



Hello Dolphins!

Welcome to ABES 2022-23



From the Principal

As a school community, we have navigated countless changes and challenges over the past two years. It has taken perseverance coupled with tons of patience and hard work for not only adults, but children too. These things were certainly evidenced in our state test scores this year which resulted in an 'A' grade for ABES. So proud of our Dolphins!

As a new year approaches, we are celebrating a job well done, while also reflecting and planning how we can do better. At the top of our list is re-establishing a healthy, strong connection between home and school. We know you have been missing out on some things that make being a parent of an elementary school student special.

Our mission is to continue living our best ABES life! With such an incredible school community, we can accomplish anything. We are excited to welcome our Dolphins back to school and work with you to make this school year ridiculously AMAZING!

Kelly McMillan



Open House
August 8th
4:30-6:30 PM
Details coming soon!

1st Day
August 10th



Stay Connected

- Check your email, phone, and text for updates. *Make certain that we have your most recent phone number and email address.*

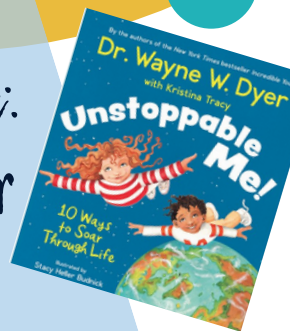
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- Follow us on Facebook at [Apollo Beach Elementary](#).
- Check our website at www.hillsboroughschools.org/apollobeach
- Subscribe to our YouTube channel -- [Apollo Beach Elementary School](#)
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One Book One School

Our school wide book this year is:

Unstoppable Me:
10 Ways to Soar
Through Life
By Dr. Wayne Dyer



Back to School Info

Be on the lookout for our Welcome to School postcard in the mail.

This postcard has the information you need to get ready for your child to come back to school.



The information on the mailing label of the postcard will help you find out your child's teacher. These directions are posted on our website.

All of our Back to School information can be found on our school website at www.hillsboroughschools.org/apollobeach.

If you do not have access to the internet, you may pick up back to school information in the main office starting on August 2nd. Teacher assignments will not be provided over the phone.

Get Involved!

We love our volunteers! There are many ways that you can support ABES.

Please stop by the PTA membership table in the cafeteria at Open House on 8/8 or email

president@apollopta.org to find out how you can help.

Our Mission

- A**chieve Goals
- B**uild Connections
- E**ngage Hearts & Minds
- S**upport Growth

First Day Arrival

You are welcome to walk your child to class on the first day of school between 7:10-7:40AM without signing in.



Starting August 11th, you may walk your child to class *if necessary*. We want to encourage independence, however, we know there are times that it is nice to walk your child in or help with carrying something for the class. You will need to sign in through the main office. You must have ID to sign in.

ABES Character Pledge

- A**ct Responsibly
- B**e Trustworthy
- E**xhibit Kindness
- S**how Respect

