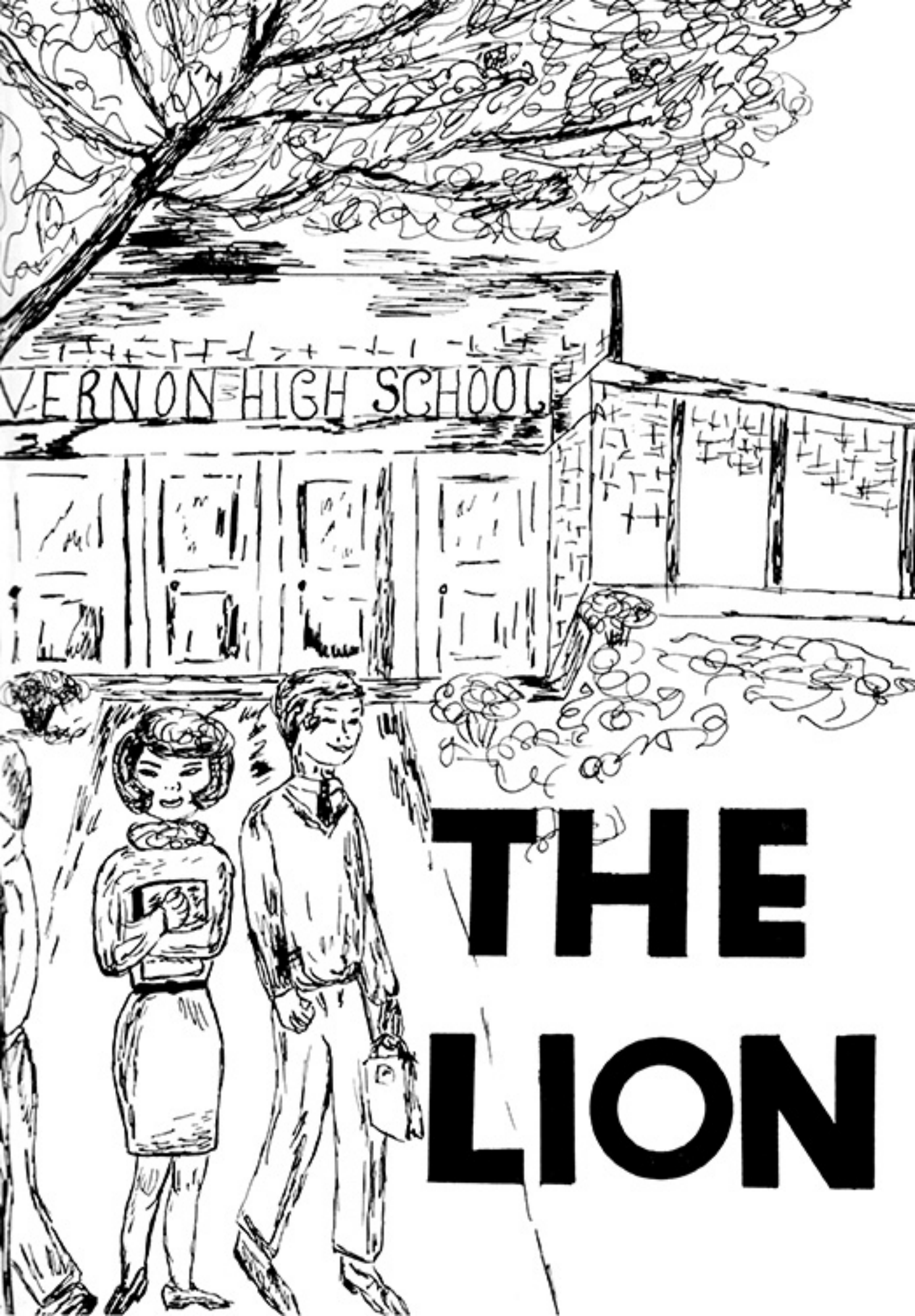




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VERNON HIGH SCHOOL

THE LION

Our Retired Teachers



MR. ALLEN ROY RUSHEN
Retired Principal



MRS. MAGGIE FREEMAN
2nd Grade Teacher



MRS. EMMA RUSHEN
Home Economics
Teacher



MRS. GERTRUDE K. JOHNSON
3rd Grade Teacher

DEDICATION

Through the years, you have labored with us and for us. Each of you has unselfishly contributed: your time your service, your support and your leadership - both educationally and spiritually - for the progress and advancement of Vernon High School.

So that you - Mr. Rushen, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Rushen, and Mrs. Johnson - may realize our profound respect, total admiration and sincere appreciation for you - we, the 1968 LION STAFF, dedicate this year book to you . . .



MISS CASSANDRA F. WILSON, Editor

Foreword

We, the editing staff, through many hours of hard labor, have finally completed what we think will be a well-remembered annual. We feel that this annual will be treasured for many years because it contains memoirs of the student body and faculty.

