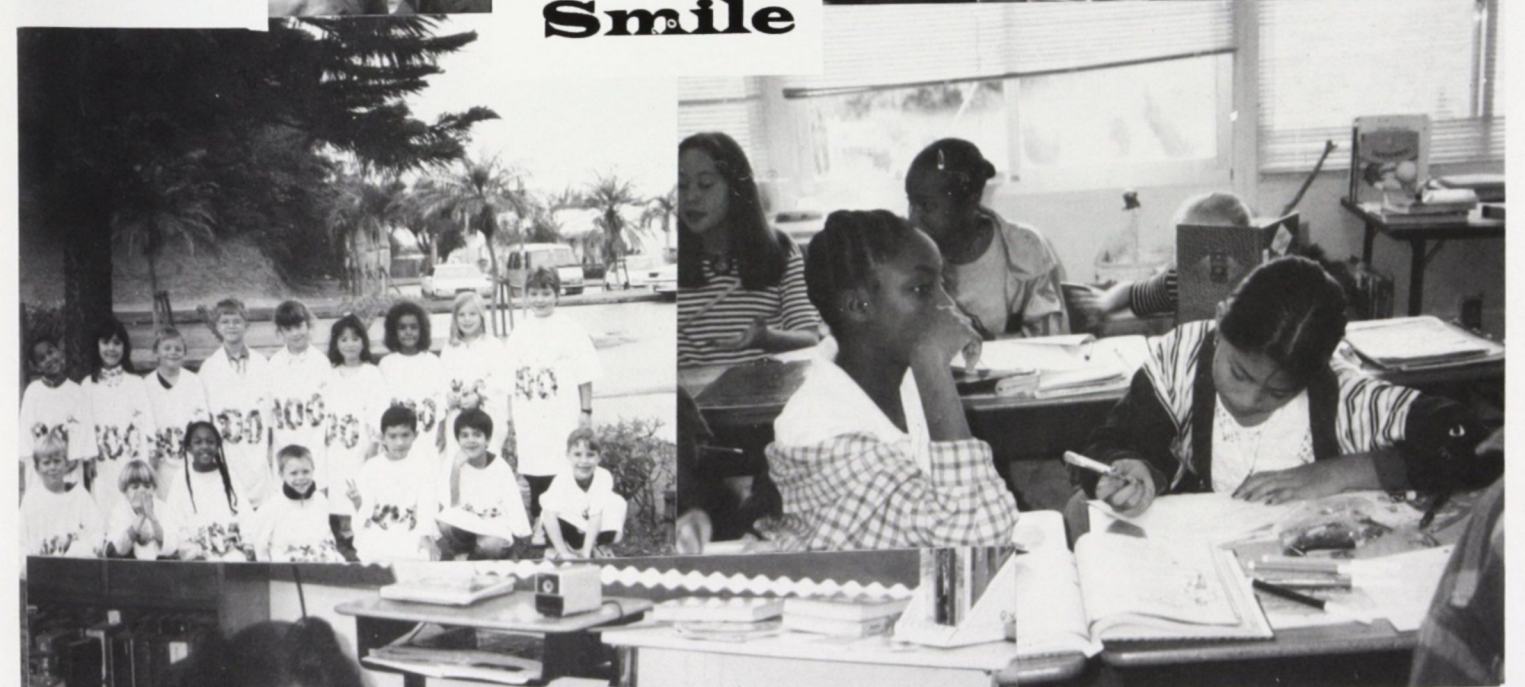
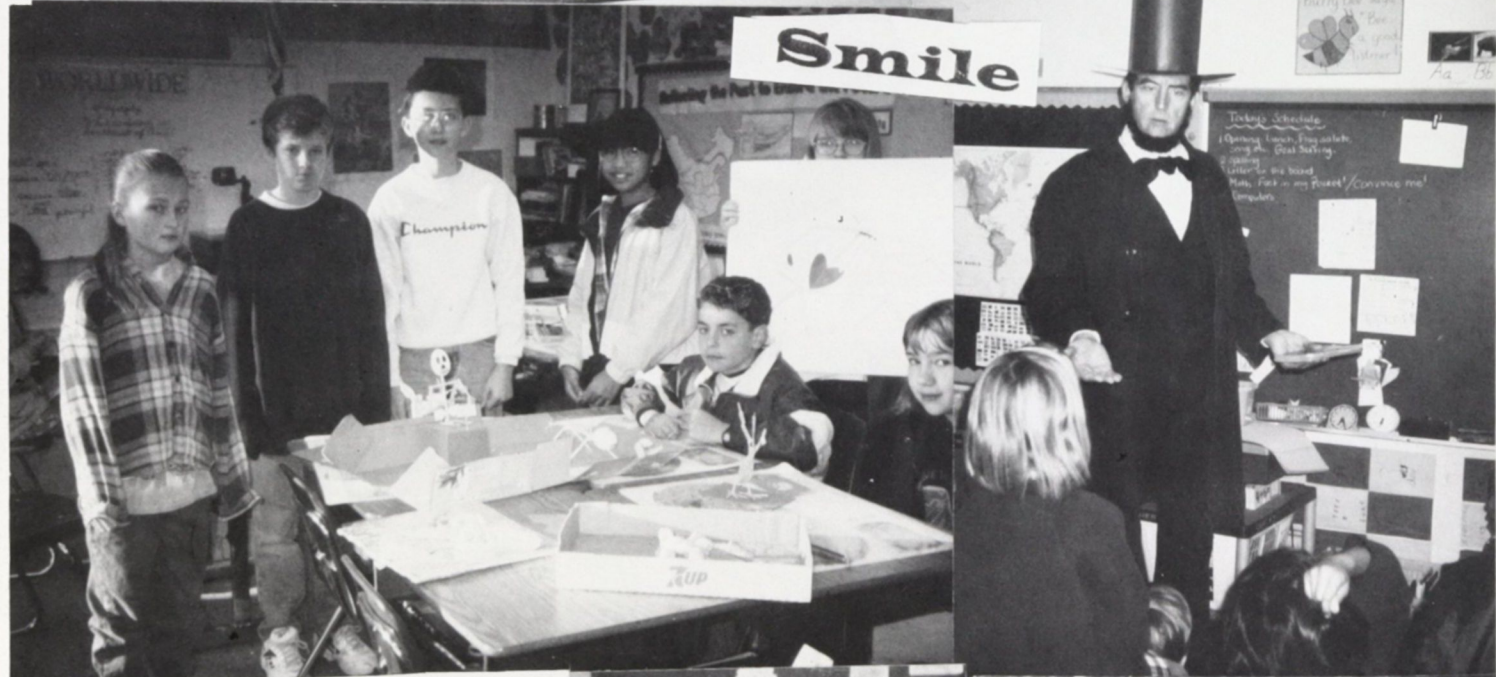
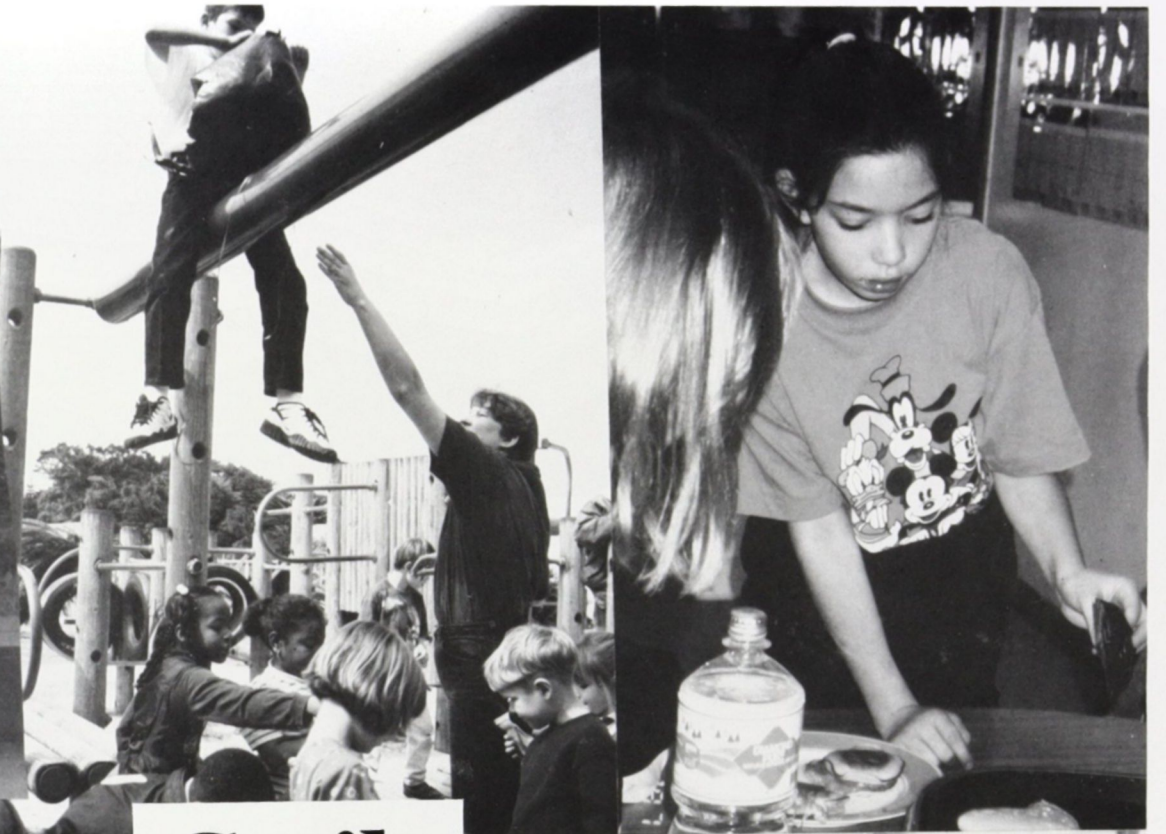
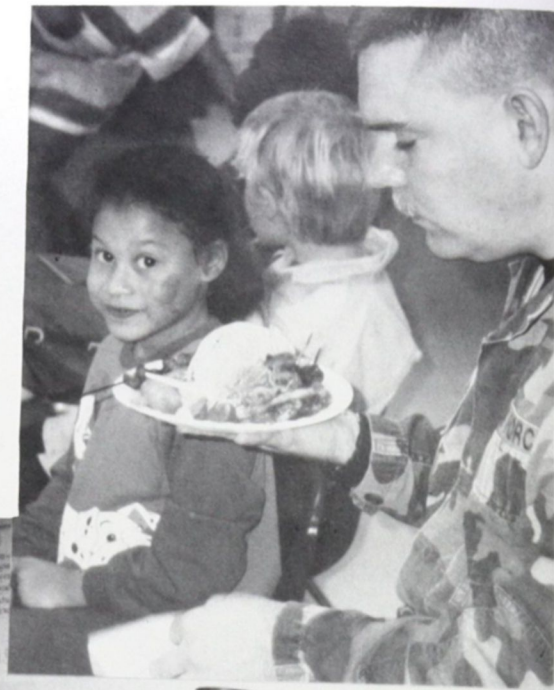
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What's: *New *Cool *Today' News



