



Dear Families,

My name is Mrs. Beech, and I am so excited to be your child's teacher this year! We are going to have a great year together! Mrs. Austin, my Instructional Assistant, is wonderful, and she is looking forward to working with your child as well!

Even though I have taught first grade for a number of years, I still get excited about coming to school every day! I know the students will teach me something new each day, and I will teach them new things as well. No matter what level your child begins first grade at, it is my privilege and responsibility to help them progress as far as they can and to embrace this challenge.

When the children walk into our classroom, they will be greeted with "Growth Mindset" sayings displayed throughout the room. This is a mindset/culture that provides the foundation for all of our work in first grade. My desire is that you will begin to see your child saying and using these principles at home as well. Like I always say and embody, "Mistakes help us learn."

Here is a little more information about myself. I live five minutes down the road. I am married with two daughters. When I am tracked out, I love to spend time at the beach.

*Please email me at [bbeech@wcpss.net](mailto:bbeech@wcpss.net) so that I can have your email address. Most of our communication will be done via email. Thanks!*

It's going to be a great year! Welcome!

Mrs. Beech