This annual, dedicated to our retired teachers, was organized with sentimental feelings. The retired, who have had a hand in developing the Vernon High School into what it is now, will be in our hearts forever.

We present to the student body, faculty, administration, alumni, and friends, THE LION . . .

Editor

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ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent's Message



Friends:

I am sure that if any of you had the opportunity to choose the time you would live in, you could not have selected a more exciting period than we are in now. A very few years ago none of us dreamed that man would circle the earth in 90 minutes, prevent polio, make a closeup pictorial record of the moon and Mars, send television pictures through the air or alter the educational processes. We know it is necessary that we change education to keep abreast of the times and meet the demands of our modern society. This yearbook highlights some of the changes, and gives you the student a keepsake of the most endearing period of your life.

I want to commend the students and faculty for your excellent work in developing this attractive and informative annual. It will become more valuable to you in the years ahead.

I wish to extend warmest personal regards to each person represented in this yearbook.

Sincerely,

CURTIS BRADSHAW, Superintendent
Vernon Parish Schools

Vernon Parish School Board



L. -R. SEATED: Mrs. J. C. Trotti, Mrs. M. L. Woodhatch, Mr. C. H. Parker, Mr. J. T. Staggs, Mr. Curtis Bradshaw, Mr. E. Davis, Mrs. D. Smith, Mr. R. D. Schaefer, Mr. T. L. Berry, Mr. J. M. Sanders, Mr. J. A. Williams, Mr. R. Mitchum.
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Ward One School Board Members



MR. T. L. BERRY



MR. R. D. SCHAEFER

Principals' Messages



FLETCHER P. CHEATHAM, Principal
Vernon High School

The past several years have seen great strides taken toward the realization of a sound curriculum. The addition of Art and Algebra II and the inclusion of the Junior High School in the Industrial Arts program enhance a well-rounded program.

Renovations of buildings and additions of modern facilities keep the grounds presentable at all times.

Many fine achievements were accomplished both in the academic and athletic realms during the 1966-67 session.

I am certainly proud to be associated with an institution whose laurels speak for themselves. Congratulations Vernon, for a job well done.

Fletcher P. Cheatham



HAMP J. SMITH, Principal
Vernon Elementary School

Dear Students:

May the effort, struggle and devotion exhibited by our retired teachers in our behalf, be an incentive to each of you to strive for more courage and perseverance.

It is with a spirit of humble thankfulness that I have been privileged to share in the efforts and memories of the past years.

Let us together, renew our courage and increase our determination to become well-adjusted, highly-educated, useful citizens of tomorrow.

Hamp J. Smith

Guidance



Mrs. Dorothy Perkins counsels a Youth Corps Worker.

Guidance at Vernon involves experiences which assist each pupil to understand himself, accept himself, and live effectively in his society.

Teachers' Aids



MISS MARGARET MONTGOMERY



MRS. LOYCE FISHER

Lunchroom Employees



Mrs. J. Wesley, Mrs. O. Williams, Mrs. A. Thomas, Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. H. Rock, Mrs. R. Penn, Mrs. E. Laborde, Mrs. M. Moore.

Custodians



Mr. R. Edison, Mrs. M. Allen, Mr. K. Williams, Mr. L. Patterson.

Bus Drivers



Mr. J. Sowells, Mr. O. Brown, Mr. E. Page, Mr. L. Joiner.



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KNOWLEDGE
IS
TO ACHIEVE
HONOR

FACULTY

Faculty



MRS. BERTHA HARRISON
First Grade
B. S. Grambling College
M. Ed. Texas Southern
Hobbies - Cooking, Reading, Traveling
V. P. T. A.



MISS IVORY THOMAS
First Grade
L. E. A., P. T. A.



MRS. LILLIAN NABORS
First Grade
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Cooking, Reading
L. E. A., V. P. T. A.



MRS. LYDIA BURSH
Second Grade
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Dancing, Reading,
Singing, Sports
L. E. A., Modern Dance
Group, Majorettes



MRS. FLOSSIE TRAYLOR
Second Grade
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Sewing, Reading, Fishing
L. E. A., V. P. T. A.



MRS. RENA THOMAS
Second Grade
Hobbies - Bowling, Horse-
back Riding
L. E. A., V. P. T. A.

Faculty



MRS. RUBY DELTON
Social Studies
B. S. Grambling College
Piano Playing and Reading the Bible
L. E. A.

