

Aaron Dubinsky -

Birthday: June 27
Color: Electric Blue
Candy: Sour Patch Watermelon
Mint: Butter Mint
Gum: Wintermint
Fast Food: McDonald's
Dining: Thai Taste, Thai Orchid or PF Changs
Dept. Store: Macy's
Coffee: Yes:)
Favorite flavor - caramel. Starbucks is my favorite store.
Tea: fruit type teas
Wine: Sweet white or red

Hobbies: Reading /hiking/camping Movie Theater: Regal
Charity: ASPCA
Special Dietary Needs: Gluten-free (no wheat (flour, modified food starch), barley (malt flavoring) or rye)
Other Favorites: Target & Office Depot
I do Not like: Raw onions and mustard
Misc. Comments: I have the auto- immune disorder, Celiac Disease, and I am very sensitive to gluten. I will be very ill if I consume gluten. Please feel free to ask if you have questions regarding my gluten-free restrictions - I know it can be complicated :)

Ally Boddicker - Lower EI Teacher

Birthday: March 26
Color: purple
Candy: dark chocolate
Mint: N/A
Gum: spearmint
Fast Food: chickfila
Dining: anything!
Department Store: Marshalls

Coffee: Starbucks
Tea: none
Wine: sweet white
Hobbies: sports, reading, knitting, drawing
Collections: anything Clemson
Movie Theater: Cinemark
Charity: anything with animals
Special dietary needs: none
Other Favorites: Clemson and Essential Oils

Amanda Long - Primary Teacher

Birthday: Oct. 15 Color: All
Candy: Chocolate (dark no nuts...)
Mint: N/A
Gum: N/A
Fast Food: Subway, Which Wich, Moe's, McCallisters
Dining: Hawthorne's, Pinky's, anything good
Department Store: Target

Coffee: Yes! low sugar
Tea: All
Wine: Red, white - dry
Hobbies: Dogs, movies, yoga
Collections: None
Movie Theater: AMC or Regal
Charity: ASPCA, Humane Society, WWF
Special dietary needs: Vegetarian Other Favorites: plants, desserts, animals

Amber Elder - Primary Teacher

Birthday: February 2
Color: purple or blue
Candy: chocolate
Mint: peppermint
Gum: peppermint
Fast Food: Chipotle or Bruegger's
Dining: anything - it is fun to new places
Department Store: J. Crew Mercantile, Target
Coffee: none
Tea: anything decaf
Wine: none

Hobbies: none
Collections: none
Movie theater: Regal or AMC
Charity: ThyCa, Thyroid Cancer Survivor's Association or North Mecklenburg Animal Rescue
Special dietary needs: vegetarian
Other Favorites: N/A
I do Not like....

Amira Abdelhafiz – Upper El Teacher

Birthday: January 16
Color: Aqua
Candy: Dark Chocolate-dairy free
Mint: mentos
Gum: mentos
Fast Food: Chopt- Wich wich- Juice Bar- Amelie's-Chick fila
Dining: Chopt-Yafo-any restaurant
Department Store: Target-any
Coffee: Starbucks
Tea: Starbucks

Wine: No alcohols
Hobbies: Reading-cycling-walking
Collections: Jewellery-accessories
Movie theater: AMC
Charity: None
Special dietary needs: no alcohols, pork , dairy intolerance
Other Favorites: essential oils - lavender, vanilla, grapefruit, citrus
I do Not like.... perfumes/ bath produc

Ann Palin - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Feb. 2
Color: Purple, blue, aqua
Candy: chocolate
Mint: any
Fast Food: any Starbucks Sir Eds
Department Store: Belk
Coffee: Starbucks--skim latte :)

Wine: any white and red :)
Hobbies: reading, running
Movie Theater: regal
Charity: any children's charity
Special Dietary Needs: nope

Anna Hurdle - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Jan. 21
Color: Love any color
Fast Food: Chipotle
Dining: Any place that is vegan friendly. Luna's ,
Fern
Dept. Store: Target
Coffee: Dark roasts Tea: Chai, earl grey
Wine: Yes. :) dry reds and whites

Hobbies: Reading, cooking, yoga
Collections: Scarves
Movie Theater: Manor
Charity: PRM :\$
Special Dietary Needs: Vegan Misc.
Comments: Thank you!!

Barbara Dyer - Upper El TA

Birthday: January 12th
Color: turquoise & magenta
Candy: dark chocolate w/nuts
Mint: peppermint
Gum: N/A
Fast Food: Moe's, Bruegger's
Dining: Trio, Local chefs/restaurants
Store: Pier 1, World Market, Target
Coffee: Medium roast, K-Cups
Tea: Sleepy Time Herbal

Wine: White (nothing sweet)
Hobbies: gardening
Collections: N/A
Movie Theater: Manor Theater Phillips Place,
Park Rd. Theater
Charity: Parkinson's Research
Special Dietary: N/A
Other Favorites: Panther's football, the beach,
sailing, hiking

Becky Wilson - Primary TA

Birthday: March 7 Color: blue
Candy: peppermint paddies and dove dark
chocolate covered almonds
Mint: peppermint paddies
Gum: peppermint gum
Fast Food: Roasting Company, Zoe;s
Dining: Village Tavern, Bonefish Grill, Norstrom
Cafe, Pio Pio's
Department Store: Talbots
Coffee: Starbucks mild roast

Tea: peppermint Tea
Wine: Sortesele (Santi) Pinot Grigio and Fess
Parker Chardonnay
Hobbies: Gardening, reading, walking, biking,
Collections: angels
Movie Theater: Morrocroft theaters
Charity: human society
Other Favorites: Gift Cards

