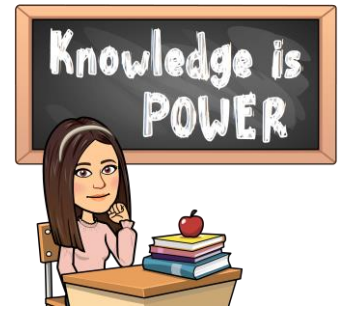


# GET TO KNOW YOUR TEACHER



Dear Parents,

I graduated from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville with a Masters in Education and an ED.S in Instructional Leadership. I have been teaching for over 20 years. My goal is that your child loves coming to school each day and that they are excited to share their love of education with the class.

I want to welcome you to fifth grade at McFadden School of Excellence. This year will prove to be exciting and challenging. We will move at a faster pace on the basics allowing us time to explore, research, and problem solve. Fifth grade ELA skills are all encompassing. We will focus an immense amount on vocabulary, grammar, writing structure and analyzing rich text and reading comprehension skills. We will cover many interesting themes like *human rights, rainforest biodiversity, civil and equal rights and natural disasters*. Your child will be enriched through project-based learning and through a variety of activities that will accommodate his/her learning style.

Thanks in advance for your support and cooperation. I look forward to getting to know you and your child this year. I want you to feel like you are a part of our classroom. Your involvement in your child's education is a priceless gift to your child. I will do my best to keep in touch with all parents concerning academic progress. Please don't hesitate to contact me anytime you have a question or concern. Thank you for sharing your child with me!

Your Partner in Education,  
Mrs. King