

# MEET THE TEACHER



Dear Families,

Welcome to the wonderful and exciting world of Preschool! I would like to take the time now to introduce myself to you and tell you a little bit about myself. My name is Mrs. N. Jackson and I've been teaching for over two decades. I have my master's degree in education and am certified in Early Childhood. I began my teaching career in 1993, fresh out of college with excitement, enthusiasm and a passion for educating our future leaders. Today, more than 25 years later, I still have the same enthusiasm, drive and determination to cultivate and mold young minds. My passion is Early Childhood and it's more than just a career for me, it's my calling. My wonderful assistant's name is Ms. Robinson and she has been with the Carnegie Family for many years. We would also like to welcome Ms. Willis to Room 120. Ms. Willis will be joining our classroom this year and will be assisting us throughout the day.

I believe that parent and teacher interactions are critical for the success of our children and I would like to establish a good rapport with you. Communication is very important to me, and I would like for you to feel comfortable reaching out to me. You can contact me through e-mail at [nrjackson@cps.edu](mailto:nrjackson@cps.edu), through text by sending the code @jewels20 to (636) 334-3201, or by phone at 773-535-0530. During dismissal and arrival times we ask that you keep conversations brief, as we must devote our full attention to the children. If you need to communicate specific information during this time a written note, text, or e-mail is preferred. You may request conferences through e-mail, a written note, phone call or via text.

You can expect to receive weekly newsletters to help keep you informed of what's taking place in our classroom. The newsletter will keep you up to date as to what your child is learning weekly, as well as informing you of upcoming events, and items that may be needed for the classroom. Please be sure to check your child's book bag for the weekly newsletter, and for homework assignments.

Thank you for entrusting your precious children with us. We look forward to an exciting school year full of exploration, successful student growth, and the establishment a safe, loving, learning environment for all!

A few of my favorite things:

My Awesome Family Gardening

Dancing

Dance Music

Jamaican Food

Writing Poems

Traveling

Fruit

Essential Oils