Bethany Johnson - Teaching Assistant

Birthday: April 10
Colors: green and blue
Candy: chocolate
Mint: Andes
Gum: none
Fast Food: Sabor
Dining: Ru Sons
Department Store: Target
Coffee: coffee (drinks) from starbucks, coffee from TJ's
Tea: Stash Chai

Wine: fall/winter any red spring/summer Pinot, rose, prosecco
Hobbies: cycling, reading, art
Collections: none
Movie theater: Manor
Charity: Crisis Assistance/ Room in the Inn
Special dietary needs: vegetarian/pescatarian
Other Favorites: bookstores. paper skyscraper
I do Not like: pumpkin spice anything

Brittany Miller - Primary Teacher

Birthday: December 27th
Color: Light Blue (Carolina blue)
Candy: Dark Chocolate
Mint: Any
Gum: Mentos
Tea: Herbal, anything with orange or ginger
Wine: Sweet
Hobbies: Reading, Hiking, crafting, travel
Collections: books, playing cards
Movie theater: AMC
Charity: ASPCA, Stop Hunger Now, Ronald

Fast Food: Chick-fil-a
Dining: Sushi!!
Department Store: Amazon, Target
Coffee: No thank you.

McDonald House
Special dietary needs: Garlic intolerance
Other Favorites: Amazon, giraffes, essential oils
I do Not like.... raw onions, coffee, patchouli
Misc Comments: Thank you for thinking of us!

Cameshia Baldwin - Upper EI TA

Birthday: July 23
Color: blue green
Candy: gummie watermelon or sour patch
Mint: soft mints
Gum: watermelon
Fast Food: moes, benny's (pizza), smash burger
Dining: Cabo, Pinky's, and Chicken Coop
Department Store: Target, Walmart, Amazon

Coffee: mocha, caramel anything
Tea: peach or black cherry
Wine: Duplins (sweet) find at grocery store, or caruva find at total wine
Hobbies: swimming, bowling, shooting pool
Collections: n/a
Theater: amc, or epic center
Charity: United Way or A Child's Place

Candace Williamson – Music

Birthday: February 1st
Color: Blue (turquoise/aqua)
Candy: dark chocolate
Gum: no but altoids yes
Fast Food: brueggars, caribou, starbucks
Dining: Sabor, Viva Chicken, Cantina, Chopt
Department Store: Marshall's

Coffee: Yes
Tea: Lemon or Passion fruit
Wine: yes
Hobbies: N/A
Music: ukulele, concerts (indie folk, classical, indie rock, classic rock, cheesy 80's, musical theater, opera)

Carey Montgomery – Primary Teacher

Birthday: May 6
Color: all colors
Candy: chocolate
Mint: yes
Gum: yes
Fast Food: chick fil a
Dining: portofinos
Department Store: jjill
Coffee: no thank you
Tea: yes

Wine: pinot noir
Hobbies: yoga
Collections: books
Movie Theater: phillips place
Charity: iron stone lane and rescue
Special Dietary Needs: no nuts Other Favorites: pizza
I do not like: nuts or coconut
Misc. Comments: THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING US!

Cecelia McGloughlin - Upper El Teacher

Birthday: Dec. 29
Color: jewel tones - emerald, amethyst, ruby, etc.
Candy: chocolate truffles, caramel, payday candy bars, snickers
Mint: spearmint
Gum: none
Fast Food: none
Dining: Mexican, Italian, Chinese, American, I like most foods!!

Department Store: Chico's and J Jill
Coffee: Caribou - I do not like very strong coffee
Tea: Decaf - Earl Gray
Wine: Red, Red Wine, Malbec, Cab-Sav, Merlot
Hobbies: Gardening
Movie theater: any
Charity: St. Judes, MS Society
Special dietary needs: None
Other Favorites: Book Stores!!

Charlotte Fletcher – Outdoors

Birthday: January 31 Color: Blue
Hobbies: gardening
Charity: Loaves & Fishes, Catawba Lands Conservancy, Crisis Assistance
Special dietary needs: no sugar, wheat
I do not like: plastic or things that can end up in the trash or harm the environment
Misc Comments: Since I don't drink coffee or alcohol, don't eat sugar, don't eat out or go out

much, my most appreciated gifts are practical and related to cooking or gardening or for a charity. I use the Acorn Naturalist, an on-line nature related store for things for school, Rountree Plantation is my favorite local garden center and I make regular trips to Blackhawk Hardware, Lowes or Home Depot

Christine Aheron

Birthday: Feb. 23 Color: purple
Candy: twizzlers and cow tails
Mint: Andes
Gum: sugarless
Fast Food: Subway
Dining: Rusans
Department Store: Kohl's
Coffee: K-cups of interesting flavors
Tea: Arizona iced tea

Wine: yes ;)
Hobbies: reading, crochet (Amigurumi), travel, museums, art, concerts
Collections: I have weird collections of etiquette books from the 1800's- early 1900's, and miniature chairs from whenever
Movie Theater: any
Charity: March of Dimes, Habitat for Humanity
Special Dietary Needs: none

Christy Geiger – Upper El Teacher

Birthday: May 1
Color: Purple Candy: Chocolate: Any
Mint: Any
Gum: Cinnamon-flavored
Fast Food: Sabor
Dining: Heist
Department Store: Lush
Coffee: Vanilla Latte
Tea: Market spice cinnamon clove
Wine: Riesling (reds give me headaches)

Hobbies: Knitting
Collections: Yarn
Movie Theater: Any
Charity: Cancer or animal conservation, particularly elephants
Special Dietary Needs: nope
Other Favorites: I love Eco stuff, reusable, environmentally-friendly goods
I do not like: Onions
Misc. Comments: Thank you!