MR. GORDIE HOLT
English and Speech
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Bowling, Dancing,
Reading
Co-Sponsor Nat'l Honor Society,
Debating Team



MRS. MAXINE GUNN
Math and Social Studies
B. S. Southern University
Hobbies - Reading, Movies, Television
N. M. T. A., V. P. T. A.,
Debating Team

MRS. ORGERINE SMITH
Physical Ed. and Reading
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Sewing,
Television, Sports
Girls Basketball Coach



MRS. KATHERINE CARROLL
Special Education
B. S. Jacksonville University
Hobbies - Handicraft, Sewing,
Home Decorating
L. T. A., N. E. A.

MR. EDWARD BEAUCHAMP
Foreign Lang., English
B. A. Dillard University
Hobby - Reading
V. P. T. A.



Faculty



MRS. MYRTHA DIXON JOHNSON
English, Librarian
B. S. Grambling
Hobbies - Reading, Experimenting
with Food
V. P. T. A.



MR. SAMUEL BURSH
Coach, Math
B. S. Grambling
Hobbies - Sports,
Singing
L. E. A., N. C. T. M.,
V. P. T. A.



MRS. MARTHA R. WHITE
Home Economics
B. S. Grambling
Hobbies - Collecting photos and
recipes, Cooking, and Sewing



MR. BOBBY CONERLY
Commerce and Civics
B. S. Southern Univ.
Hobbies - Sports and
Music
L. E. A., L. V. A.,
V. P. T. A., L. B. A.



MRS. JANET HOLLAND
Art
B. F. A. Drake Univ.
Hobbies - Sewing, Swimming, Painting
L. T. A., N. E. A., N. A. E. A.



MR. JAMES SOWELLS
Industrial Arts
B. S. Grambling
Hobbies - Reading
and Drawing
V. P. T. A.

Faculty



MRS. ALICE GRAF
Reading Specialist
B. A. Univ. of Mass.
M. A. Boston Univ.
Hobbies - Reading, Sewing,
Home Decorating, Sports
L. T. A.



MR. LEONARD DAVIS
Band Director
B. S. Southern Univ.
Hobby - Model
Airplanes
V. P. T. A.



MR. FOSTER THOMAS
Head Coach, Physical Ed.,
Driver Education
B. S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Sports, Reading
P. E. L. State, V. P. T. A.



MR. GENE DAVIS
Chorus Director
B. S. Grambling
Hobbies - Model
Airplanes, Painting
L. E. A., V. P. T. A.

Faculty



MRS. ALMA BROWN
Gen. Science and Biology
B.S. Wiley College
M. Ed. Texas Southern Univ.
Hobbies - Reading, Traveling,
Collecting unusual Ash trays and
Cooking
L. E. A., N. S. T. A., V. P. T. A.,
Future Scientists of America

MRS. DOROTHY PERKINS
Guidance Counselor
B.S. Southern Univ.
M. A. Texas Southern
Univ.
Hobbies - Bowling,
Listening to Music
V. P. G. A., L. E. A.,
V. P. T. A.
Adult Educ. Teacher
Co-Sponsor: National
Honor Society



MR. HAMP SMITH
Principal, Vernon Elementary
B.S. Grambling College
Hobbies - Reading and Sports
L. E. A., E. P. A., V. P. T. A.

MR. FLETCHER CHEATHAM
Principal, Vernon
High School
B.S. Grambling
M. Ed. Univ. of
Southwestern La.
Hobbies - Reading,
Traveling, Sports,
Discussing Inter-
national Politics
L. E. A., V. P. T. A.,
N. A. S. S. P.





CLASSES



HIGH

SCHOOL

Seniors



COLVIN, SUSIE
Choir



CONERLY, BETTY ANN



CROWELL, GWENDOLYN
Choir, Band, National Honor
Society, Debating Team



FOSTER, MARVIN
Chaplain, Football, Track,
Choir



GARNER, BRENDA
Assistant Secretary, Modern
Dance, Miss Vernon High 1967-
68, Band, Debating Team,
Choir