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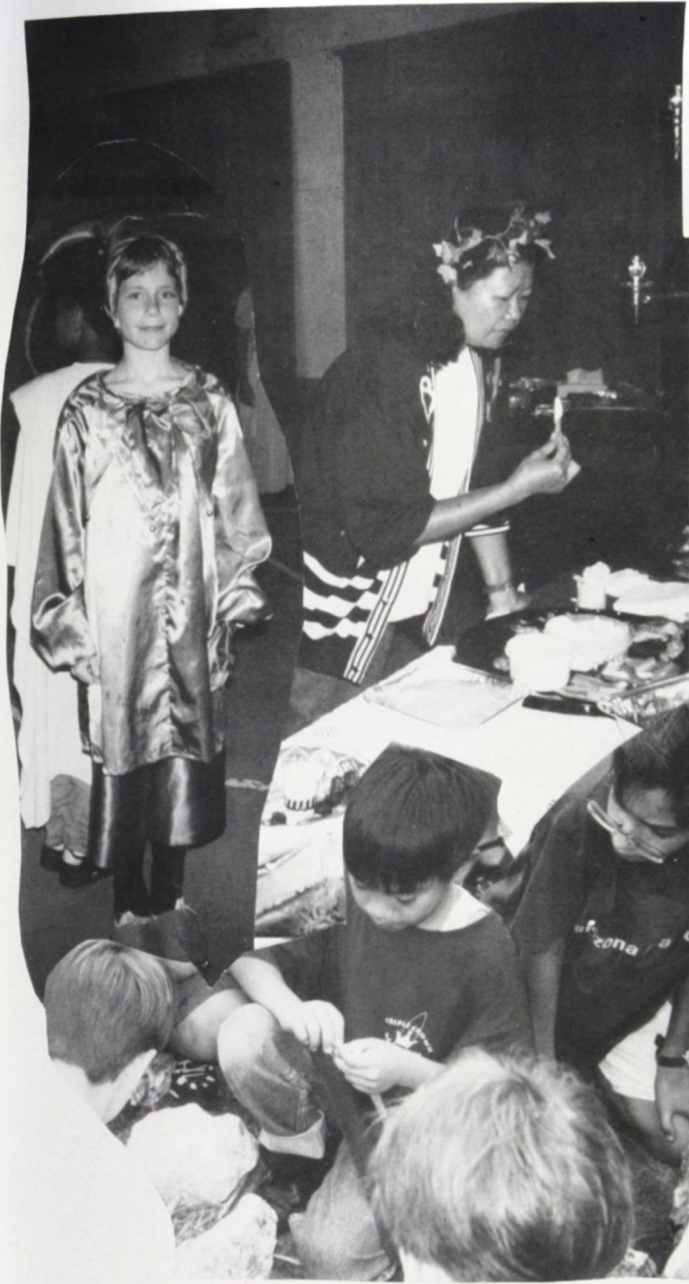
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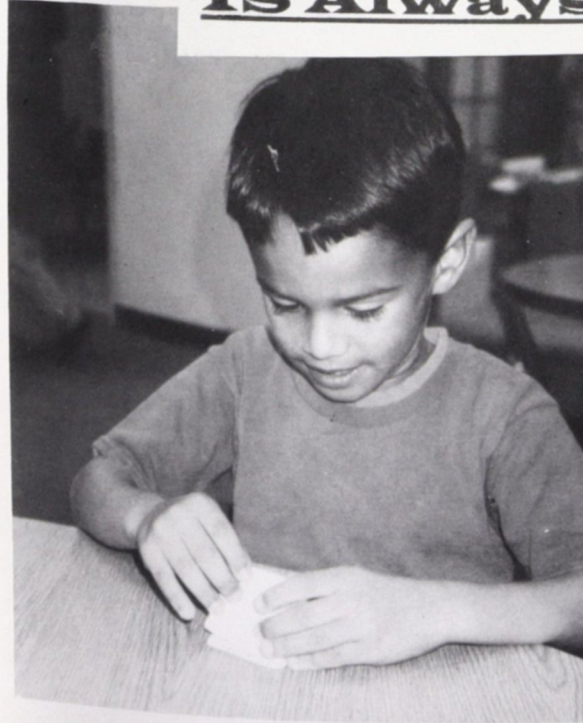
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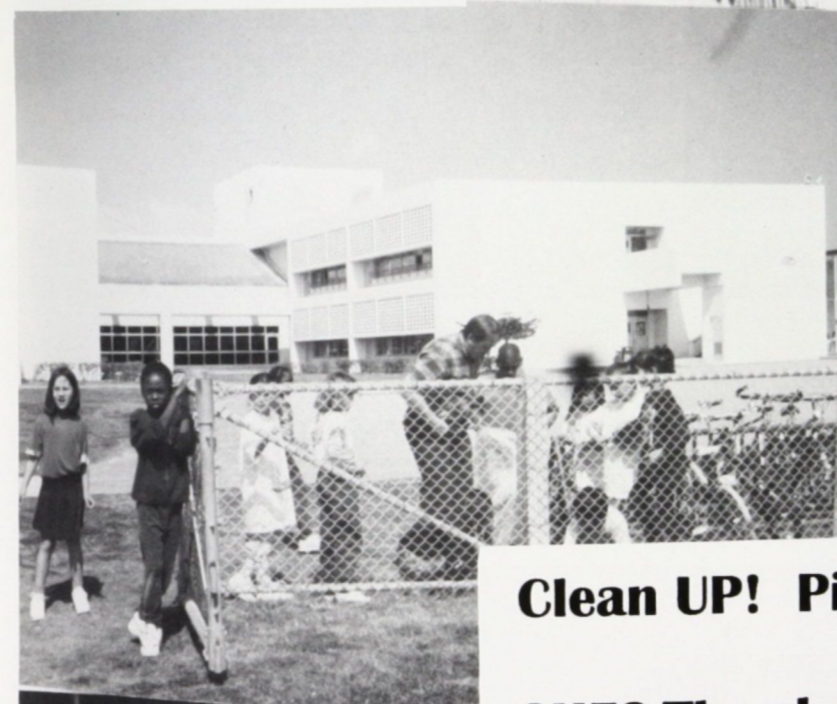
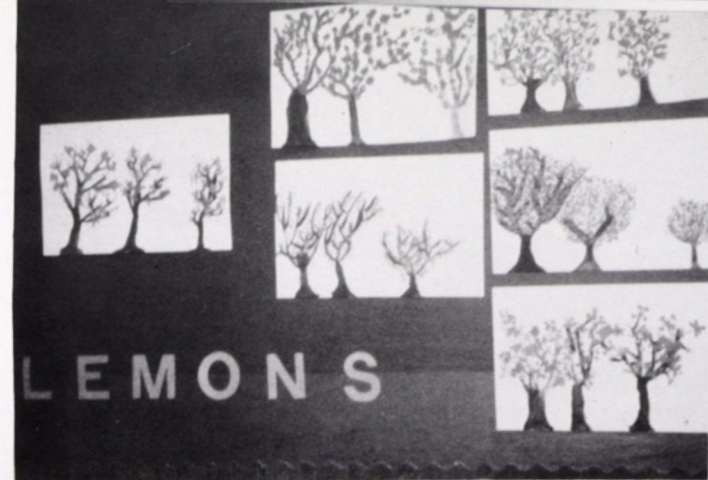
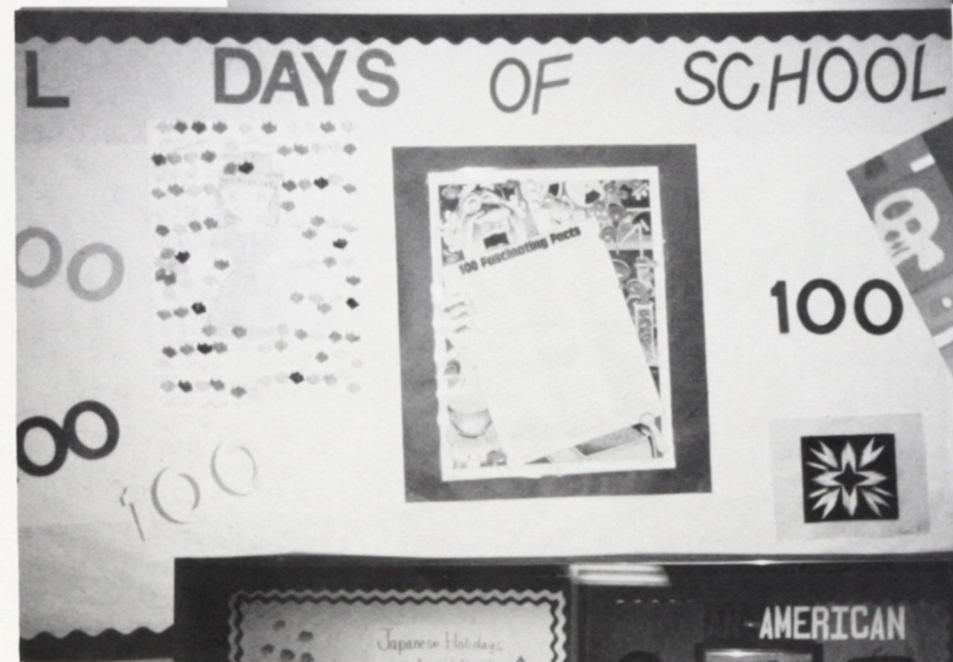
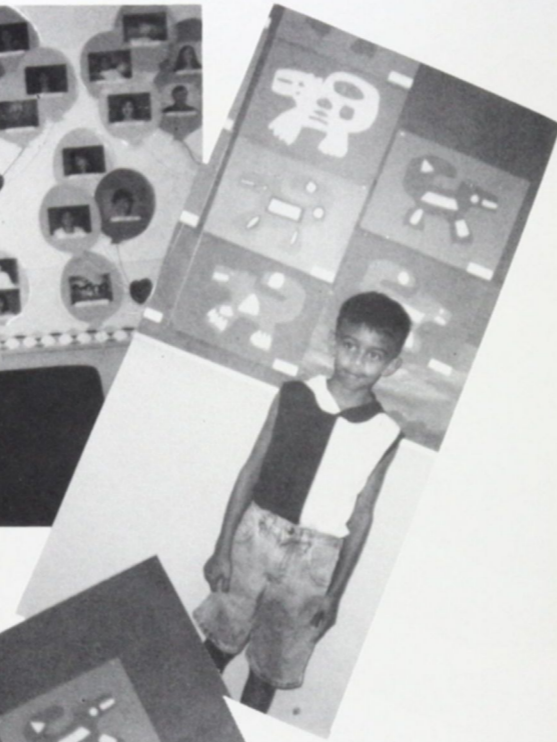
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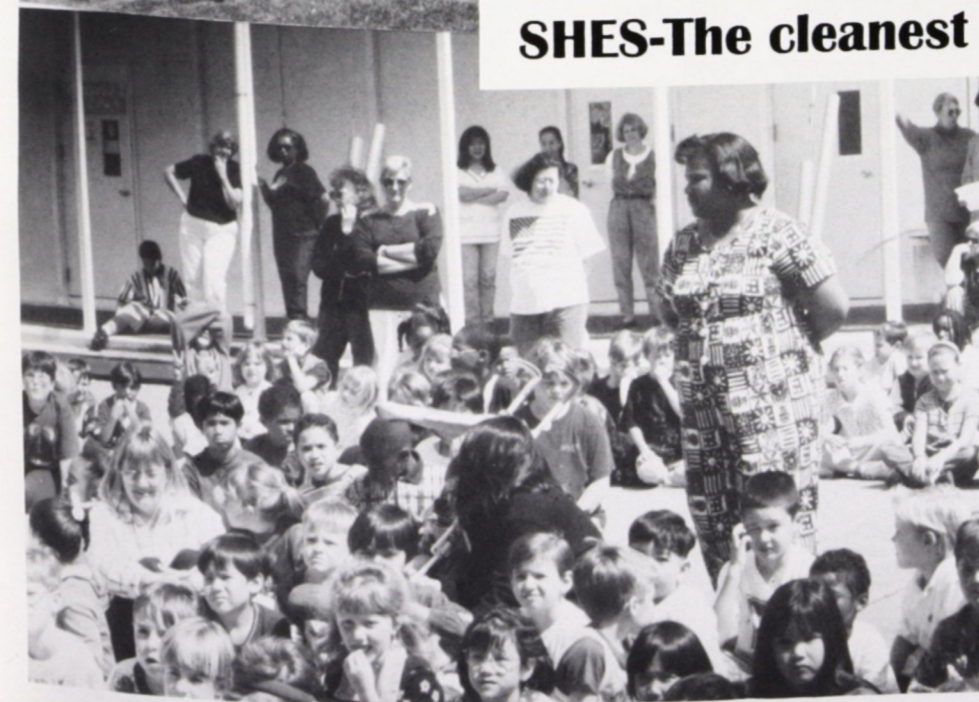


Bulletin Boards—Keep Us Informed



Clean UP! Pick UP!

SHES-The cleanest school on Okinawa!