Cindy Elliott – EC Teacher

Birthday: 9/21
Color: Blue
Candy: anything with peanut butter
Mint: Peppermint
Gum: none
Fast Food: Chick fil A, Jason;s Deli,
Dining: Cantina 1511, 131 Main
Department Store: Walmart, Belk's
Coffee: Hot regular or Iced coffee w/ soy or almond milk
Tea: Chai Tea latte w/ soy

Wine: Cabernet
Hobbies: Reading, Swimming, trying to cook healthy meals
Collections: none
Movie theater: none
Charity: Heart Association, Alzheimers Association
Special dietary needs: none
Other Favorites: Amazon, soy candles
I do Not like.... floral scented items
Misc Comments: Thank you so much!

Cindy Noble - Lower El

Birthday: May 24 Color: blue and purple
General Likes: Anything lavender: candles, oils, incense; warm-soft socks; coffee; wind chimes; and I love reading!
Candy: milk chocolates
Wine: Red wine

Music: Dave Matthews Band
Dept. Store: Target and Marshalls Fast Food: Chic filet
Restaurants: Bonfish
Misc. Comments: Thank you for all you do!!!!

Curt Frueh -

Birthday: Oct 26
Candy: No, thank you.
Mint: No, thank you.
Gum: No, thank you.
Fast Food: No, thank you.
Dining: Pasta and Provisions
Department Store: Amazon
Coffee: Dark roasts, black
Tea: No, thank you.

Wine: dry red
Hobbies: Strategy Gaming, technology
Collections: See above
Movie Theater: none
Charity: Isabelle Santos Foundation
Special Dietary Needs: No sugar or sweeteners, no corn, low carb
I do not like...processed foods

Cynthia Stone - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Feb. 7 Color: blue
Candy: non-dairy dark chocolate Mint: sugar free
Gum: sugar free Fast Food: N/A
Dining: anyplace offering gluten/dairy free options
Department Store: Amazon Coffee: black!
Tea: green
Wine: red

Hobbies: photography, history studies, reading, music, cooking, road trips
Collections: N/A Movie theater: Regal
Charity: United Family Services Shelter for Battered Women Address: PO Box 220312 Charlotte, NC 28222.
Special dietary needs: soy, gluten and dairy free (makes my cooking hobby more challenging!)

Danielle Friedl - Lower El TA

Birthday: Nov. 25
Color: Purple
Candy: Almond Joy
Mint: Peppermint
Gum: Do not chew gum
Fast Food: Chick fil a
Dining: Chilis, Applebee's, TGIF, Salsaritas
Department Store: Kohls, Old Navy
Coffee: Pumpkin K cups (caffeinated)

Tea: Do not drink tea
Wine: Do not drink wine
Hobbies: Crochet, Cross-stitch
Collections: No Answer
Movie Theater: Regal at Ayrslley
Special Dietary Needs: Allergic to most fruits (pineapple and banana ok)
Other Favorites: Doctor Who, Disney

Debbie Webber - Asst. Principal

Birthday: Nov 14
Color: orange/rust/coral
Candy: Cadbury's chocolate
Mint: chocolate mint thins
Gum: Mint - no preference
Fast Food: PDQ
Dining: Dresslers
Department Store: Belk
Coffee: Starbucks non fat latte

Tea: Earl Grey
Wine: New Zealand Savignon Blanc (eg. Kim Crawford)
Hobbies: Shopping/gym/walking
Movie Theater: Rarely go to the movies
Charity: Breast Cancer/American Heart Association
Special Dietary Needs: None
Other Favorites: Love to shop at J Crew :-)

Denene Ray - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Dec. 2
Color: royal blue
Candy: milk chocolate with almonds
Mint: peppermints
Gum: minty gums
Fast Food: Don't like, but McDonald's is everywhere
Dining: any steak house
Department Store: Wal-Mart
Coffee: regular bold ground or keurig maxwell house french roast

Tea: herbal teas many kinds earl grey
Wine: regular sangria
Hobbies: sewing, building with wood, soap making bees, currier and ives, Movie Theater: Gastonia theaters
Charity: goodwill
Special Dietary Needs: none
Other Favorites: audible books, almonds, unusual herbs or seeds.
I do not like: Soda
Misc. Comments: Thanks for thinking of us teachers.

Diane Quinn - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Sept. 26
Color: green
Candy: dr. choc. with almonds
Mint: wintergreen
Gum: no
Fast Food: taco bell
Dining: Cantina 15ll, Hawthornes
Dept. Store: Belk
Coffee: choc. glazed donut(keri)
Tea: chai
Wine: sangria

Hobbies: sewing, crocheting, walking, READING
Movie Theater: no seldom go maybe 1x per year
Charity: CGS
Special Dietary Needs: NO chicken, chicken broth etc. I can have eggs cooked in baked goods/gluten sensitivity
Other Favorites: CHILDREN
Misc. Comments: What a great group of parents we have!!! You are all so important to the success of this program.

