

# Welcome



Welcome to 5K!

I'm very excited to learn and grow with you this year at Gilbert Elementary School.

## About Me



***I have been married for 21 years. My husband Bryan and I have 2 children ~ Jackson who is 17 and Chloe who is 15. Our children are our pride and joy. I enjoy spending time with my family and friends, reading, camping, going to the lake, going to the beach, and watching my kids play sports - my son plays basketball while Chloe plays guitar and photography. We also really enjoy going to Clemson to watch football – GO TIGERS!!!***

### Certifications

- Early Childhood Education
- Elementary Education
- Teaching Children of Poverty
- Reading Endorsement
- 4.0 Mentor
- CPI Certified



## Credentials & Experience

### Education & Degrees

- \* BS (Early Childhood & Elementary Education) -1996 University of South Carolina - Aiken
- \* M. ED (Elementary Education) - 1998 University of South Carolina - Aiken
- \* +30 (Elementary Education) - 2004
- \* National Board Certified - 2012

Special Certifications: National Board Certified

Reading Certification: Earned 2018

Specialized Training: DIAL 4, Parents as Teachers, Read MTI, Leader In Me, InvestiGators Club Curriculum, myIGDIs, and Secret Stories.

### Experience

I have been teaching for 23 years. I teach 5 year old kindergarten at Gilbert Primary School. I taught Child Development in Richland One for a year and then moved to Lexington One. I have been teaching in Lexington One for twenty- two years. I taught 5 year-old kindergarten for seven years and 4 year-old kindergarten for two years at Gilbert. I moved to Pelion to be closer to home where I taught first grade for a year and 4K for 2 years. I moved back to Gilbert Primary where I taught 4K for 9 years and this is my 2<sup>nd</sup> year back in 5K. We finally moved to Gilbert in 2013. The best decision we ever made!

**Mandy Grigsby**



## Contact

The safety and well being of your child is very important to me. If you ever have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

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## Favorites

Animal: gorilla

Food: pizza

Color: orange

Sport: basketball

Book: "Where the Crawdads Sing"

Movie: The Goonies