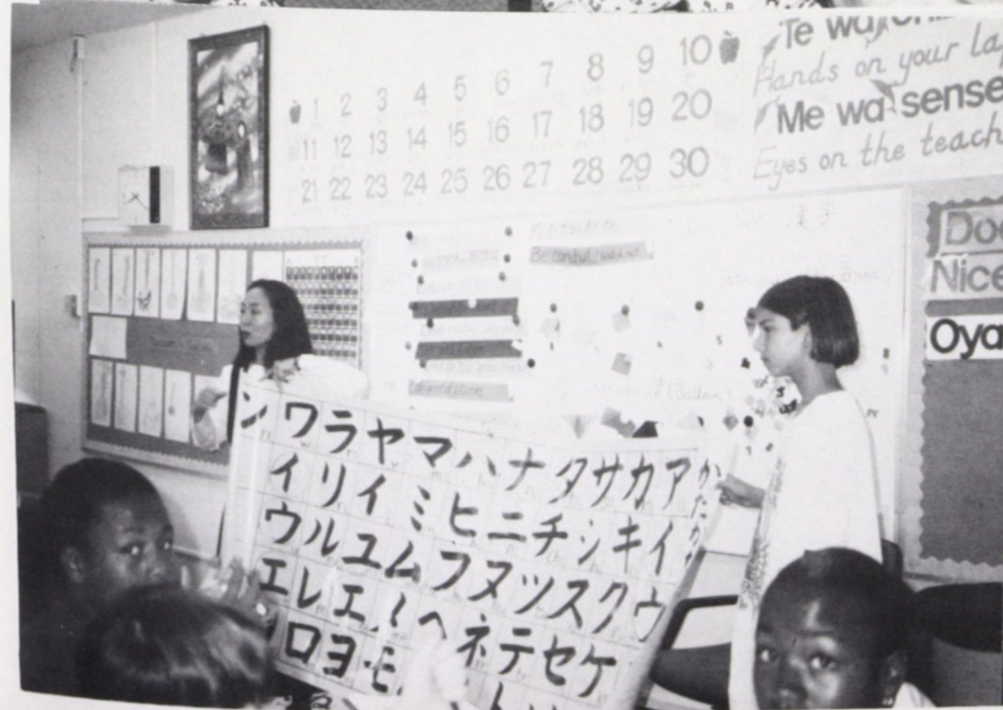


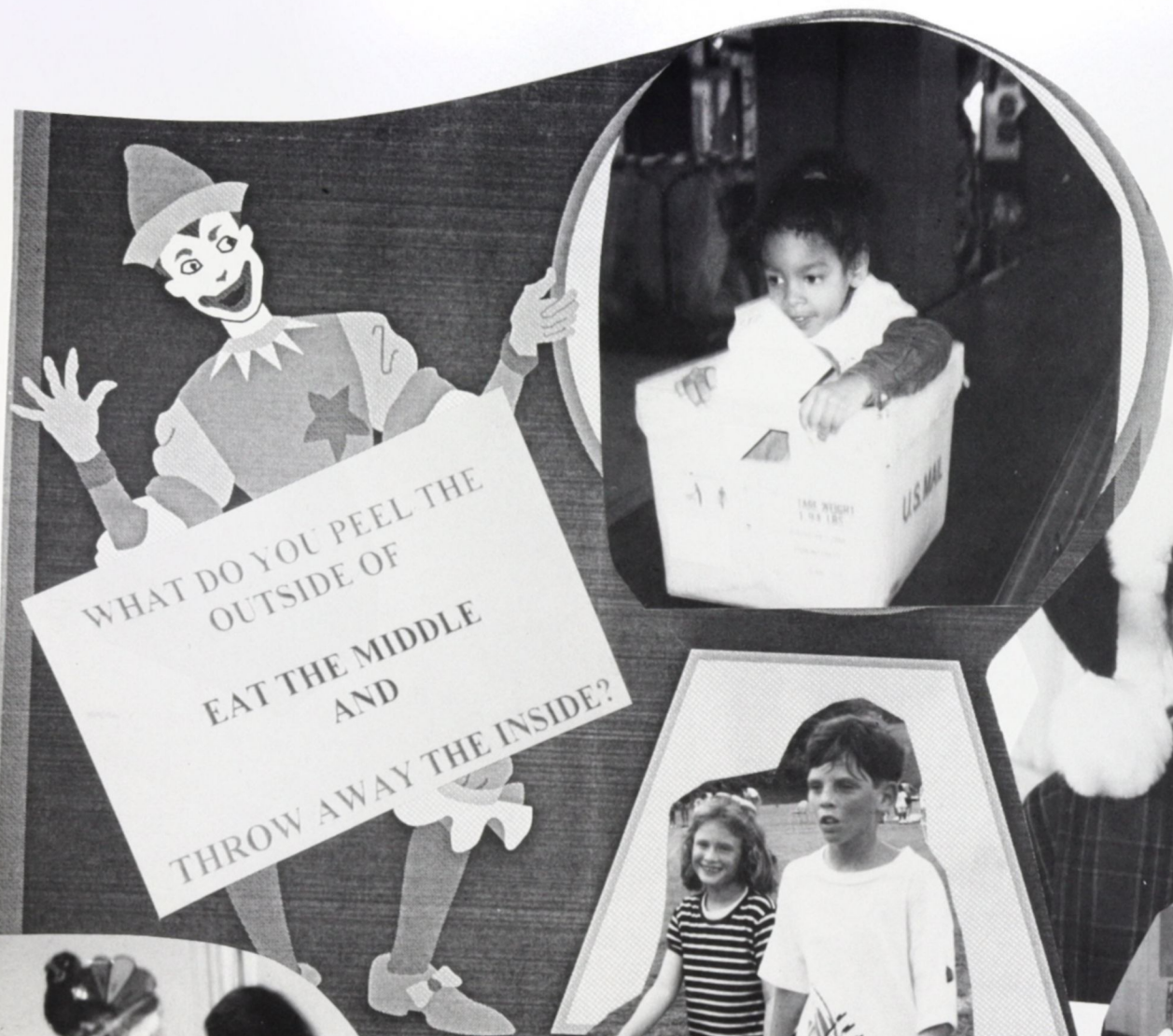


Culture 1



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SHES' Really "Corny" People!

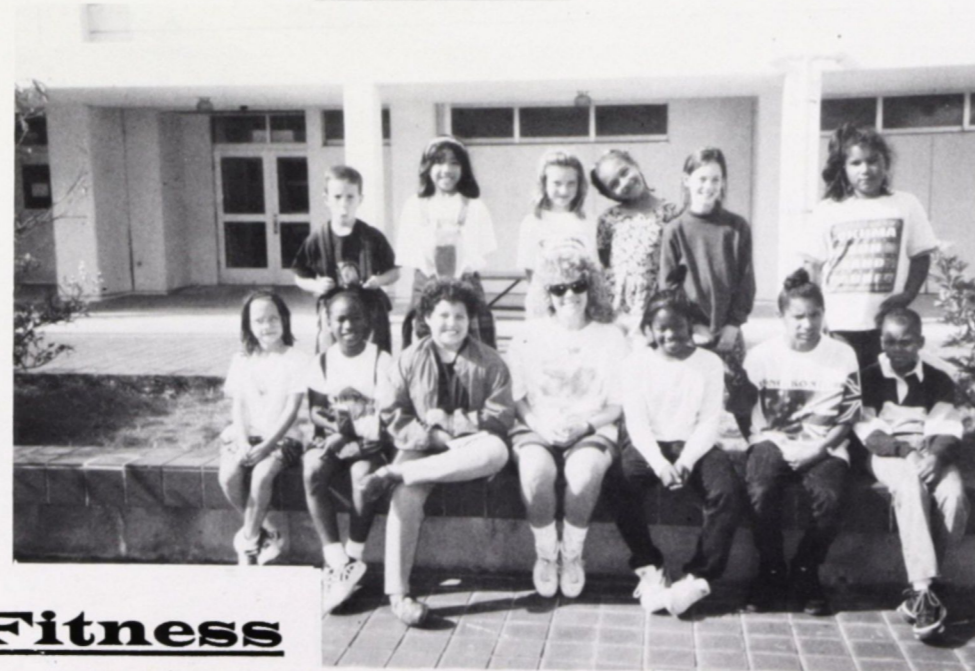




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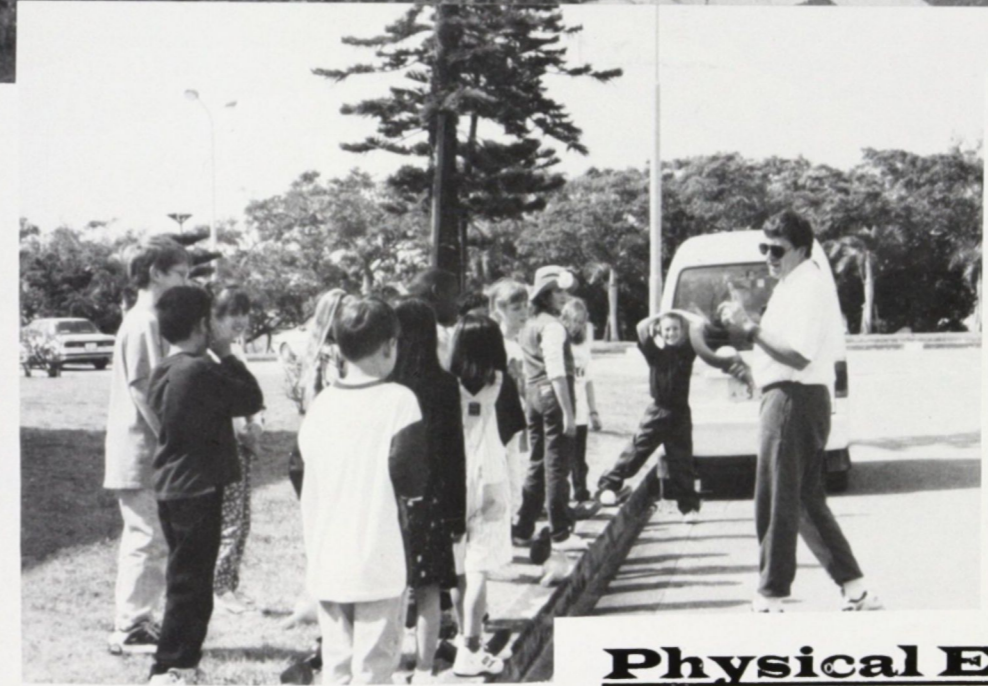


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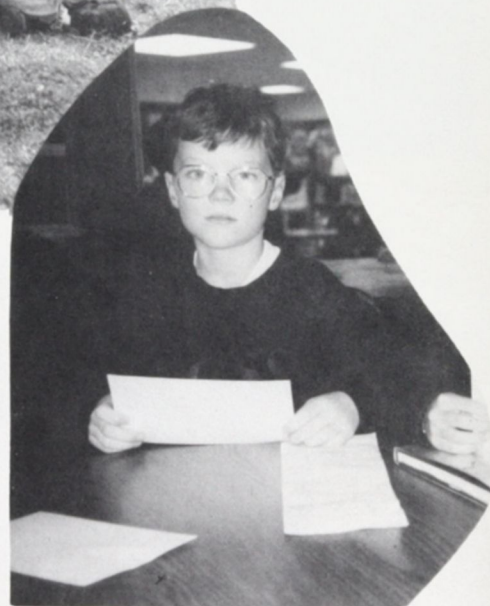
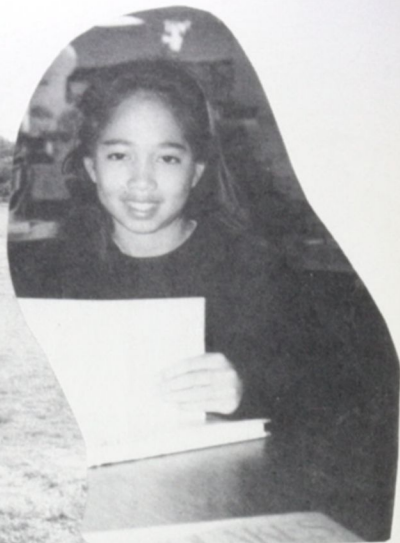


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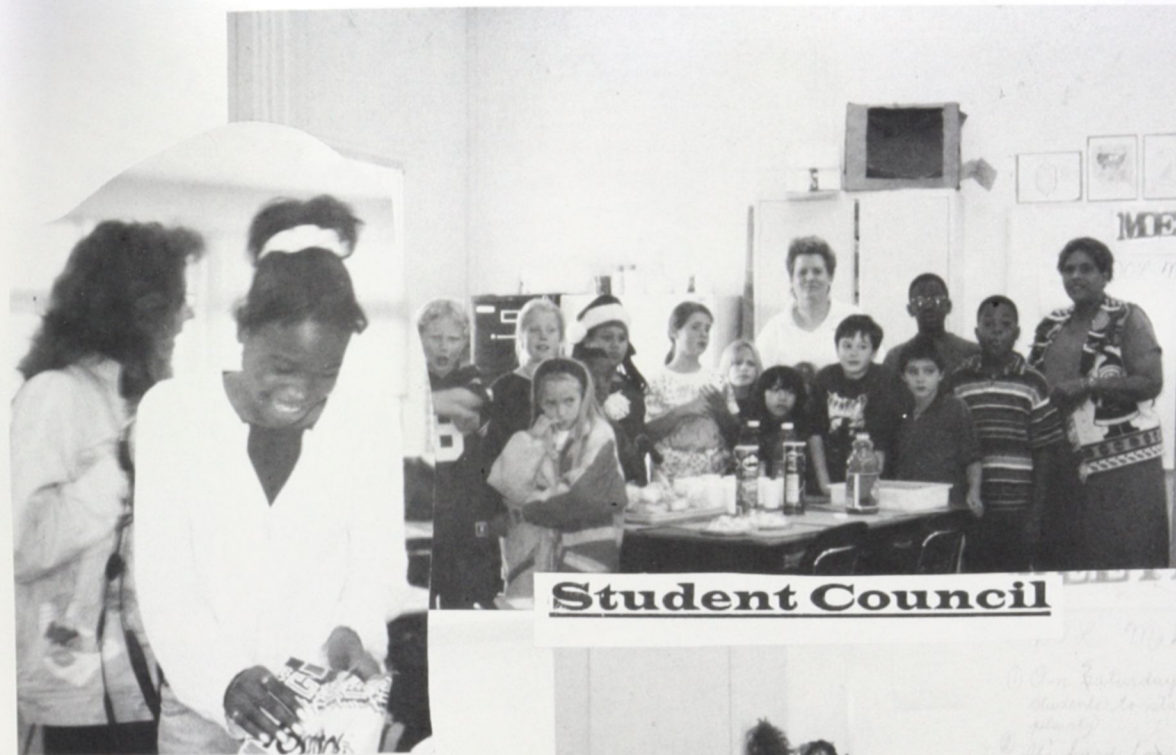