Gillian Baxter - Primary TA with Amber Elder

Birthday: Sept 12
Color: blues & greens & coral
Candy: dark chocolate
Mint: Gum:
Fast Food: none
Dining: VivaChicken, CO Sushi, Crisp, Amelie's
Department Store: Target, Blackhawk Hardware, Amazon
Coffee: Amelie's Cafe au Lait or Chai Latte with almond milk

Wine: Sauv Blanc, Rose, Cabs
Hobbies: reading (Kindle), yoga, gardening, crafting
Collections: N/A
Movie theater: Regal or Cinemark
Charity: Refugee Support Services, UNICEF
Special dietary needs: no dairy (lactose)
Other Favorites: Carolina Tar Heels, the Outer Banks
Misc Comments: Thank you!

Heidi Kelly - TA Lower Elementary

Birthday: Oct. 29 Color: Cobalt Blue
Candy: Sour Patch Kids
Mint: yuck
Gum: none
Fast Food: Chik-Fil-A Dining: Zoe's Kitchen
Department Store: Macy's

Coffee: Starbucks (cafe Mocha)
Tea: anything organic
Wine: most anything, low sulfite
Hobbies: YOGA, bicycling
Movie theater: Regal

Hannah Lorence – Upper El TA

Birthday: June 21
Color: Pumpkin, Lavender, Cream
Candy: Vegan Chocolate, Any vegan treat
Mint: Yes!
Gum: Xylitol
Fast Food: Whole Foods, Earth fare, Sabor,
Suarez Bakery
Dining: Yafo, Kabob Je, Thai, Vietnamese
Department Store: Gabe's, TJ Maxx, Marshalls,
Target, J Crew

Coffee: Local Coffee
Tea: Starbucks
Wine: Yes
Hobbies: Reading, Cooking shows, cooking
vegan dishes
Collections: Jane Austen, Anything
English/British
Movie theater: Regal
Charity: Charlotte Rescue Mission
Special dietary needs: I eat Vegan

Heather Ruckterstuhl - Lower El TA

Birthday: Aug. 16
Color: Green
Candy: Love! Chocolate
Mint: yes
Gum: no
Fast Food: none
Dining: Fern
Dept. Store: Target
Coffee: Love! Starbucks, Caribou, Dilworth
Tea: Like.

Wine: Love! Malbec
Hobbies: running, biking, hiking, knitting,
reading, gardening Collections: I strive to live
'stuff free' Movie Theater: Park Terrace Charity:
Dilworth Soup Kitchen, Friendship Gardens,
Trees Charlotte Special Dietary Needs: fish
eating vegetarian = pescatarian
Misc. Comments: I am grateful for all of the kind
deeds and thoughtful gestures that parents and
our PTO does for the staff at PRM.

Irene Salema - Primary TA

Birthday: April 17
Color: green Candy: none
Mint: none
Gum: none
Fast Food: Jason's
Dining: No Answer
Department Store: Target

Coffee: vanilla flavored
Tea: cinnamon
Wine: none
Hobbies: running, yoga, reading
Collections: none
Movie Theater: No Answer
Charity: Feed Charlotte's Homeless

Janet Simpson - Primary TA

Birthday: Oct. 6
Color: bright pastel colors
Candy: zero
Mint: peppermint
Gum: extra
Fast Food: subway
Dining: olive garden
Department Store: belk Coffee: n/a

Tea: green tea (snapple)
Wine: moscato (white)
Hobbies: reading, knitting, and cooking
Movie Theater: mac
Charity: I do not have one at the moment
Other Favorites: love water, spicy hummus, jolly ranchers, flowers
I do not like: very fussy about food

Jean Wren - Lower El TA

Birthday: June 2
Color: purples, pinks, brown
Candy: chocolate or Starbursts, especially orange or yellow.
Mint: Altoids, Icebreakers; various flavors
Gum: no, thank you, please
Fast Food: Chic-Fil-A, Taco Bell
Dept. Store: Target
Coffee: Neumans Own Special Blend BOLD k-cup (black); soy caramel macchiato as a treat

Tea: iced sweet tea occasionally, but usually water
Wine: not often, but Pilot Mountain white muscadine
Hobbies: crochet, camping
Movie Theater: Regal or anything showing Dr. Who
Charity: campCARE.org ;
RainbowOfHeroeswalk.org; Invest in your Child
I do not like: jelly beans that are not black;
Doritos of any sort

Jennifer Anderson - Upper El TA

Birthday: July 27
Color: Purple
Candy: Reese's peanut butter cups
Mint: I hate mint
Gum: I don't like gum either
Fast Food: Chick fil A
Dining: Any Indian restaurant
Dept. Store: Macy's
Coffee: I don't like coffee
Tea: Earl Gray

Wine: I don't drink wine
Hobbies: Sewing, reading, playing Magic and board games
Collections: Rosaries
Movie Theater: Regal
Charity: Food for the Poor
Special Dietary Needs: Allergic to avocado, avoid bread and pasta
I do not like: Lemon flavored foods

Jennifer Hurlburt - Media Specialist

Color: blue
Candy: chocolate
Gum: Orbit
Fast Food: Jason's Deli
Dining: 131 Main
Dept. Store: Target

Coffee: Starbucks
Wine: Yes!!
Hobbies: reading
Movie Theater: Regal
Charity: Epilepsy Foundation

Jennifer Moore - Talent Development

Birthday: Jan. 16
Color: red
Candy: m&ms
Mint: any
Gum: cinnamon
Fast Food: Jason's Deli
Dining: Mellow Mushroom or Brixx
Dept. Store: Sears (Land's End)

Coffee: vanilla soy latte (Starbucks)
Tea: lemon
Wine: cabernet -sauvignon
Hobbies: reading
Movie Theater: AMC
Charity: Loaves and Fishes
Special Dietary Needs: no meat, no dairy

Jennifer Stallings - Primary TA

Birthday: March 10
Color: Blue
Candy: Chocolate
Mint: Yes!
Gum: No thanks
Fast Food: McDonalds, for my Diet Coke treat each day
Dining: McAllisters all the time!
Dept. Store: Nordstrom and Banana Republic
Coffee: No thanks
Tea: No thanks you

Wine: Red, Shiraz
Hobbies: I like to run and garden
Collections: Anything butterfly or tree related
Movie Theater: Regal Cinemas
Charity: Hough Marching Band, for William A. Hough or A Giving Spirit Foundation
Special Dietary Needs: None
Other Likes: Diet Coke!
Misc. Comments: Thank you for caring and I am lucky to be a part of such a loving and supportive community!

