

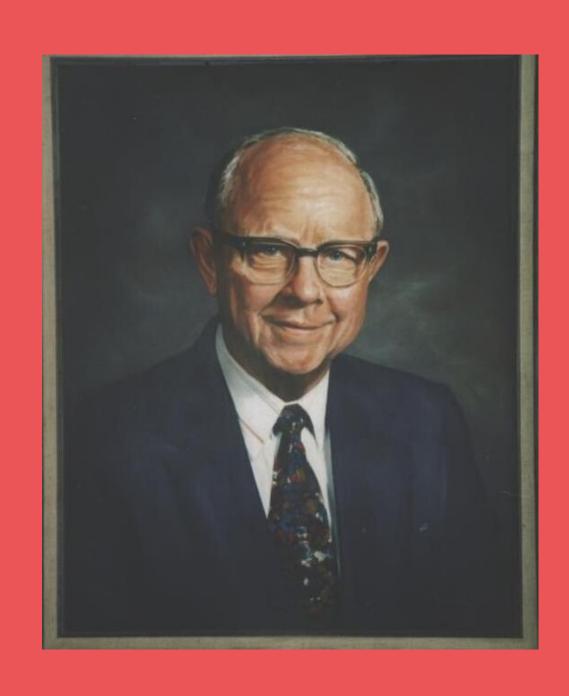
## W.W. IRBY ELEMENTARY

At W.W. Irby Elementary, today's learners become tomorrow's leaders through a stimulating child centered environment.

## WELCOME TO IRBY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL





#### **OUR HISTORY**

In August of 1992, W.W. Irby Elementary School opened its doors to students. The facility was named after one of the city's outstanding citizens and retired school principal, William Wright Irby. Mr. Irby was born about 100 yards from the school site. He began his teaching career in the Alachua area in 1952 serving continuously as teacher, coach and principal until his retirement in 1984. Although Mr. Irby passed in 2008, his legacy continues on.



# MEET OUR TEACHERS & STAFF

AN INTRODUCTION



MRS. CRONIN ASSISTANT PRINCPAL



MR. MARTINEZ
BEHAVIOR RESOURCE
TEACHER

- Caring & Compassionate
- Curriculum Experts
- Critical Thinkers
- Excellent Communicators

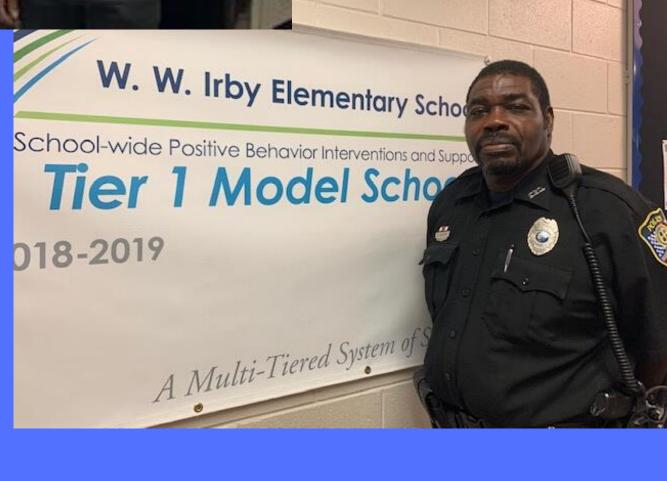
At W.W. Irby Elementary, we have a tradition of attracting and maintaining highly qualified teachers who have knowledge of the developmental stages of our young children, and have the skills to develop techniques and strategies to present curriculum to reach high academic standards with all students.