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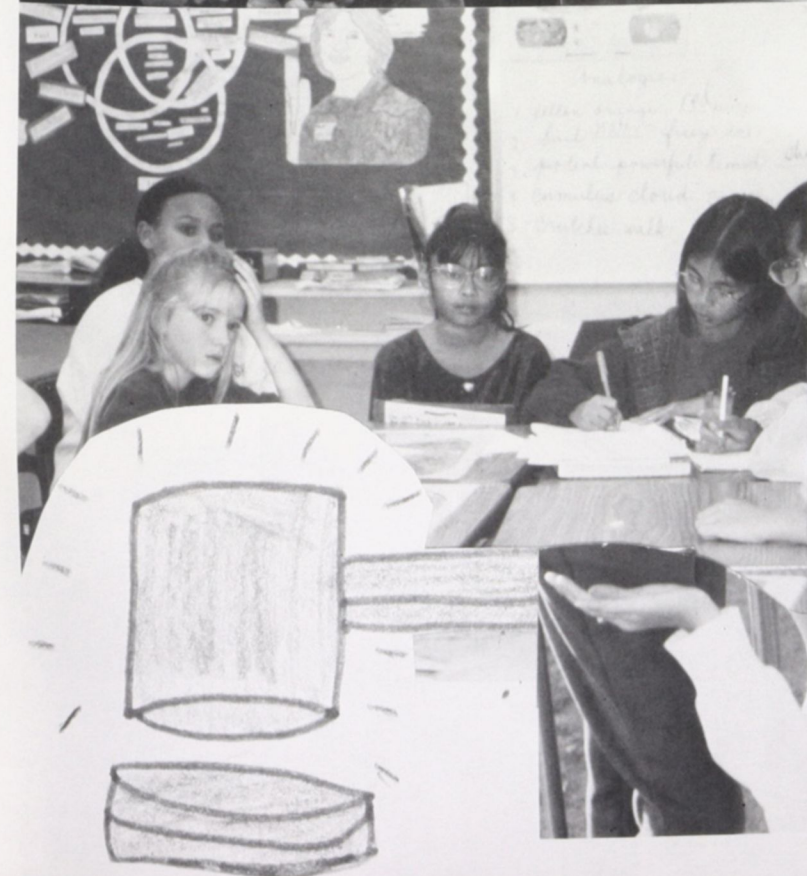
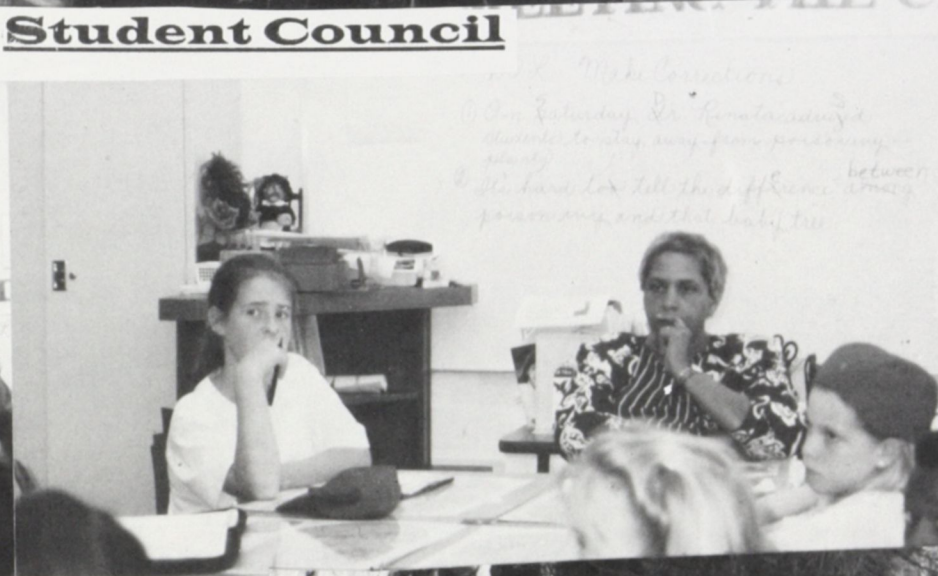
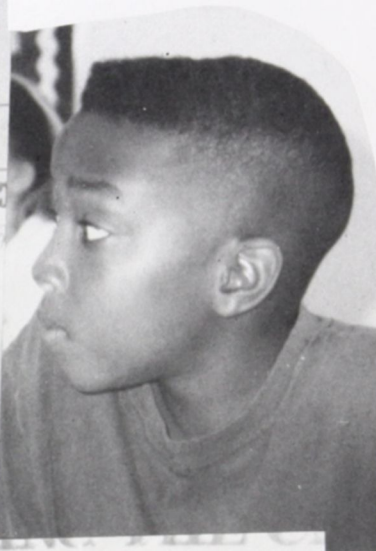
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TAIKO Drummers