Jenny Whitney - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: May 16
Color: Blue
Candy: Chocolate
Mint: All
Gum: Peppermint
Fast Food: Amelie's or Viva Chicken
Dining: Sir Ed's
Dept. Store: Target

Coffee: Skinny Vanilla Latte
Tea: Kava, Stress Relief
Wine: Malbec or Rose
Hobbies: Camping
Collections: Russian Nesting Dolls
Movie Theater: AMC
Charity: St. Peter's Episcopal Church
Special Dietary Needs: Gluten Free

Jill Owens - Primary TA

Color: Yellow
Candy: No Answer
Mint: Butter mints
Gum: Spearmint
Fast Food: Brueggers
Dining: Brixx
Department Store: REI
Coffee: Caribou

Tea: Peppermint
Wine: Red
Hobbies: Reading, hiking, and ukulele
Collections: College t-shirts
Movie Theater: Arsely
Charity: Dilworth Soup Kitchen
Other Likes: Huskies

Jocelyn Hightower - Upper El Teacher

Birthday: Sept. 29
Colors: neon colors
Candy: sour patch kids/sour gummy candy
Mint: Regular peppermint
Gum: Trident
Fast Food: Chick Fila
Dining: Mac's speed shop

Department Store: Dick's/Foot locker/Finish
Line/ Foot Action
Coffee: none
Tea: Green Tea
Wine: none
Hobbies: working out/hanging with friends
Movie Theater: AMC
Charity: Give to anything that needs it.

Karen Fletcher - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: March 15
Color: purple
Candy: Hershey Kisses, Heath Bars
Mint: any that work!
Gum: Eclipse
Fast Food: Chik Fil A or Zaxbys
Dining Room: Pizza Peel, Brixx, Red Rocks,
Panera
Dept. Store: Nordstrom or Nordstrom Rack,
Macy's
Coffee: Starbucks any unsweetened type, no
cream

Tea: flavored green tea
Wine: white
Hobbies: reading, running
Movie Theater: Park Road, Phillips Place, Crown
Point
Charity: Samaritan's Feet
Special Dietary Needs: none, I am trying to
avoid sugar
Misc. Comments: Thank you! You all take such
great care of us

Katherine Grier – Lower El TA

Birthday: August 28th
Color: Green
Candy: Twix
Mint: Altoids
Gum: Orbit
Fast Food: Chick-fil-A
Dining: Zoe's Kitchen
Department Store: Target

Coffee: Dunkin Donuts Iced Coffee
Tea: Green Tea
Wine: Red-Cabernet, White-Sauvignon Blanc
Hobbies: Being outside, love the water, sports
Collections: N/A
Movie theater: AMC 22
Charity: Alzheimer's Foundation
Special dietary needs: Vegetarian

Katie Weed – TD

Birthday: August 14
Color: Purple
Candy: dark chocolate
Mint: wintergreen
Gum: wintergreen
Fast Food: Salsaritas, Chipotle
Dining: Any
Department Store: Target
Coffee: Any

Tea: Any
Wine: white
Hobbies: music, gardening, reading
Collections: I like plants
Movie theater: any
Charity: Benefit children
Special dietary needs: none
I do Not like.... strong floral scents

Kellie Clow – Primary TA

Birthday: July 27
Color: Teals, blues
Candy: Dark chocolate
Gum: Extra Watermelon
Fast Food: Moes. Chick Filet
Dining: 131Main
Dept. Store: Target, Dillard's, REI
Coffee: Regular
Tea: Green
Wine: No thanks! I like beer and bourbon on occasion.
Hobbies: Spinning, cycling, working out, yoga, kayaking, gardening

Movie Theater: AMC
Charity: Stroke association , Parkinson's foundation, food banks
Special Dietary Needs: Low sugar, salt, and fat
Other Likes: UNC football and basketball, Panthers, travel
I do not like: Perfumed products
Misc. Comments: PRM PTO and families are the best! I appreciate all you do to show your appreciation. It's a joy to work here with your children.

Kim Bates - Upper El TA

Birthday: February 19
Color: blue
Candy: anything with chocolate and peanut butter
Mint: no
Gum: no
Fast Food: CFA, Panera, pizza
Dining: Viva Chicken, Duckworths, Moosehead, various places around Park Rd Shopping Center/Montford
Department Store: Target, Amazon
Coffee: Yes, dark roast, Caribou is my favorite coffee shop - Caramel High Rise is my fave

Tea: yes
Wine: white
Hobbies: reading, hanging out with my 3 year old
Collections: no
Movie theater: Ayrslay Grand, Fandango
Charity: National Kidney Foundation, KinderMourn
Special dietary needs: No sushi, pomegranate, or grapefruit
Misc Comments: Thanks

Kimberly Riddle - Literacy Specialist

Birthday: Nov. 72
Color: Pink
Candy: All Types
Mint: Yes
Gum: Yes
Fast Food: All Restaurants No Preference.

