

# Capturing Carver

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**Vision:**

Carver Elementary School will seek to improve students' individual performances at least two proficiency levels by the year 2022 on state assessments.

**Motto:**

"Big journeys begin with small steps."

~Author unknown



## Carver's View

We are well on our way to an amazing virtual school year. The teachers have enjoyed seeing their students online, although we all wish that we could see them in person. Until that time, we are enjoying all of the interactions we are having virtually with them. The teachers have planned and provided countless lessons that are engaging and inviting for all to enjoy. The students have shown a resilience to this abrupt change which motivates our teachers to explore even more strategies to involve students and parents. This could not happen without the support of our parents entrusting us with the education of our children. We look forward to continued support from all stakeholders as we journey even further into a year of new beginnings. Remember, we are only successful if the students are successful. We will continue to get better with your assistance and support. Below are some memorable moments we have had with our students.



## COVID 19 Tips

(CDC recommendations)

1. Wear a mask when in public.
2. Stay at least 6 feet from other people.
3. Do not touch your eyes, nose, or mouth.
4. Clean and disinfect regularly.
5. Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds.
6. If you feel sick, please stay home.

## Administrator's Message

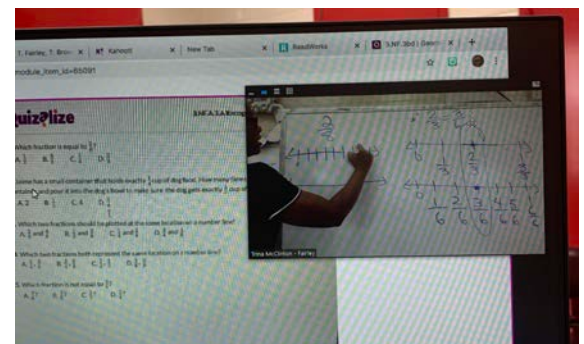
I am overjoyed to serve as the Academic Coach of Carver Elementary School. As the Academic Coach, it is my goal to provide personalized support to the teachers and promote academic achievement and student success. I will also work with the teachers to continue to motivate the students, encourage them, and provide resources that will allow them to continue to grow during the virtual learning. Guess what? I did not forget about our field trips and fun activities for this year. Although we are not physically at school, I have several virtual field trips, academic nights, and drive thru activities planned. See you Friday, October 30 for our Drive Thru Trunk or treat.

Check out the Magic School bus Virtual Field Trip to the Liberty Science Center. Take pictures and share your experience as you tour the Liberty Science Center.

<http://www.scholastic.com/magicschoolbuswebcast/resources.htm>

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## Counselor's Corner

### The History of Red Ribbon Week

Red Ribbon Week originated in 1985 when Federal Agent, Enrique Camarena, gave his life in the fight against drugs. Mr. Camarena's death touched the nation deeply. People felt his sacrifice should not be forgotten. As a result, the red ribbon became a symbol to reduce the demand for drugs. The Red Ribbon celebration give individuals the opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate the use of illegal drugs and the illegal use of legal drugs. Red Ribbon Week helps to raise awareness of the negative effects of alcohol and other dangerous and illegal drugs. Help us celebrate as we acknowledge the sacrifices made by Mr. Camarena and countless others.

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### Upcoming Events

#### *Fall Break*

*October 5-6 (Students only)*

#### *Trunk or Treat*

October 30, 2020 2:00 – 3:15 p.m.

#### *Virtual Red Ribbon Week*

October 26-30, 2020

Monday- "Wake up Drug Free"

Tuesday – "Put a Cap on Drugs"

Wednesday – "Jersey Day"

Thursday – "Back away from Drugs"

Friday – "Our School is Drug Free"

### McKinney-Vento Act

The McKinney –Vento Act is a federal law that ensures the right of students to go to school even when they are homeless or don't have a permanent address. If you have questions, please contact our counselor at

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### Monthly Attendance Rate:

%

*We strive to be 95% or higher. Be sure your child is in attendance at school and/or virtually daily.*

### "Every day Counts"

Mrs. Dorothy Hope, Attendance Officer  
for:

East Sunflower Elementary, A.W. James Elementary, Ruleville Central Elementary, Drew Hunter Middle, Ruleville Central Middle, and Thomas E. Edwards, Sr. High

Mrs. Ida Cannon, Attendance Officer  
for:

Inverness Elementary, Lockard Elementary, Carver Elementary, Moorhead Central, Robert L. Merritt Junior High, and Gentry High

## Librarian's Corner



I challenge you to read a different genre this month.

### Genres

- Fantasy
- Historical
- Biography
- Suspense/Thriller
- Mystery
- Action Adventure
- Poetry