Student Council

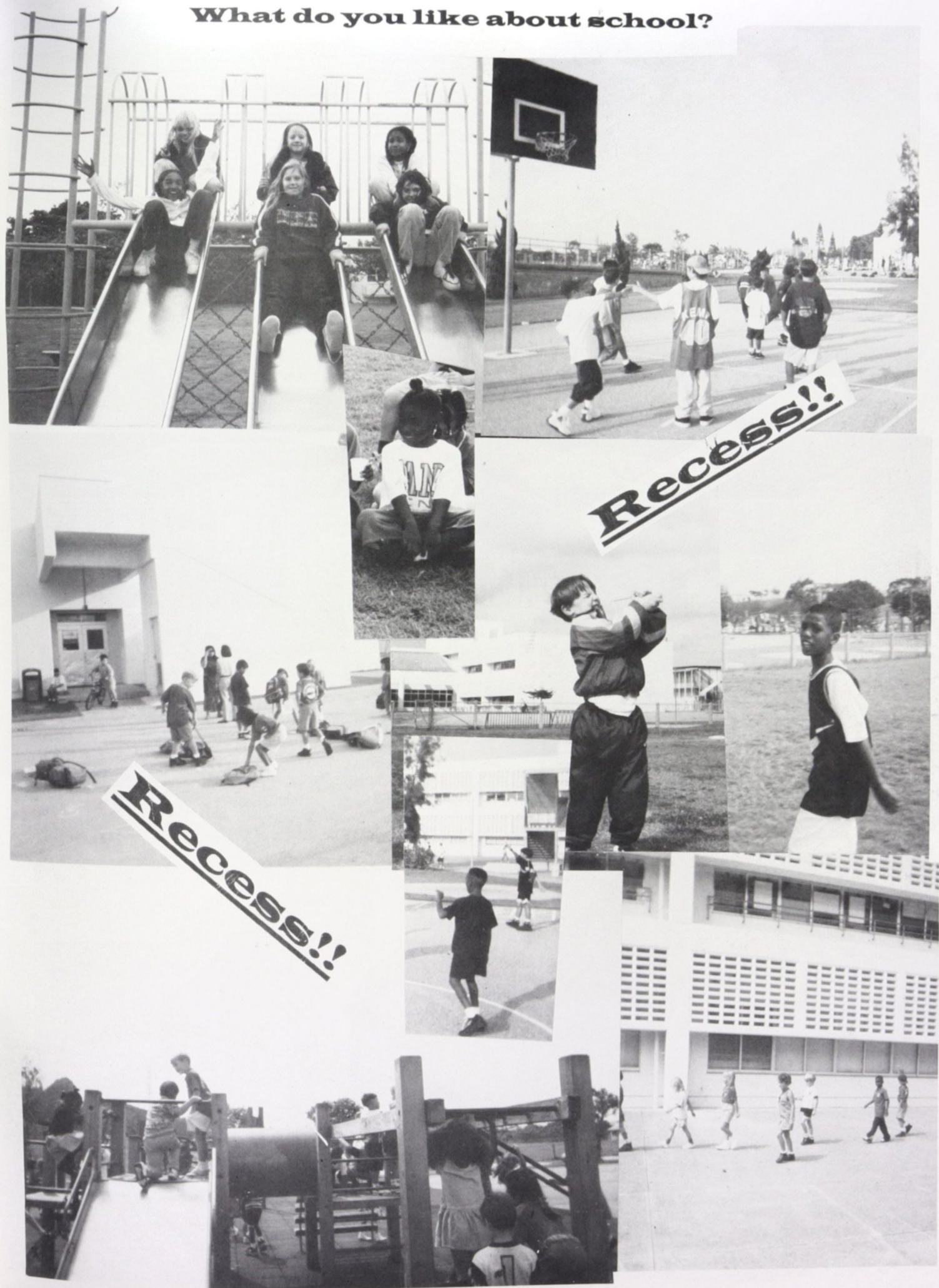


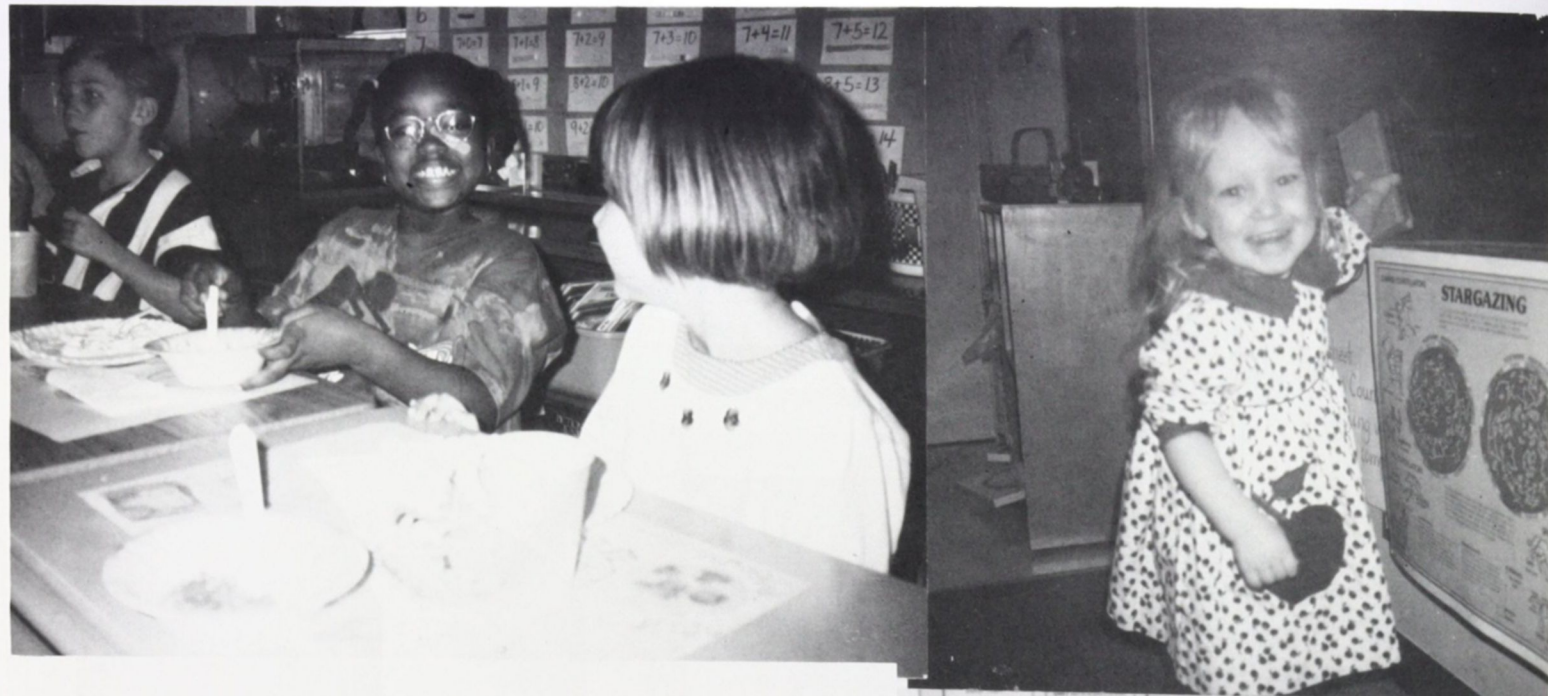


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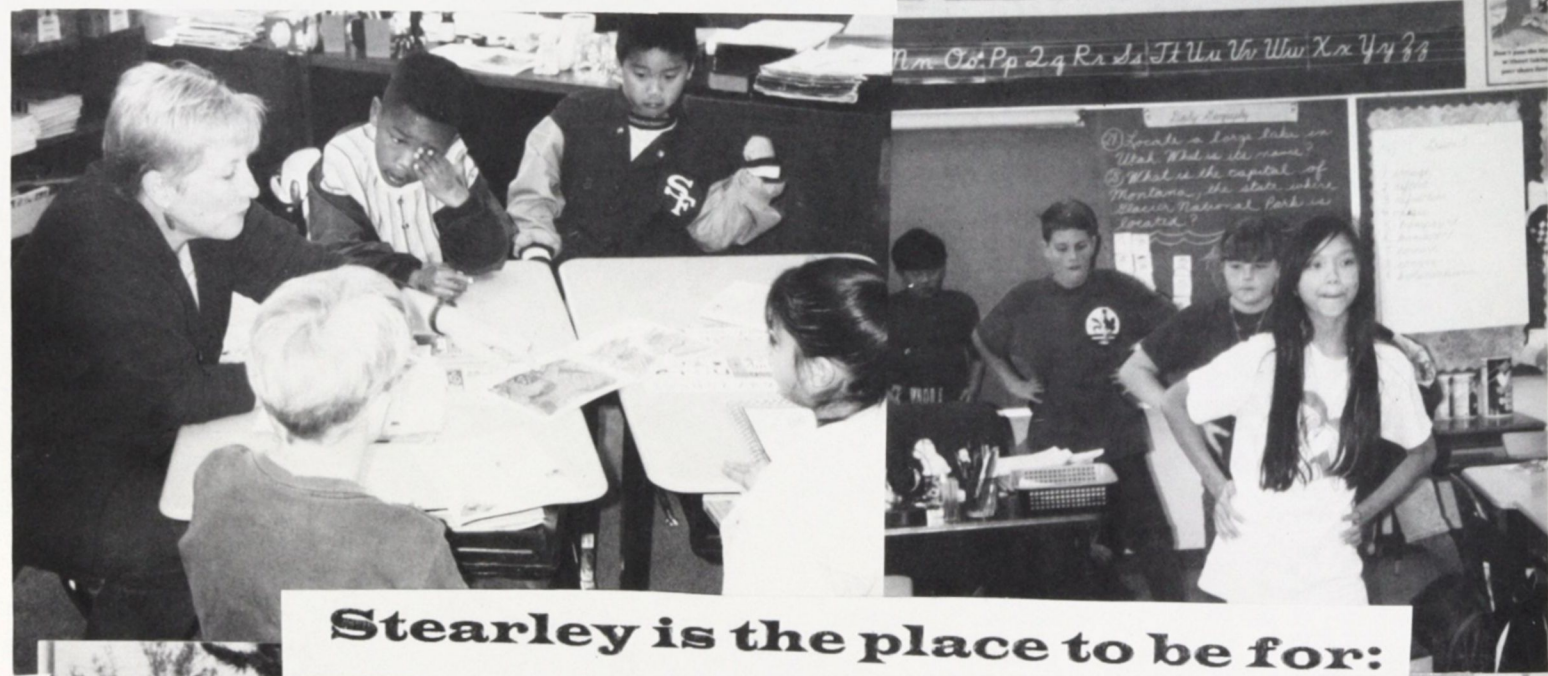


What do you like about school?





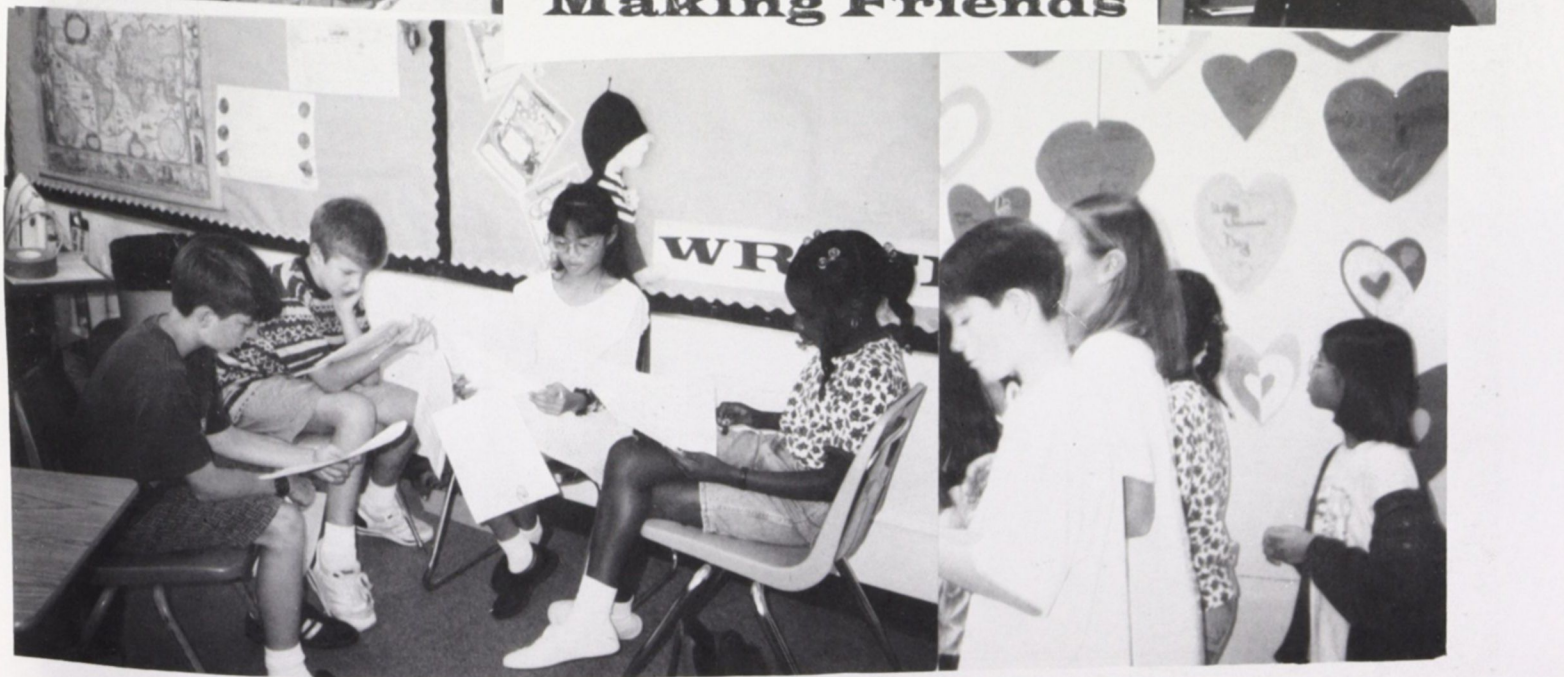
Fun!



Stearley is the place to be for:

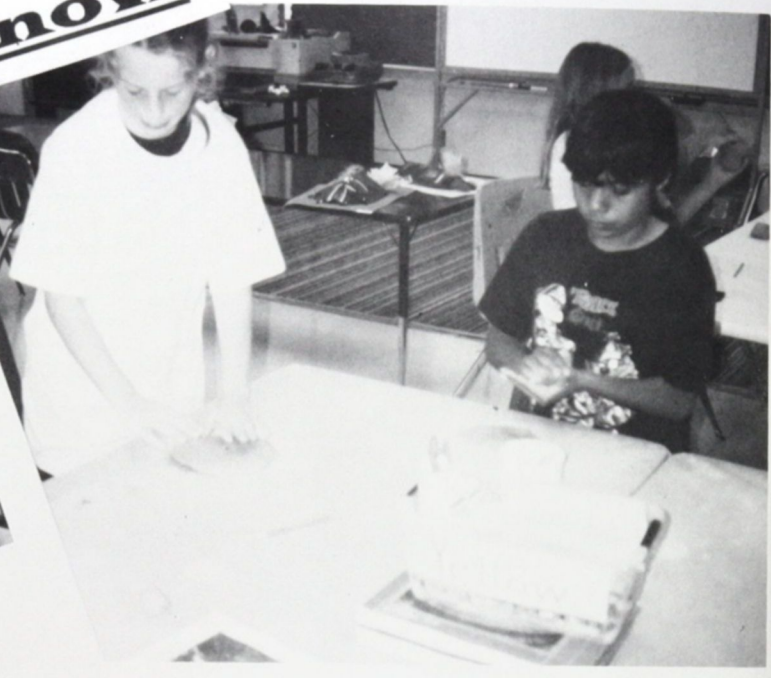


Making Friends

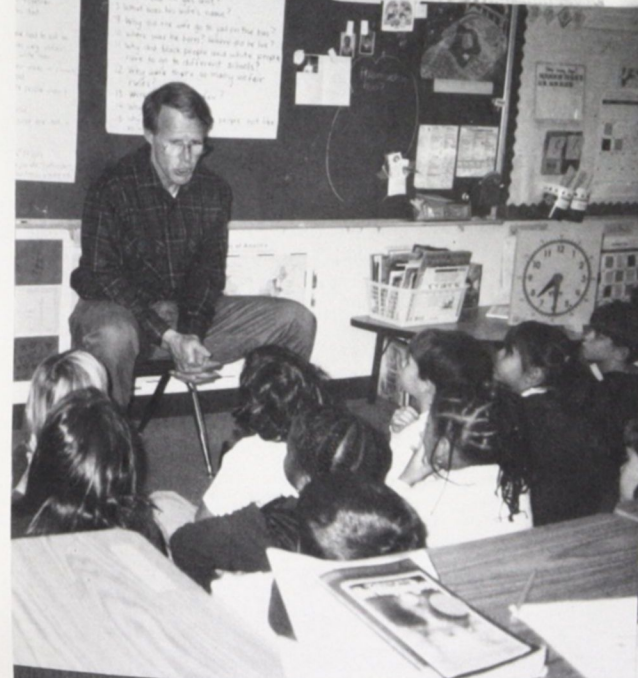
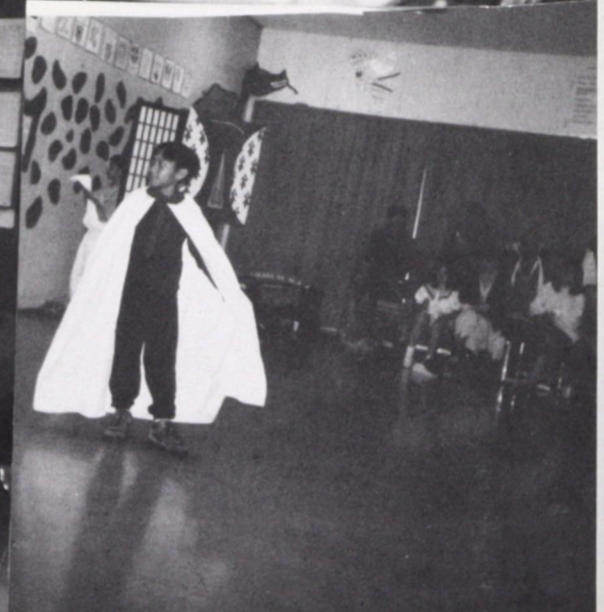


Good Things to Know

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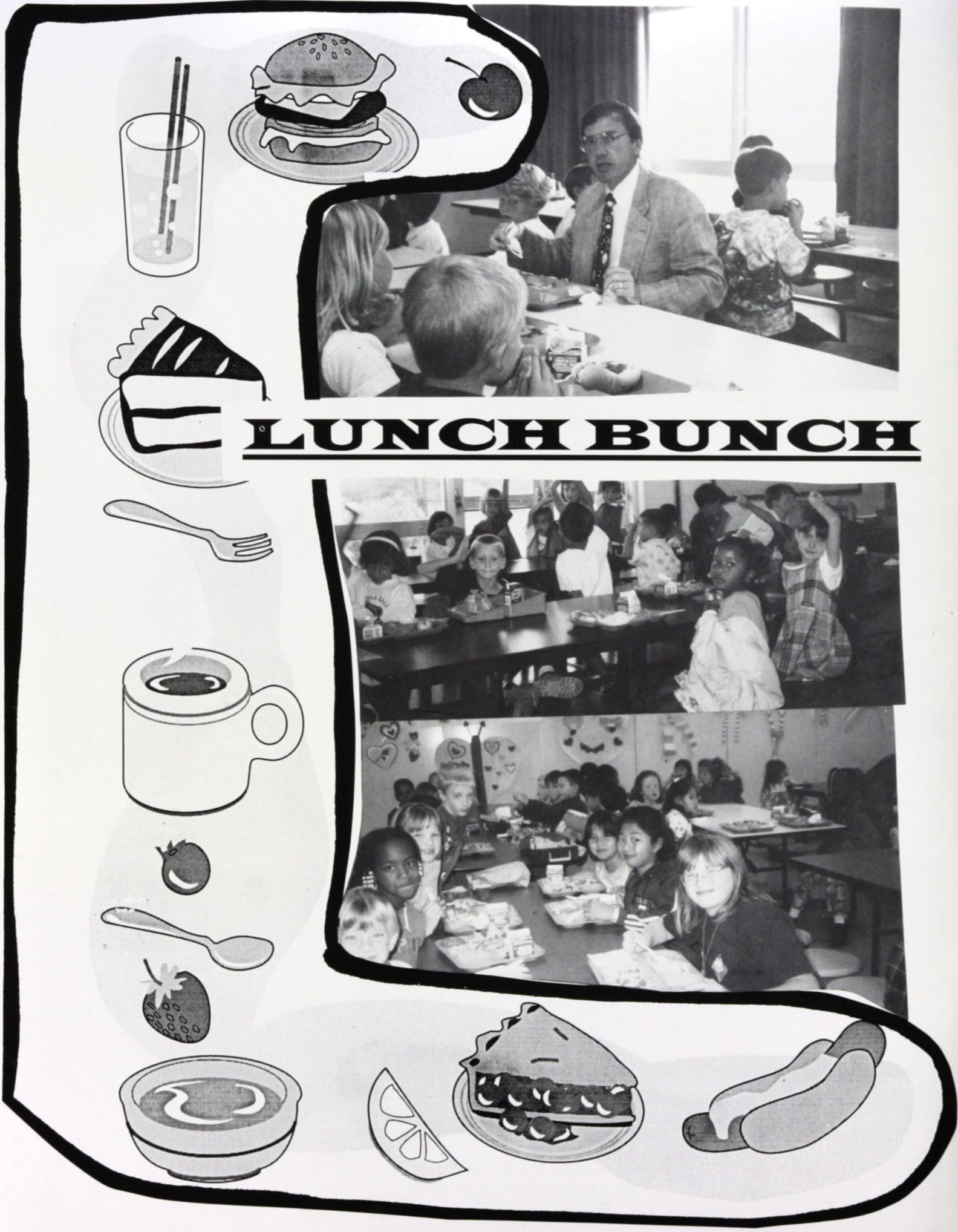