Dining: All
Dept. Store: All Stores
Coffee: YES
Tea: yes
Wine: yes

Kristine Mahoney -

Birthday: Aug. 7th
Color: blue, rainbow, sparkles
Candy: dark chocolate, skittles
Mint: Peppermint
Gum: yes
Fast Food: chick-fil-a
Dining: McAlister's, Asian
Dept. Store: x
Coffee: love it
Tea: chai

Wine: Chianti
Hobbies: camping, hiking, live music, READING
Movie Theater: during breaks
Charity: Catawba River Keepers
Dietary Needs: allergic to brazil nuts
Other Favorites: essential oils, nail polish,
earrings, hats and scarves
Comments: What a great group of parents and
welcoming community

Larry Davis - Custodian

Birthday: April 9
Color: Navy blue
Candy: Snickers
Mint: Soft peppermint
Gum: Juicy Fruit
Fast Food: Chick-fil-a
Dining: Red Lobster
Dept. Store: JC Penny

Coffee: Maxwell
Tea: Mint tea Wine: none
Hobbies: fishing and boating
Movie Theater: DVD movies
Charity: Goff St. Outreach Ministry
Other Favorites: Traveling, working on cars,
wood working

Laura Slesinger - Administrative Secretary

Birthday: July 17
Color: green; coral
Candy: dark chocolate
Mint: peppermint
Gum: peppermint
Fast Food: Chick-fil-A
Dining: Cafe Monte
Dept. Store: Belk

Coffee: Dark roast
Tea: Chai or Mint Herbal
Wine: Pinot Grigio (or anything white!)
Hobbies: Crossword puzzles; yoga
Movie Theatre: Ballantyne Village
Charity: Humane Society

Leah Roop – Speech-Language Pathologist

Birthday: June 14th
Color: Blue
Candy: Haribo Gummy Bears
Mint: Andes
Gum: Eclipse Spearmint or Peppermint
Fast Food: Chik-Fil-A and Chipotle
Dining: Brixx, YAFO, Village Tavern
Department Store: Belk or Nordstrom
Coffee: N/A

Tea: Chai Tea
Wine: Pinot Noir
Hobbies: Travel, Gym, Tennis
Collections: N/A
Movie theater: Phillips Place
Charity: St. Jude
Special dietary needs: N/A
Misc Comments: Thank You!

Leslie Alexander - Lower El TA

Birthday: Sept. 25
Color: pink
Candy: Kit Kat, Snickers, Twix (Did someone say chocolate?)
Mint: Peppermint with chocolate
Gum: Orbit
Fast Food: Wendy's Chick-fil-A
Dining: China Buffet in Pineville
Dept. Store: Kohls

Coffee: I usually like a little coffee with my French Vanilla :)
Tea: No Answer
Wine: 'I want to go to Miami!'
Hobbies: Beading, scrapbooks
Movie Theater: Arsley
Charity: Red Cross
Misc. Comments: Thank you for all that you do for us!

Linda Koehn - Cafe Manager

Birthday: March 31
Color: blue
Candy: not really
Mint: not really
Gum: not really
Fast Food: Burger King

Dining: Olive Garden
Dept. Store: Michaels
Coffee: Starbucks
Tea: Lipton
Wine: not really
Hobbies: Crafts

Liz Mobley – Custodian

Birthday: Aug. 2
Color: Baby blue
Candy: turtles
Mint: peppermint ID
Gum: peppermint
Fast Food: Captain D's
Dining: Red Lobster

Dept. Store: Ross
Coffee: Iced Vanilla Bean
Tea: Lipton Iced Tea with Lemon
Wine: Pink Moscato
Hobbies: Traveling, vacationing at the beach,
mountain getaways
Movie Theater: Epicenter Theaters

Lori Davidson - Upper El TA

Birthday: Oct. 8
Color: Red/black
Candy: Snickers
Mint: Puff peppermint
Gum: Orbit (sweet mint)
Fast Food: MOE's
Dining: Olive Garden
Dept. Store: Marshall's, TJ Maxx
Coffee: None

Tea: Any flavored tea
Wine: None
Hobbies: Only have time to take children to
dance & football practice
Movie Theater: EpiCenter
Charity: Breast Cancer
Special Dietary Needs: Vegetarian
Other Likes: Any dessert with chocolate & nuts
I do not like: Coconut

Maggie Kincaid – School Counselor

Birthday: January 26th
Color: blue, green
Candy: hot tamales, twix
Mint: Cinnamon Mentos
Gum: any
Fast Food: Brueggers, Subway
Dining: any:) I love eating out!
Department Store: Target
Coffee: Cafe Mocha
Tea: N/A

Wine: Pinot Noir
Hobbies: hiking, traveling, walking my dog
Addie
Collections: N/A
Movie theater: Phillips Place
Charity: anything animal or children related
Special dietary needs: N/A
Other Favorites: flowers
I do Not like.... n/a
Misc Comments: Thank you for thinking of us!