## OUR KINDERGARTEN TEAM





## STAFF













### Fun with the Arts

Art



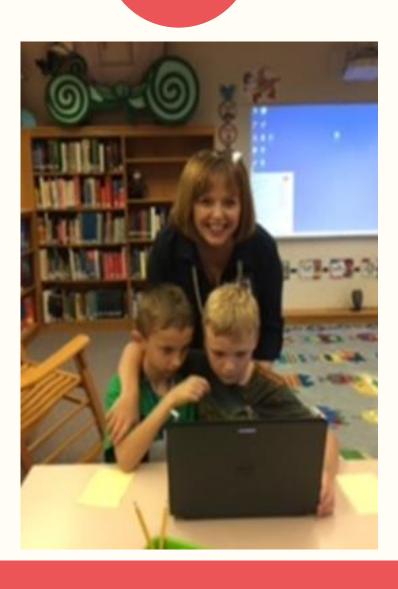
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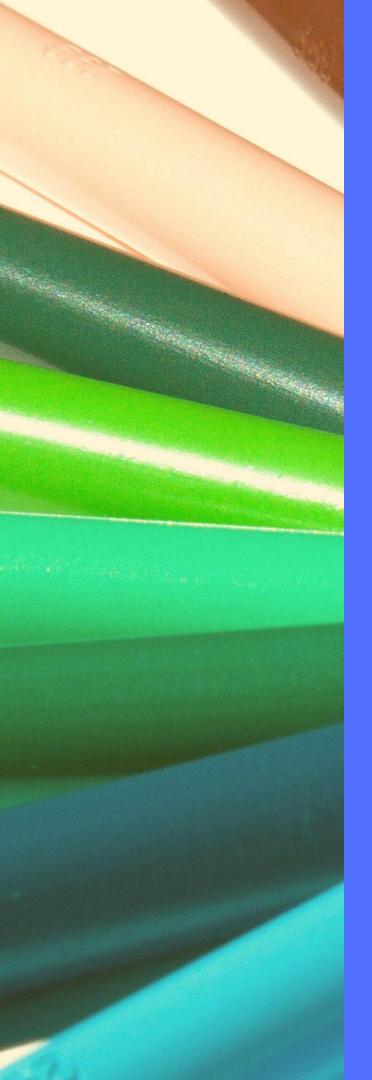


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Media





## EXAMPLE OF KINDERGARTEN DAY

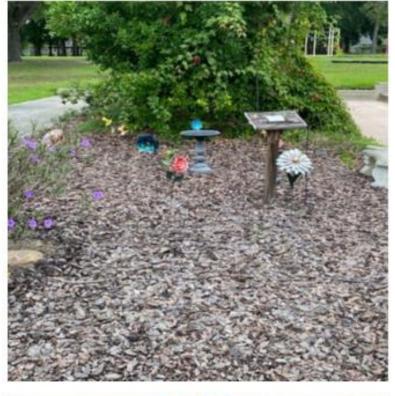
7:45-8:10- Morning Meeting
8:10-9:40- English Language Arts
9:40-10:10- Writing
10:10-10:40- Recess
10:45-11:15- Lunch
11:20-12:05- Resource (Music, Art,
P.E., Media & Computer Lab)
\*Wednesday- 12:37 p.m. Dismissal
12:10-1:10- Math
1:10-1:50- Science
1:52 p.m.- Dismissal

## Our Facility













Media and Technology: Parents and students can access a variety of resources in our Media Center. In addition to computer access in the Media Center, Irby Elementary has two computer labs and computers and interactive boards in every classroom.



Cafe: The cafeteria at Irby Elementary serves breakfast and lunch daily. We are a free breakfast and lunch school site. All students eat for free.



Recreation: As you explore our campus you will find three playgrounds that are ADA compliant, a covered basketball court, butterfly garden, reading garden and sensory paths in each building.



## WE ARE COMMITTED TO THE SUCCESS OF EVERY STUDENT!

Our Mission is to encourage each child to become a lifelong learner by performing to his or her potential in a safe, nurturing and challenging learning environment.

Our Vision is to provide a climate of strong supportive relationships and academic excellence in order to promote self-confident, capable lifelong learners.

#### We Believe:

- 1. Respect for each individual is fundamental to teaching and learning.
- 2. All children can learn given appropriate time, instruction and access to resources.
- 3. Students benefit academically in a safe, supportive and stimulating environment.
- 4. Students' learning, attendance, and behavior improve when they are actively engaged in meaningful work.
- 5. Education is a shared responsibility. It is a partnership between home, school and community.
- 6. High standards and expectations must be maintained through a system of accountability for all students, staff and schools.
- 7. Quality faculty and staff are essential to school excellence.

## EAGLE EXPECTATIONS

SAFETY

WN YOUR LEARNING

CT RESPONSIBLE

ESPONSIBILITY





## SPECIAL REMINDERS

HAVE ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS? CLICK HERE

#### **Enrollment Process**

**Enroll Your Child Today!** 

#### PTA

Check out our <u>PTA website</u> to purchase Irby gear and to learn how to <u>get</u> <u>involved</u>.



Be sure to like our Facebook Page: W. W. Irby Elementary School

### Important Dates

Meet The Teacher will be held the week of August 17th. More information will be shared at a later date.

Monday, August 24th- First Day of School for Kindergarten boys

Tuesday, August 25th- First Day of School for Kindergarten girls

Wednesday, August 26th- All Kindergarten students come to school