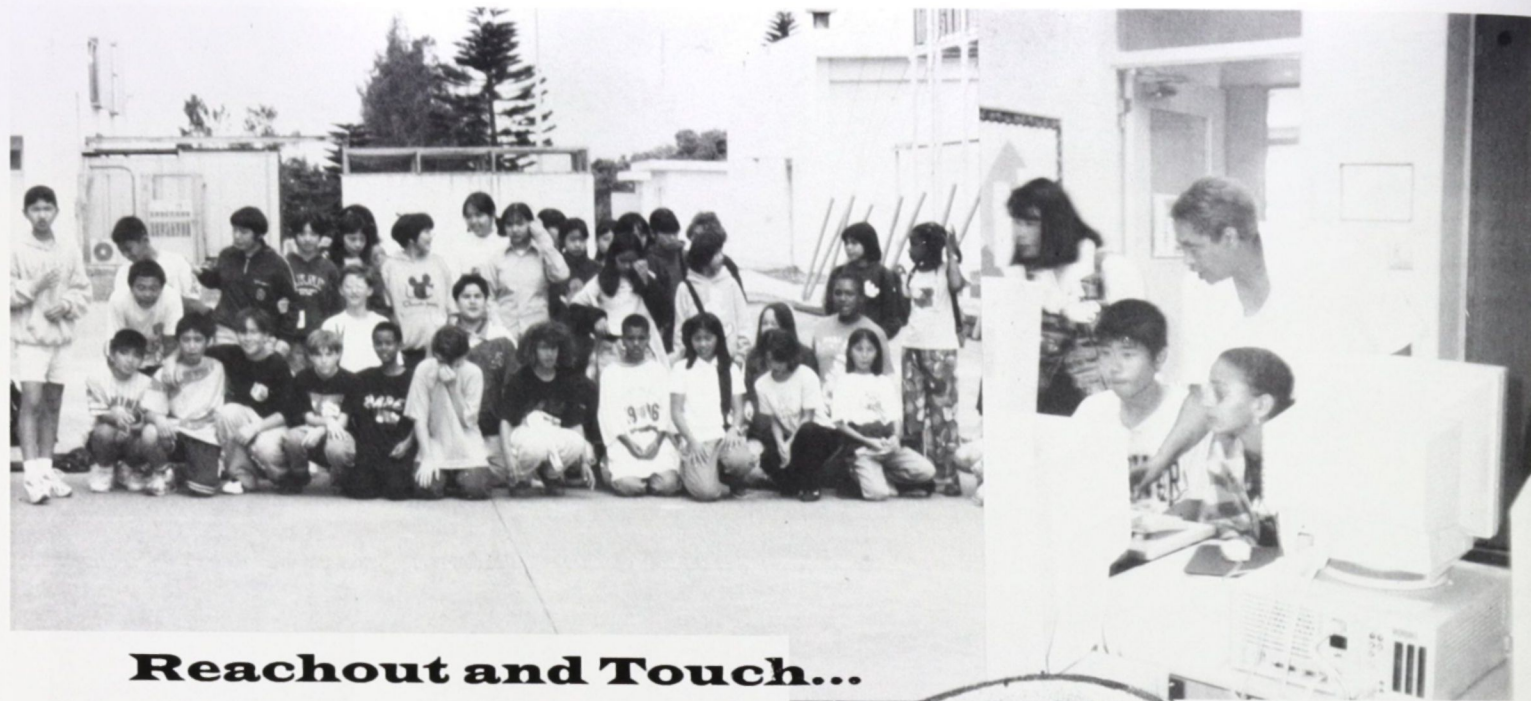


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Reachout and Touch...



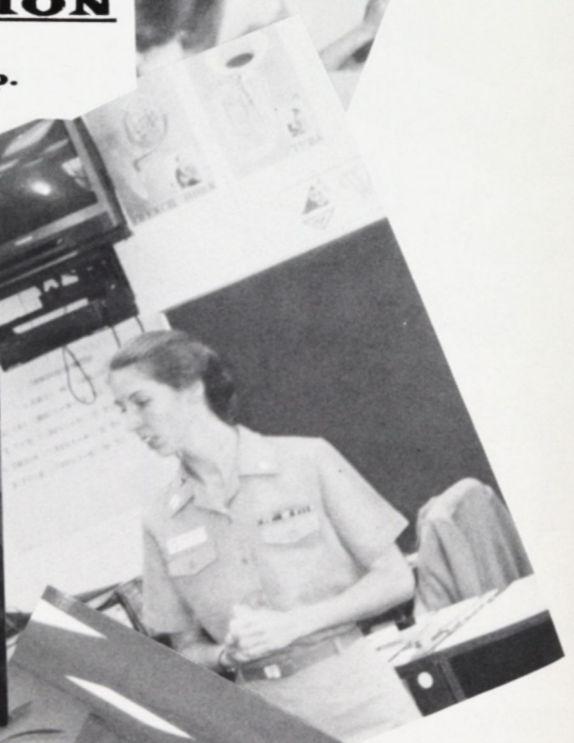
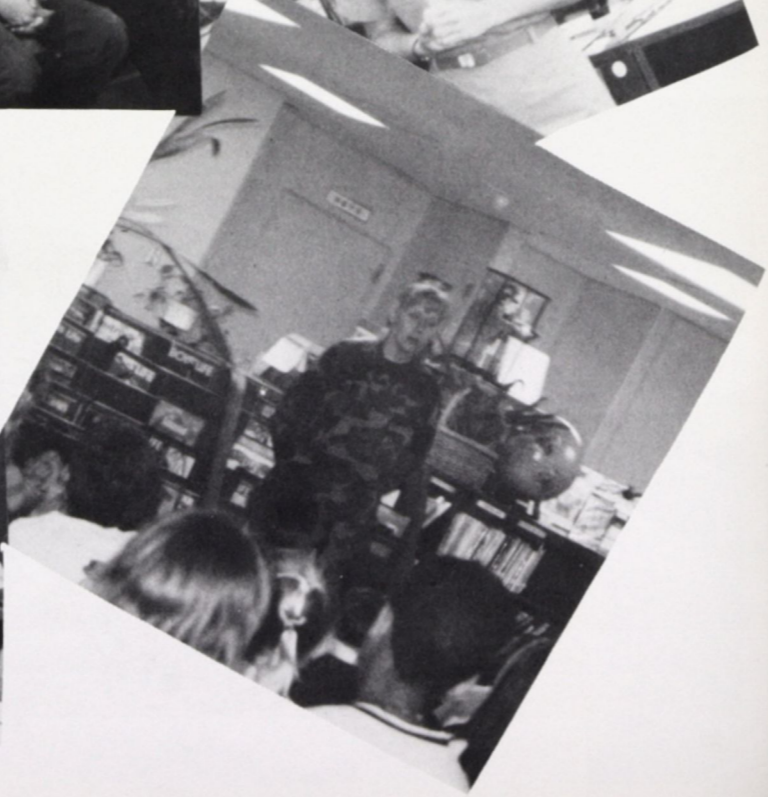
Japanese students visit.





WOMEN'S HISTORY RECOGNITION

A Fine and Long Tradition of Community Leadership.