Melanie Francis – Principal

Birthday: May 15
Color: Earthtones
Candy: Chocolate
Mint: N/A
Gum: Orbit
Fast Food: Chipotle
Dining: Ethnic
Department Store: I love TJ Maxx and Marshalls

Coffee: Starbucks
Tea: N/A
Wine: Beer for me-IPA
Hobbies: Reading, Hiking. Snow skiing
Movie theater: AMC
Charity: Humane Society
Special dietary needs: Vegetarian

Melinda Henry - Upper El Teacher

Birthday: Nov. 1
Color: pink and red
Candy: butterscotch
Mint: Altoids
Gum: beechnut
Fast Food: Qudoba

Dining: Cafe Monte
Coffee: I HATE COFFEE
Tea: mint
Wine: I don't drink it
Hobbies: sewing reading

Melissa Baubany – Upper EL TA

Birthday: August 2nd
Color: Purple
Candy: peanut M&Ms and Butterfinger
Mint:
Gum:
Fast Food: Chick Fil A, Panera,
Dining: Any great pizza places, Flying Biscuit,
open to some great places!
Department Store: Target and Amazon

Coffee: Starbucks
Tea:
Wine: Sauv Blanc, Rose, Prosecco
Collections: LuLaroe, Doterra Essential Oils
Movie theater: Regal
Charity: The Pink House
Other Favorites: LOVE the Carolina Panthers
I do Not like....
Misc Comments: Thank you so much!

Melissa Toner – Library Media Specialist

Birthday: July 8
Color: blue
Candy: Skittles, Snickers, Reece's Cups, milk chocolate (not dark)
Mint: anything spearmint or peppermint
Gum: no
Fast Food: Chick-Fil-A, Panera Bread, McAlister's, Moe's
Dining: Rooster's Wood Fired Kitchen, Cantina 1511, Village Tavern, Mama Ricotta's, Red Rocks
Department Store: Belk, Target, Marshalls/Home Goods, Amazon!!

Coffee: no
Tea: yes, hot & cold, I love Teavana!
Wine: yes :)
Hobbies: reading, shopping, traveling
Collections: none
Movie Theater: any
Charity: Loaves & Fishes
Special dietary needs: none
Other Favorites: Barnes & Noble
I do Not like....seafood, mushrooms, sensitive to some scented items
Misc Comments: Thank you!

Michelle Warren-Selby - Upper El Teacher

Birthday: June 4
Color: Carolina blue
Candy: milk chocolate
Mint: Andes
Gum: sugar free juicy fruit - haha, I think that's an oxymoron
Fast Food: Chick fil a
Dining: Rooster's/Nolan Kitchen
Dept. Store: Belk
Coffee: Skinny caramel latte at Starbucks
Tea: English breakfast
Wine: Red, a little sweet/fruity, not dry
Hobbies: Music, reading, gardening, hiking, swimming. drawing/crafting, photography

Collections: photos, plants, music
Movie Theater: Philips Pl or Terrace(?) at Park Rd. Shopping Ctr.
Charity: Habitat For Humanity or Salvation Army women's shelter @ Spratt St.
Special Dietary Needs: n/a, just good mostly healthy ;)
Other Likes: Kindness
I do not like: Rudeness
Misc. Comments: I'm so grateful to be a part of this beautiful community of people. Thank you for your special part in making it so.

Pauline Ford - Literacy

Birthday: April 10
Color: warm colors- red, yellow apple green,orange etc.

Candy: milk chocolate almonds, almond joys , kit kats, gummy bears, life savers, butter fingers
Mint: peppermint patties

Prity Aery - Primary Teacher

Birthday: Aug. 22
Color: Purple
Candy: Jelly Beans
Mint: Peppermint patties
Gum: Mentos
Fast Food: Subway
Dining: Bangkok Ocha
Dept. Store: Belk
Coffee: Dunkin Donuts

Tea: PG Tips
Wine: None
Hobbies: Reading
Collections: Instrumental music
Theater: Regal
Charity: Heifer
Special Dietary Needs: Vegetarian
Misc. Comments: Thank you for treating us so nicely and making us feel special.

Priya Ramanathan - Media Specialist

Birthday: Dec. 20
Color: Red blue green
Candy: No
Mint: No
Gum: No
Fast Food: Qdoba
Dining: Olive Garden or any Indian
Dept. Store: JC Penny
Coffee: No

Tea: Decaf ginger/lemon chai
Wine: No
Hobbies: Gardening
Charity: Goodwill red cross
Special Dietary Needs: Vegetarian no eggs
Other likes: Cooking new recipes shopping for healthy food
I do not like: Processed food

Rose Grant – Primary TA

Birthday: 12/12
Color red
Candy: Chocolate
Mint:
Gum:
Fast Food: chick fil a
Dining: The Wine Shop
Department Store: TJ Maxx
Coffee: caramel macchiato

Tea:
Wine: cabernet
Hobbies: reading, walking
Collections:
Movie theater: Regal
Charity: pediatric cancer
Other Favorites: manicure, pedicure
Misc Comments: Thank you!

Ruth Tencati - Primary

Birthday: May 4th
Color: Emerald Green
Candy: dark chocolate; Chunky bars

Mint: yes
Gum: not sugar free and not with artificial sweeteners

Fast Food: Bruggers, Subway, Wendy's
Dining: Sante', Texas Roadhouse, Amelie's,
Kabab Je'
Department Store: TJMaxx, Marshall's,
Steinmart
Coffee: Caribou – cold brewed with dark
chocolate almond milk
Tea: Earl Grey or Peppermint or Black Cocoa
Mint from Teavana
Wine: nope
Hobbies: LEGO, reading, sewing, learning how
to paint

