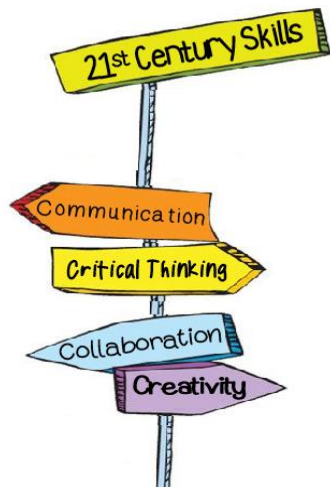


- **Authentic Learning “Expeditions”**
Mt. Carmel began implementing Project-Based Learning (PBL) in small pockets throughout the 2014-2015 school year. This allows student learning through real-world projects, problem solving, and service learning, both inside and outside the classroom. Students present evidence of their learning to authentic audiences consisting of parents, business leaders and community members. During the summer of 2015, the entire staff received training from the Project-Based Learning Coaches to collaboratively plan PBL units.



- **Technology-Enabled**
MCE students utilize technology to access information, learn content, and demonstrate knowledge. Students receive face-to-face and digital opportunities to support their learning styles, interests, and prepare them to live in a technology-rich world. This includes blogging, interactive websites, creating technology based presentations and work products.



We appreciate your support and welcome your ideas, resources, and time to contribute to our mission. Please let us know how we can better support you and your child.

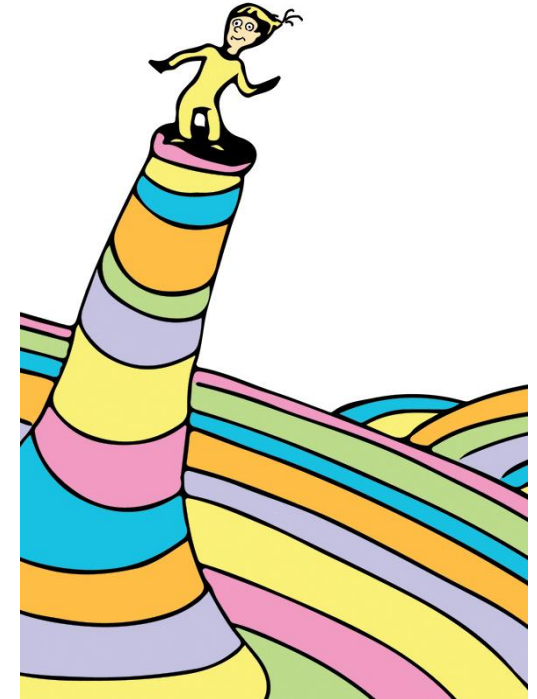
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*“You have brains in your head
and feet in your shoes,
you can steer yourself in any
direction you choose!”*
--Dr. Seuss

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Personalized
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Our Mission:

Motivate. Challenge. Empower.

Our Vision:

Mt. Carmel Elementary School's vision is to personalize student learning through authentic, collaborative, and empowering student experiences, while developing 21st Century learners who are college, career, and life-ready.

Mt. Carmel's Core Beliefs:

Vision fosters an environment where both students and faculty see the potential of the ideal Mt. Carmel graduate.

Agency is evident as students learn through meaningful, relevant, and authentic experiences based on their own unique needs, interests, and learning styles.

Live with Integrity to maintain an authentic and transparent school community.

Utilize a Growth Mindset Philosophy to develop talents and abilities where failure is an opportunity to learn, grow, and is embraced by students and staff throughout the learning process.

Expectations are high for all students and faculty as we develop both 21st century learners and educators.

Student-Centered decisions and practices begin and end with what is best for students.

Oh! The Places You'll Go!
-Dr. Seuss

- **Learner Profiles**
MCE's implementation of **Student Engagement and Empowerment Discussions (SEED)** are held during the current school year. This is an opportunity for students to share their Learner Profiles and discuss the progress of goals they have set for their learning experiences.

The 5 Personalized Learning Tenets



- **Henry County Teaching & Learning Standards (HTLS)**
Mt. Carmel teachers will utilize HTLS with a balanced approach to digitally-directed, teacher-directed, and student-directed instruction. There will be a balance of pacing, thus ensuring a balance of learning outcomes between student, teacher, leader, and district.