

Peabody Elementary School Newsletter

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“Soaring Towards Excellence”



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Parent Portal

Five Reasons to Sign-up

- Communicate with your child’s teacher
- Check your child’s grades
- Look up your child’s attendance information
- Receive important updates
- View the cafeteria menu

Upcoming Events

- 9/5 - No School-Labor Day
- 9/15 - Title I Meeting 1p
Yes, there will be a raffle
- 9/16 - Q1 Progress Reports
- 9/23 - No School for students-
Professional Development for
Teachers
- 9/30 - Perfect Attendance Mini
Carnival

Meet Our New Teachers



Meet Ms. Kemp

Cross Categorical Special Education Teacher

Greetings Peabody families!

My name is SheKinah Kemp. I am grateful to be the new Cross Categorical Special Education Teacher. I have an exuberant passion for learning as well as supporting students to become successful in their academic development. I obtained my bachelor’s degree in Early Childhood Education (2018) and completed my master’s degree (2019) in Early Childhood Educational Leadership.

I’ve had the pleasure of working in Special Education for 4.5 years. I started at Peabody Elementary Fall 2021 and fell in love with the students and enjoyed working with the staff! With much respect, I am thrilled to begin this journey and look forward to having an awesome school year!

Just a few fun things about me: In my free time I enjoy cooking, arts, and writing poems. I am a huge Investigation Discovery fan. My favorite color is blue and I love to laugh.

Feel free to contact me anytime via email, phone, or text.



Meet Ms. Potter

Physical Education/Health & Wellness Teacher

I have a very diverse working history, yet my background is very similar to your child’s. I am a product of Saint Louis Public Schools (SLPS) and I actually believe I am a great resource for building and creating successful scholars!

I was built by SLPS. I went to Hamilton Elementary as a kindergartener and 1st grader. My family moved, so we transferred to then Dozier Elementary School to complete 2nd to 6th grade. I attended Enright Middle School and graduated from Soldan High School.

As a student/athlete my life changed. I found something I was good at - SPORTS! My vision is to support, develop, and mentor the personal, academic, and athletic career potential of each of my students. I will leverage my PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH & WELLNESS role to partner with SLPS middle and high school coaches to assist your student, each gender, to maximize their career potential in sports. The objective is not to be a professional athlete, yet if it happens it’s all good.... the pride, poise, and discipline your children will learn over the years will lead their thought process and choices to become successful business professionals. Your son or daughter will build his/her family to higher standards and expectation, and your children’s children will do the same!

Parent’s FYI

Attendance Matters

Just A Reminder: Chronically absent students are less likely to read on grade level, more likely to continue to be chronically absent, and more likely to be retained.

Absences Add UP!

Uniform Policy

All students must adhere to the following guidelines:

- ✓ All students are to wear uniforms Monday-Friday.
- ✓ Tops are blue, yellow gold, or white only.
- ✓ Bottoms are khaki or blue only.
- ✓ Shirts should always be tucked into pants.
- ✓ Students must wear closed toe shoes to school each day.

Parents, if you have any question or concerns please reach out to Mr. Hammond your Family and Community Specialist (314) 241-1533.



Peabody’s School Market is Back

The **Eagle Market** provides FREE food to your family as needed. The menu includes dairy products, fruits, vegetables, frozen, and dry goods. Please call us at (314) 241-1533 to place an order for pickup or delivery.