Collections: LEGO, books, Fenton Hobnail
glass...too many collections live at my house
Movie Theater: AMC or Regal
Charity: Animal Shelter(s); Loaves and Fishes;
Heifer International; Caring Bridge
Special dietary needs: many allergies... Red
peppers, paprika (anything spicy),
All squash and melons (including cucumbers,
eggplant, and pickles), Mango, Dill, Nutmeg
I do not like...shellfish or coconut

Sandy Wade - Upper El Teacher

Birthday: April 28
Color: Purple or Green
Candy: no candy
Mint: no mint
Gum: no gum
Fast Food: Qdoba, Which Wich
Dining: Viva Chicken, Chopt'd, Jason's Deli,
Mama Ricotta's,
Dept. Store: Omega Sports
Coffee: Latte, Flat White
Tea: Starbucks Iced Breve Chai

Latte (I prefer this over the coffee! But the
coffee if it's cold outside)
Wine: Shiraz, Pinot Noir
Hobbies: Running, Swimming
Collections: cappuccino- no sugar
Movie Theater: AMC or Regal
Charity: Isabella Santos Foundation
Special Dietary Needs: Low Carb
Misc. Comments: I'm really trying to stay away
from sweets and carbs....

Scott Strait - Physical Education

Birthday: Feb. 19
Color: Duke Blue
Candy: Kit Kat York
Mint: Peppermint Patty
Gum: Anything mint

Fast Food: Chic Filet
Dining: Any steakhouse
Dept. Store: Omega Sports
Coffee: Starbucks
Hobbies: Anything sports related

Sharilyn Seale-Banks – Lower El

Birthday: 10/22
Color: Pink
Candy: Twix, Snickers, Reese's
Mint: Sugarfree Anything
Gum: Sugarfree Anything
Fast Food: Panera, Chopt, Smoothie King
Dining: Portofino's, Duckworth's, Pizza Peel
Department Store: Target, Walmart, Ulta
Coffee: Dunkin or McD's Premium Roast

Tea: Herbal Tea
Wine: Pinot Grigio, Rieslings, Rose'
Hobbies: Yoga, Real Simple Magazine, Cooking
Collections: Coffee Mugs
Movie theater: Regal
Charity: Children's Home Society of NC
Special dietary needs: None
Other Favorites: Justin's Almond Butter
I do Not like.... hard candy

Sherry Nobles - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: Sept. 26t
Color: Purple
Candy: Anything with chocolate - always willing to try something new
Mint: peppermint
Gum: Trident - peppermint or spearmint
Fast Food: Wendy's, Chick-fil-a
Dining: McAllister's, Toyomas

Department Store: Kohl's
Coffee: Mocha
Tea: Chai Tea Latte, Roasted Dandelion Tea
Wine: prefer white or rose
Hobbies: reading, gardening, walking
Movie Theater: AMC
Charity: St. Jude

Stacy Dugan -

Birthday: Oct 15
Color: Blue
Candy: Chocolate
Mint: Butter Mint
Gum: Wintermint
Fast Food: Taco Bell
Dining: Moosehead, McAlisters, Bonefish, Mr Tokyo
Coffee: Black.

Favorite flavor: vanilla
Tea: iced black unsweet
Wine: dry red/malbec
Hobbies: Reading /hiking/camping
Movie Theater: Regal/Cinnebarre
Charity: ASPCA
Special Dietary Needs: Sugar free/low carb- high protein (keto)
Other Favorites: Target and Amazon

Susan Audino- Lower El/Primary assistant

Birthday: July 1
Color: Green
Candy: chocolate
Mint: any
Gum: any
Fast Food: I don't eat fast food
Dining: Zen Fusion, Lunas Living Kitchen, CO
Department
Store: Belk/Target
Coffee: Love any and all coffee

Tea: mint, chamomile,
Wine: Not much of a drinker
Hobbies: running, yoga Collections:
vegetarian/Mediterranean cookbooks
Movie theater: Regal
Charity: www.millcreekfarm.org
Special dietary needs: try and eat whole foods
I do Not like: sweets!
Misc Comments: Thank you all so much!

Suzanne Piri - Resource

Birthday: Feb. 8
Color: dark reds
Candy: red twirlers
Mint: no
Gum: no
Fast Food: Jason's deli, Starbucks

Dining: Cantina
Dept. Store: Target
Coffee: Caramel Latte, Regular coffee
Tea: no
Wine: pinot noir
Movie Theater: Park Road or Phillip's place

Teresa Lee-Hedland - Lower El Teacher

Birthday: June 6
Color: purple & pink
Candy: Skittles and Starburst
Mint: Ice Breaker Mints - spearmint
Gum: Spearmint
Fast Food: Chick Fil A
Dining: McAlister's, Chili's, Papa Johns
Department Store: Target, Walmart
Coffee: Starbucks - skinny vanilla latte; McD's
iced coffee (with cream & sugar - no flavoring)
Tea: sweet tea
Wine: none

Hobbies: reading, traveling, music, ice skating,
kid-friendly activities with my children (ie.
Discovery Place, zoo, stage shows, etc.)
Movie theater: Sun Valley 14 or Regal
Charity: St. Jude
Special dietary needs: none
Other Favorites: anything Disney-related, music
concerts/shows
I do Not like...heavily-scented
soaps/sprays/creams, anything cinnamon-
flavored, no candles please

Tricia Kozek – Visual Art

Birthday: June 18

Color: Greens

Candy: Smarties, Reeces pieces

Mint:

Gum: none

Fast Food: Jimmie Johns

Dining:

Department Store: Target

Coffee: intravenously

Tea: green, chai

Wine:

Hobbies: art, music

Movie theater:

Charity:

Special dietary needs: None