

2025-2026

# BRINSON MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

319 Neuse Forest Ave, New Bern, NC 28560

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Principal: Chris Germain

Assistant Principal: Jessica Szymanski

<https://bme.cravenk12.org/>

## GOALS

### SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

HELP STUDENTS REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL BY  
CREATING A STRONG ACADEMIC CULTURE AND  
OFFERING CHALLENGING LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES.  
(A2.20, A2.16)

### PREMIER PROFESSIONALS

INCREASE THE NUMBER OF DIFFERENTIATED TRAINING  
OPPORTUNITIES FOR STAFF. (C2.01)

### COMMITTED COMMUNITY

BUILD A STRONG, COMMITTED SCHOOL COMMUNITY  
BY FOSTERING MEANINGFUL PARTNERSHIPS WITH  
FAMILIES AND LOCAL STAKEHOLDERS. (E2.02)

### SUPERIOR SYSTEMS

WE WORK TOGETHER WITH FAMILIES AND THE  
COMMUNITY TO BUILD A POSITIVE, SUPPORTIVE  
ENVIRONMENT WHERE STUDENTS FEEL VALUED,  
RESPECTED, AND PROUD TO BELONG—NURTURING  
BOTH LEARNING AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING.  
(A4.21, D2.05)

## MISSION AND VISION



Mission: Brinson Memorial, in partnership with families and communities, will provide opportunities for all students to reach their highest potential in a safe and welcoming environment in order to become respectful and productive members of society.

Vision: To become a high performing elementary school that fosters well-rounded citizens.

## WHAT MAKES US PROUD

AT OUR SCHOOL, WE FOSTER A SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT WHERE STUDENTS FEEL SAFE, CARED FOR, AND INSPIRED. THROUGH THE POSITIVITY PROJECT, WE EMPOWER STUDENTS TO BUILD POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS AND BECOME THEIR BEST SELVES, NURTURING BOTH LEARNING AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING. OUR DEDICATED PTA ACTIVELY PARTNERS WITH STAFF AND PARENTS TO STRENGTHEN OUR COMMUNITY AND SUPPORT STUDENT SUCCESS. WE ALSO OFFER CLUBS THAT SPARK STUDENT INTERESTS AND HANDS-ON LEARNING EXPERIENCES LIKE CARING FOR OUR CHICKENS AND EXPLORING THE NEUSE RIVER.

## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT TEAM

ADMIN: CHRIS GERMAIN, JESSICA SZYMANSKI

GRADE LEVEL REPRESENTATIVES: KELSEY DEBOER, DESTINY LEWIS, JENNIFER RENO, REGINA MCCUE, MOLLY MCGARRY, MATTHEW CANADY

RESOURCE REPRESENTATIVE: BRITTANY ROSE

EC REPRESENTATIVE: KIM BAILEY

COUNSELOR: BRACHLA MILLER

MTSS INTERVENTIONIST: AMY ANDERSON

MEDIA COORDINATOR: MABLE STAINBACK

NURSE: DIANA PANTALL

TEACHER ASSISTANTS: TAMEKA STRAYHORN, SHANNON LEE

PARENT REPRESENTATIVE: ELIZABETH METCALF, ELENA HEBERT

NC STAR GUEST LOGIN

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MEETINGS - THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 3:25 PM

## ABOUT US

PERFORMANCE GRADE: C

GROWTH STATUS: NOT MET

DESIGNATION STATUS: TITLE I

MONITORED SUBGROUPS: EDS, AIG, SWD