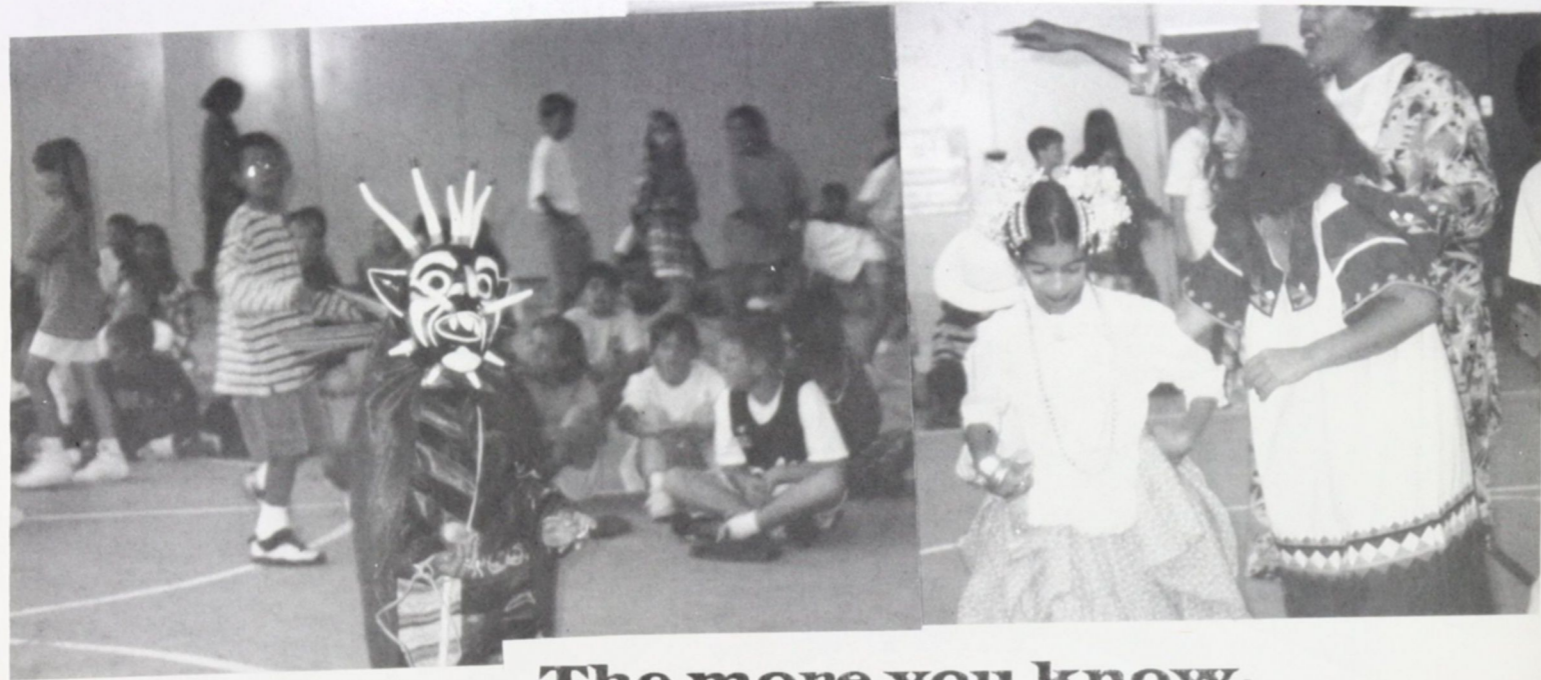


**SHES TOP TEN CAREER CHOICES-
WOMEN OF THE FUTURE**

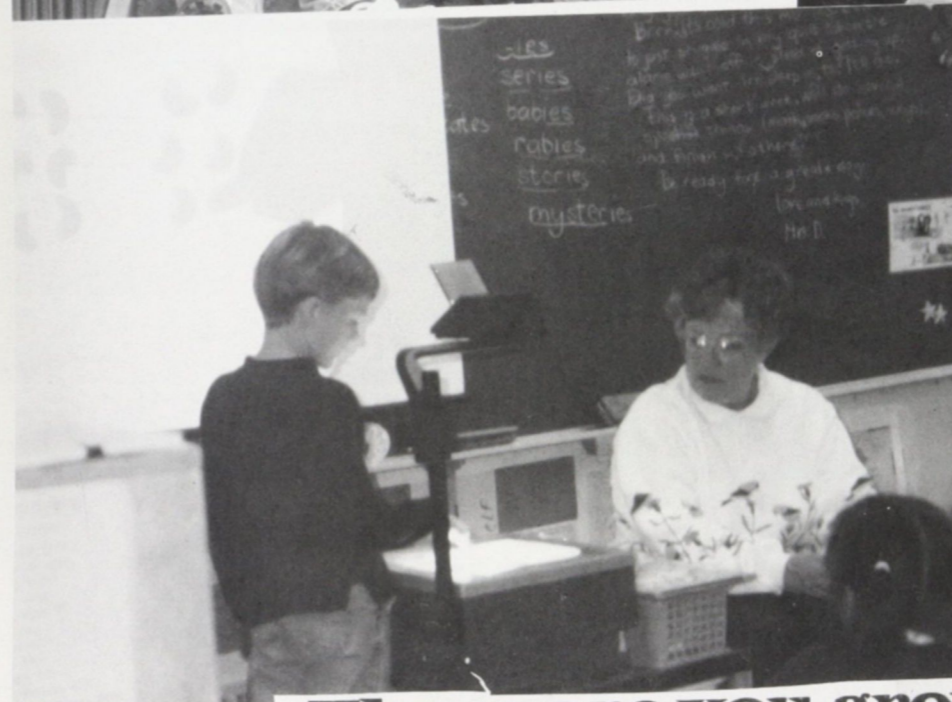
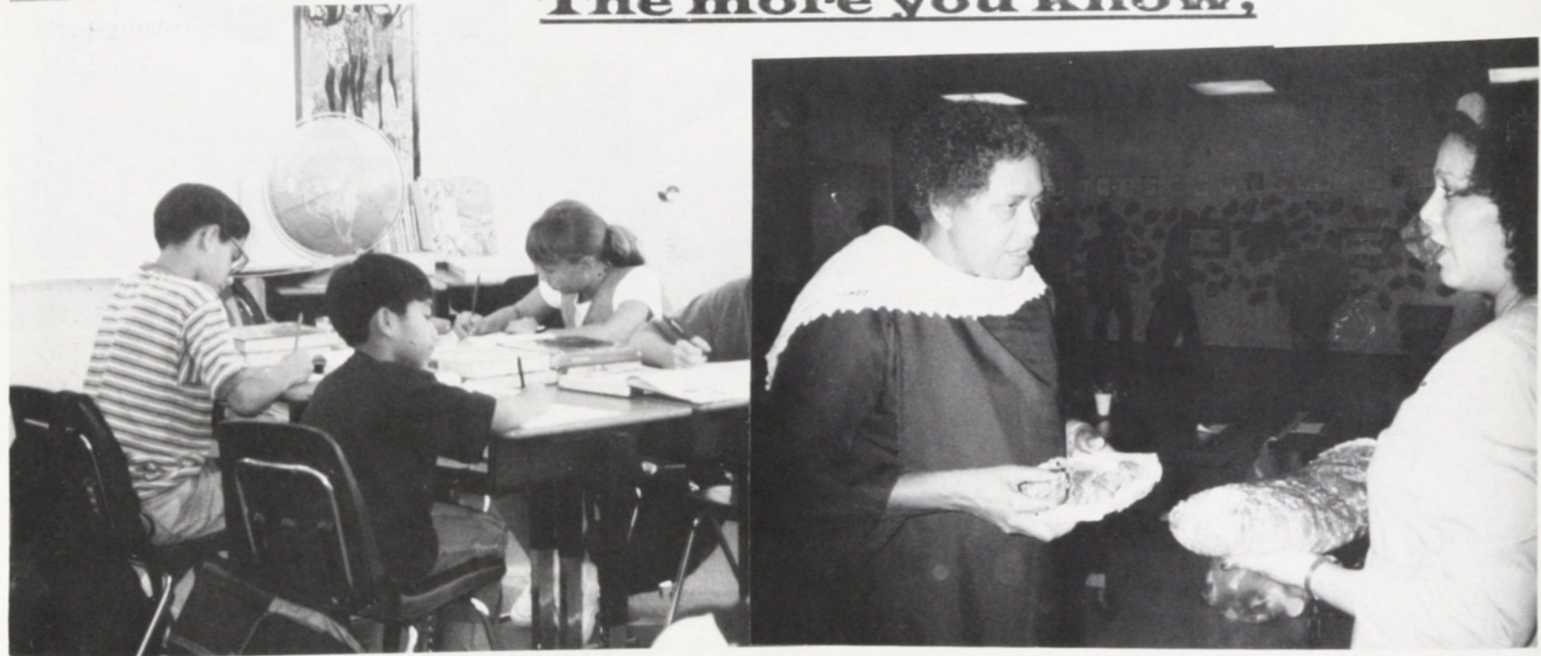
A survey of 220 girls from grades one-six suggest that girls do have definite ideas about what they'd like to be when they grow up:

1. An author, writing stories and novels.
2. An artist, creating artistic works.
3. Computer programmer, creating new software.
4. A musician performing music for audiences.
5. A manager of a kennel, caring for animals.
6. President of the United States.
7. A city detective, solving crimes.
8. An inventor, inventing new products.
9. Elementary teacher, helping young children.
10. An international tour guide, taking people to other countries.



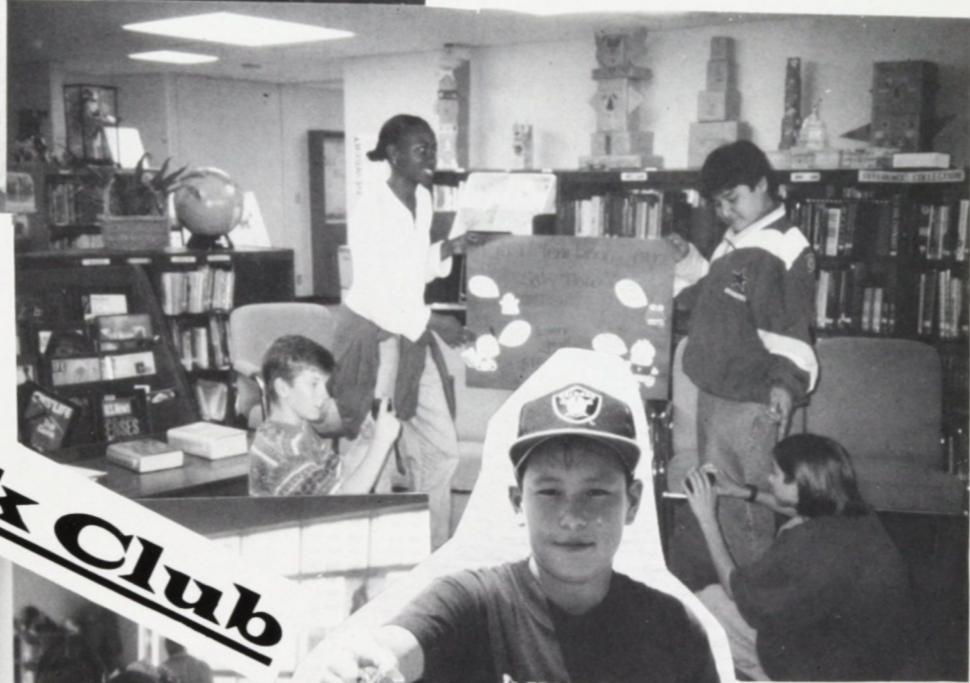


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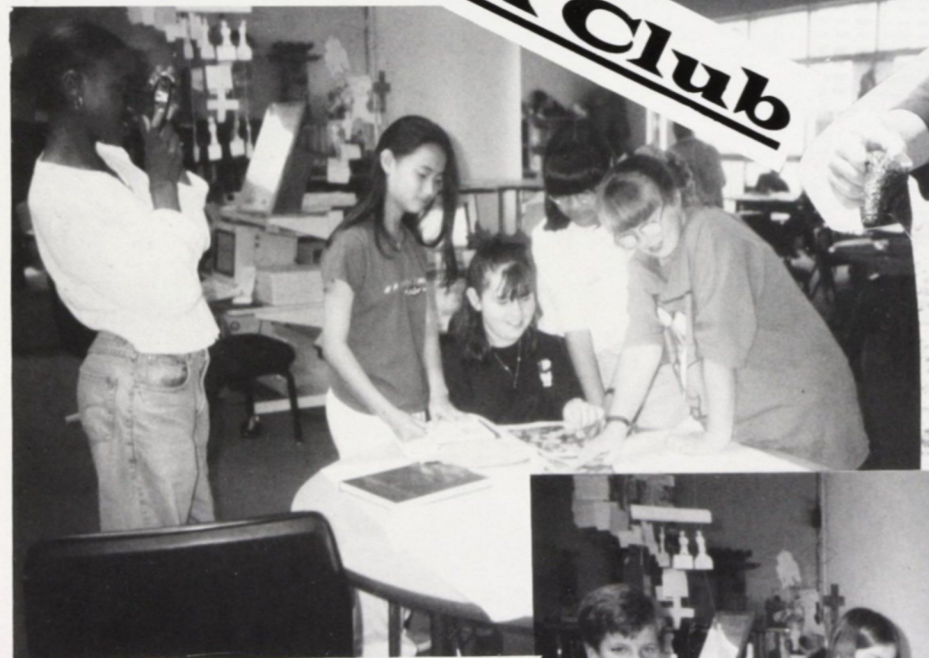


The more you grow.

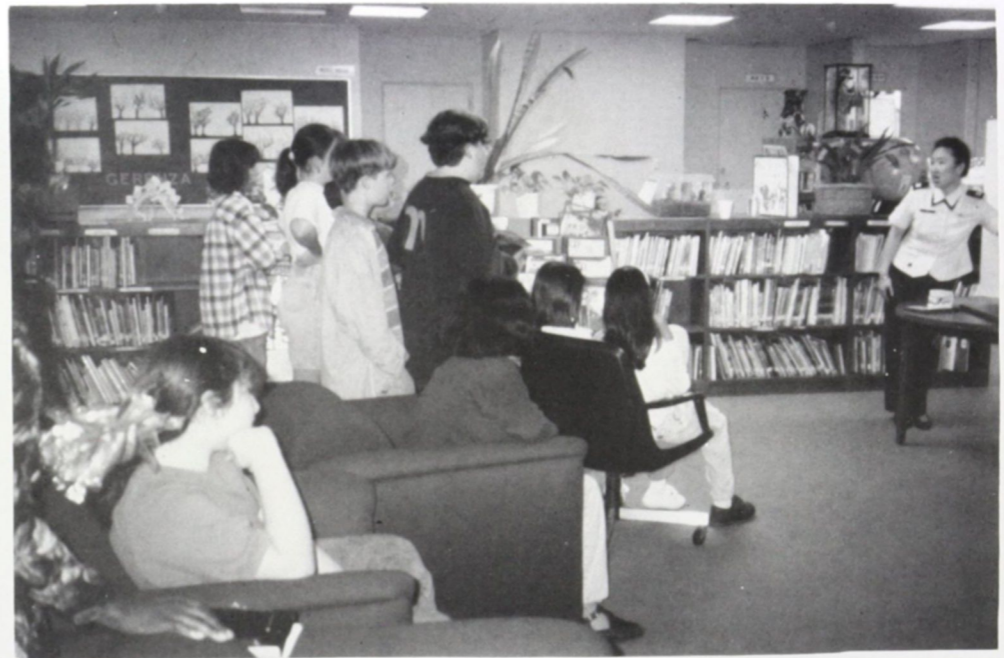




Yearbook Club



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Antonia Miller
Marykay Olaes
Jennifer Ritch
Matthew Slough
Lauren Nalepa
Mrs. Maxine Clark-Sponsor

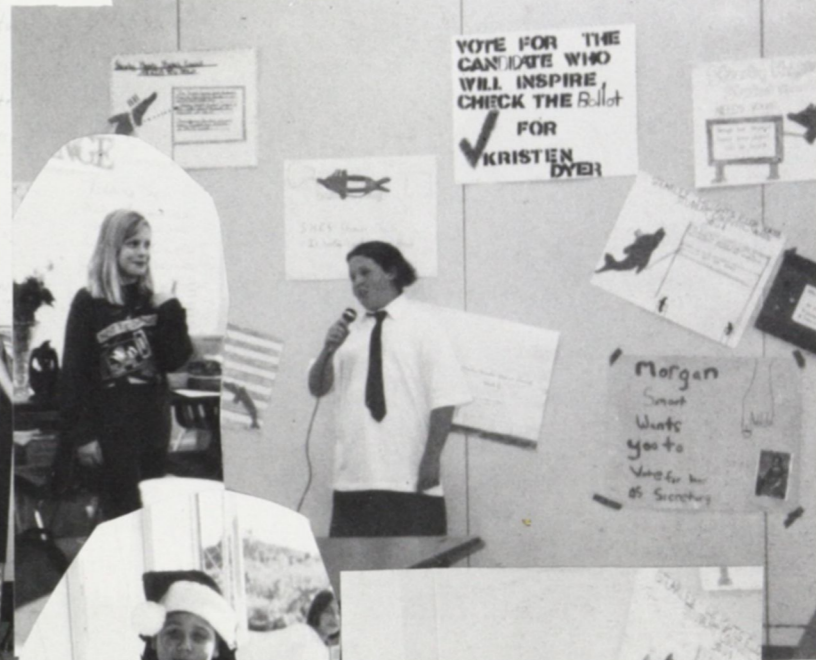
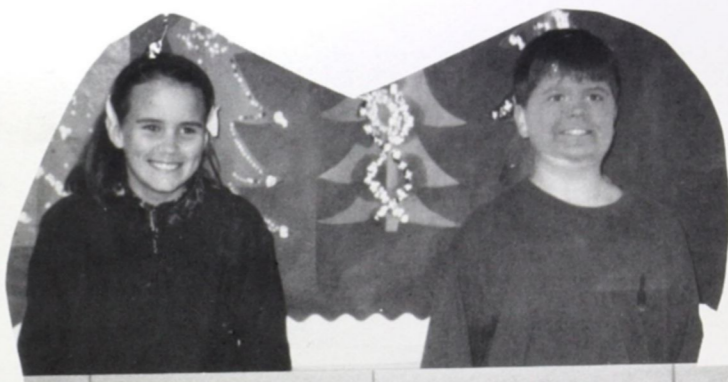


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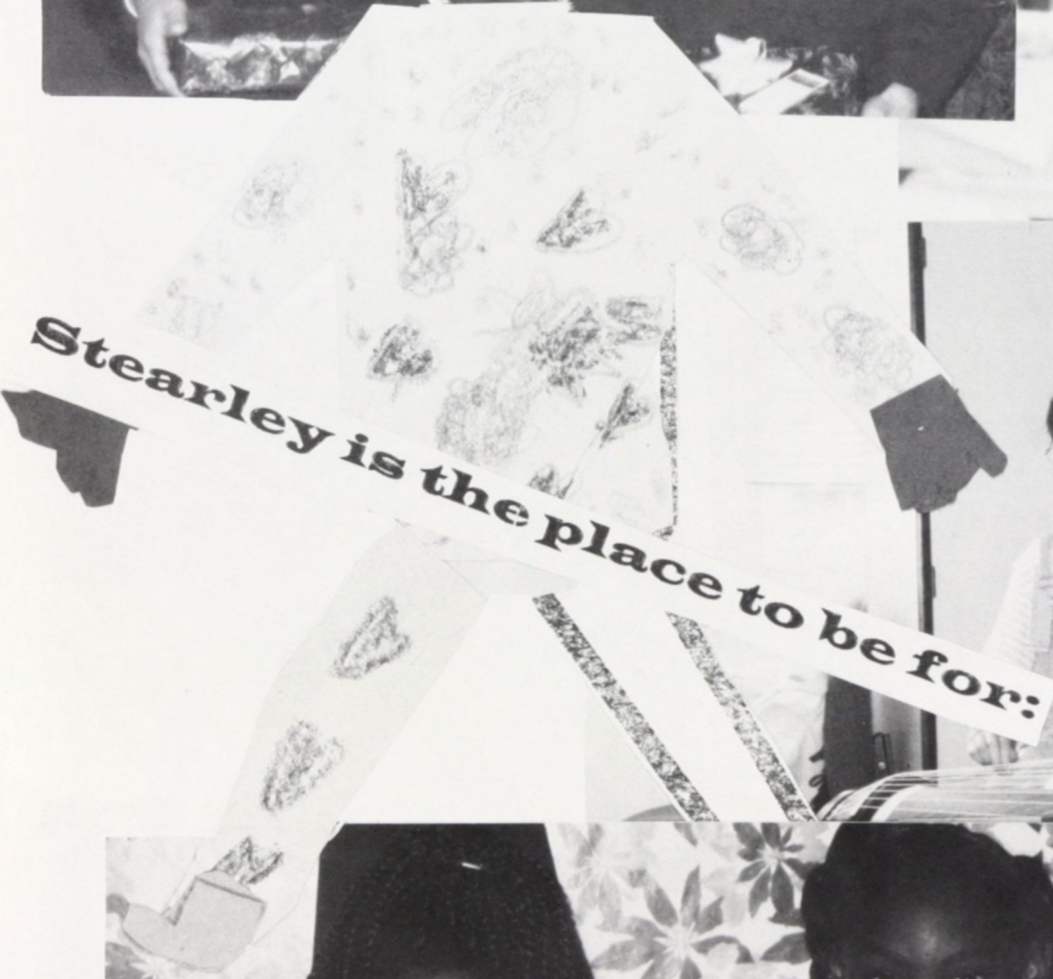


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Learning



Cultural Events

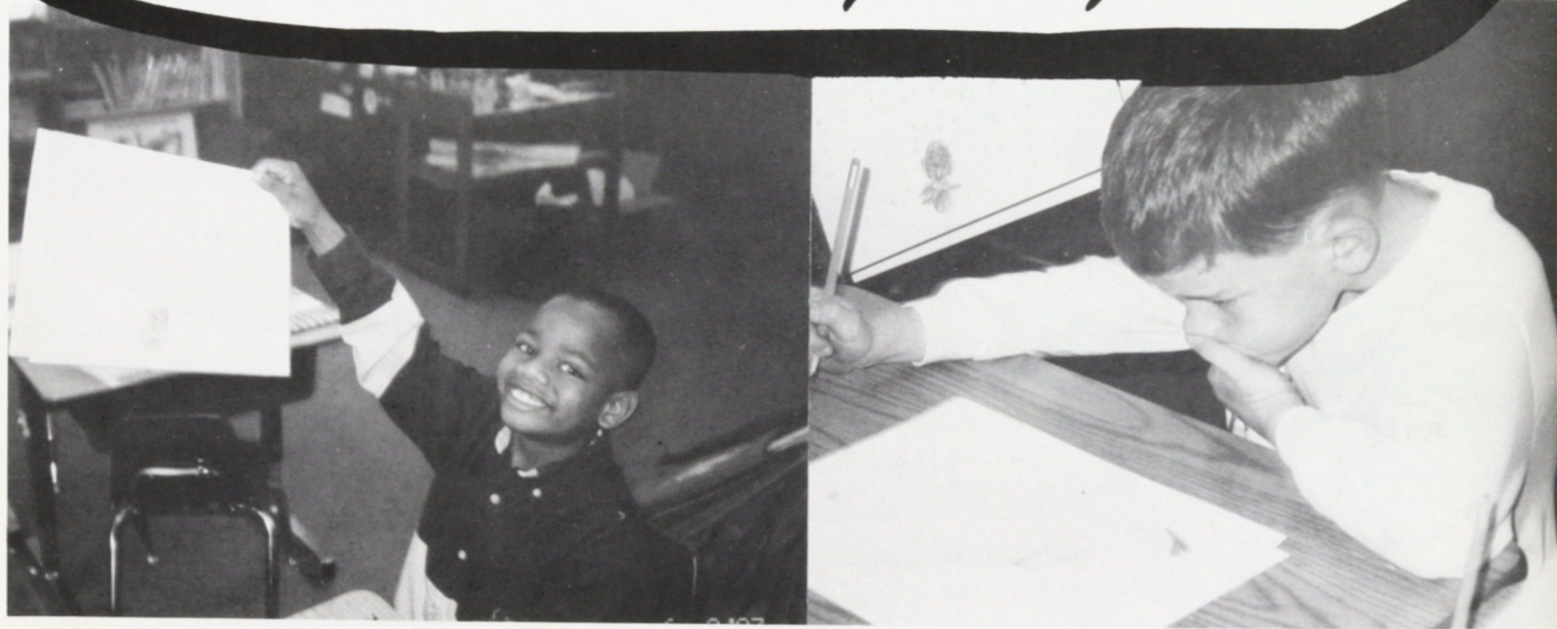


Making Friends



Fun!

One Hundred Reasons To Like Stearley Heights



You make new friend quickly- John MC Donough-6

I like the school Mascot- the dolphin!
Truth Clark-3

I like the lunch- David Naputi-3

I like math- Cory Steward-3

I love the library- Nick Zillweger-3

Recess and teachers- Jeffrey Williams-3

I like the special things we do- Lauren-6

Easy Test!- LaShawn-6

My favorite is PE and reading in the library- Rene Escobar-3

I like the computers -Angelie Ruffitt 4

We get to read - Ken Haas, kindergarden

We learn!- Jackie Inaldo, kindergarden

I really like all the visitors that come to our school- Cassandra Smith-6

IT'S GREAT! -Donald Harp, kindergarden

My friends are here!- Jessica Byrd, Gr.4

Because of the teachers.- Rachel Leatherwood, Gr.4

I love it! -Helen Brant, kindergarden

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It's fun to play with my friends at the playground!- Hayley Fish, Gr.1

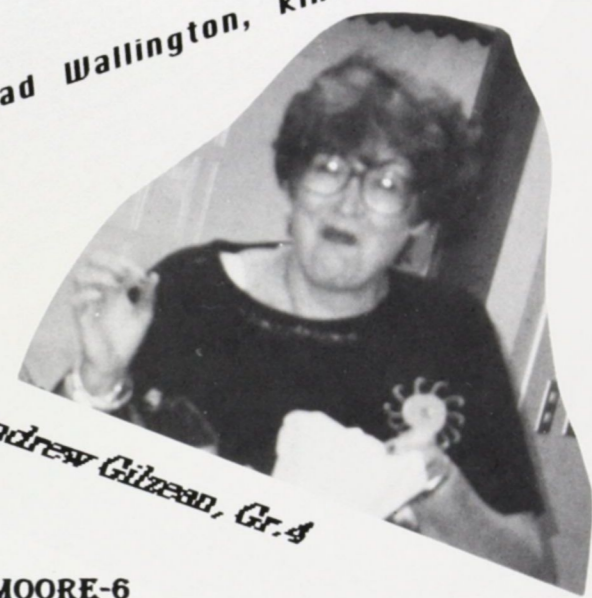
We get to do work!- Melissa Thomas, kindergarden

This school comes up with lots of ways to be kind.- Trisha-6

We have birthday parties!- Chad Wallington, kindergarden

Lots of events!- Tm Hoopes

I like the specials!- Andrew Gibson, Gr.4



It's Cool! -Jeffery

IT CHEERS YOU UP!-MICAH MOORE-6

Recess Recess and Recess- Robert Oliver-6

I get to hang out with my friends- Regina-6

It's fun-Lots of activities. Joshua-6

I like the special things we do- Lauren-6

Easy Test!- LaShawn-6

All your friends live close and we walk together.-Matt Slough, Gr.6

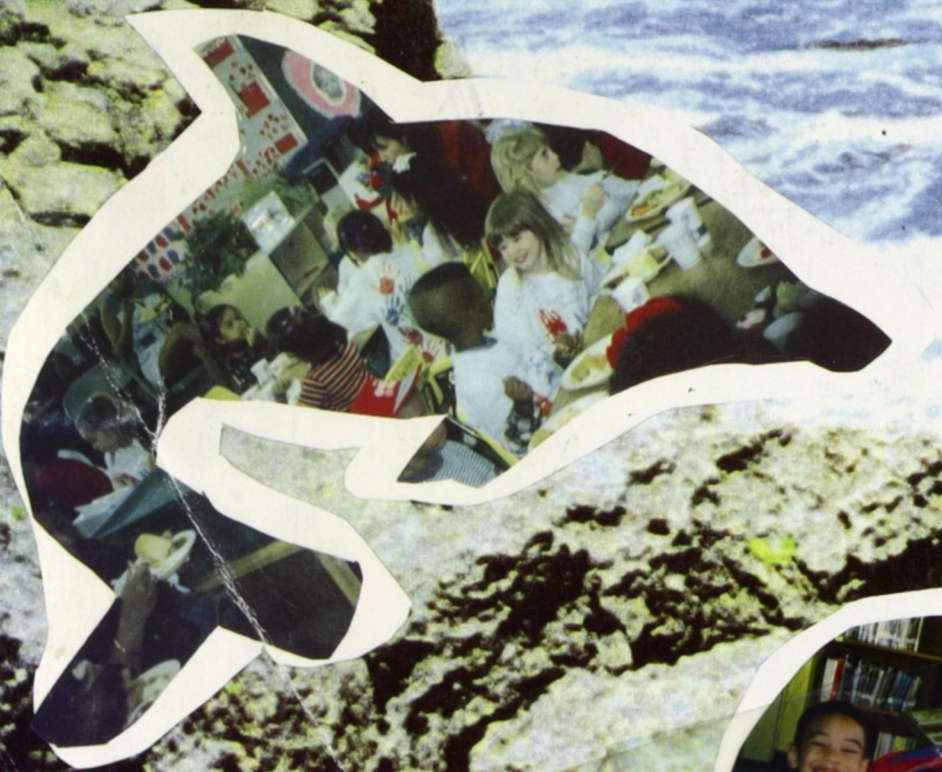
The faculty is polite- Jennifer Ritch-6



THE CHILDREN - SHES' TEACHERS

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