JONES, ADA
Choir, Band



JONES, HENRY



KEYS, BEATRICE
Choir, Secretary



LEWIS, ANNETTE
Choir



MARSH, KATHRYN
Miss Senior 1967-68, Treas-
urer, Basketball, Choir



MOORE, JOHN HENRY
Choir

Juniors



Blow, Betty
Brown, Lois
Bursh, Leandrea



Cooper, Gregory
Ellis, Arthur
Fisher, John



Ford, Hattie
Gay, Charles
Haynes, Patsy



Hopkins, Louis
Johnson, Dorothy
King, Dorothy



Mallet, Michael
Martin, Thomas
Mattox, Venita

Robinson, Donna
Robinson, Martha
Sawyer, Earnest



Slater, Marie
Smith, Alice
Smith, Clyde



Smith, Louis
Spearman, Rose
Warren, Carolyn



Wesley, Hilton
Wilson, Calvin
Wilson, Cassandra



Wilson, Dorothy
Wood, Cecil



Sophomores



Blow, Robert
Brown, Teresa
Brown, Jerry
Clark, Jewel



Coine, Jerry
Cooper, Cornell
Drain, Lorraine
Fisher, Leola



Grant, Isaac
Greening, Ruby
Hicks, Murray
Jackson, Faye



Johnson, Leonard
Jones, Hosie
Keys, Ester
Madria, Leon



Marsh, Hazel
Moore, Jimmie
Morris, Glenda
Pratt, Carolyn



Pratt, Linda
Price, Travis
Rock, Donald
Smith, Thelma



Sowells, Henry
Strahan, Essie
Tinsley, Mose
Taylor, Lynda



Warren, Elois
Williams, Barbara
Wells, Regina
Wilson, Ervin



Wilson, Jerry
Haynes, Antione
Jones, Michael

Freshmen



Acey, Ledale
Allen, Douglas
Barrow, Clinton
Brown, Cathy
Brown, Douglas



Brown, Joyce
Brown, Linda
Brown, Wanda
Carter, Glover
Chipp, Betty



Conerly, Bernell
Drain, Joe
Dudley, William
Ellis, Janice
Ford, Betty



Ford, Lawrence
Garner, Willie
Gilbert, Donnie
Grant, Edna
Great, Lenora



Green, Jacqueline
Harris, Josephine
Hawkins, Mildred
Haynes, Jerry
Haynes, Jimmie



Hickman, JoVeder
Hill, Alma
Holmes, Rosetta
Hudson, James
Jackson, Henry



Johnson, Clinton
Joiner, Emma



Lewis, Zeaporia
Lucius, Billy



Magee, Patricia
Martin, Johnny
Martin, Lawrence
McIntosh, Bobby
Reggans, Sarah



Richard, Earl
Robinson, Clara
Rushing, Janie
Scott, Ralph
Sheppard, Olando



Sibley, Willie
Smith, Lillie
Smith, Shirley
Sowells, Patricia
Sowells, Roosevelt



Staton, Lottie
Thomas, Sherry
Upshaw, Carolyn
Upshaw, Linda
Walker, Joyce



Wallace, Sonny
Warren, Barbara
Warren, Jesse
Webb, Henry
Wesley, Milton



Williams, Glenda
Williams, Loretta
Wilson, Chauncy
Wilson, Kenneth
Woods, Deliah



JUNIOR

HIGH

Eighth Grade



Crowell, Carl
Davis, Freddie



Dixon, Shirley A.
Dixon, Shirley P.
Ervin, Debra
Ford, Jack
Gaines, Joane



Gardiner, Elizabeth
Gardiner, Hubert
Grant, Evelyn
Great, Rebecca
Hall, Gloria



Harris, Hilbert
Harris, Tolbert
Hawkins, Louis
Hobbs, Michael
Houston, Terry



Huffman, Kiyotaka
Johnson, Debra
Johnson, Cary
Johnson, Linda
Joiner, Arthur



Joiner, Joan
Jones, Larry
Jones, Laverne
Keys, Charles
Lynch, Andy

Seventh Grade



Acey, Minnie
Belton, Dennis
Blount, Barbara
Brown, Irene
Brown, Vernice



Buckley, John
Cage, Calvin
Cage, Leandra
Calvin, Jimmie
Carter, Ernestine



Chipps, Alberta
Coine, Charles
Cooper, Alvin
Crowell, Jonathan
Davis, Patricia



Dixon, David
Edward, Lewis
Fisher, Yvonne
Ford, Linda
Ford, Willie



Gaines, Mary
Gardner, Sally
Garner, Lorenzo
Gilbert, Joe
Gilbert, Sandra



Grant, Clyde
Greening, Linda
Harris, Gregory
Hawkins, Patricia
Jackson, Gentry



Johnson, Alvin
Johnson, Robert
Johnson, Samuel



Johnson, Shirley
Kent, Levada
Keys, Willie

Lucius, Johnnie
Martin, Jacquelyn
Mason, Jimmie



Mims, Linda
McCartney, Alphonso
McShan, Audrey
McShan, James



Page, Arnold
Poland, Lawrence
Powell, Paul
Richards, Othella
Robinson, Andrew

Robinson, Clementine
Rock, Frank
Sapp, Audrey
Sibley, Linda
Smith, Cerece

Smith, Jerry
Smith, Pearlle
Sowell, Sandra
Spearman, Daisy
Stewart, Jacques

Steward, Jean
Stewart, William
Taylor, Gail
Thomas, Cassandra
Tinsley, Floyd

Volsan, Dorothy
Volsan, Dossie
Weeks, Marion
Wilson, Cedric
Wilson, Mary

Williams, Evelyn
Wood, Don
Wood, Howard
Woods, Carlene
Woods, Walter





ELEMENTARY

Sixth Grade



Acey, Eddie
Acey, Mary
Allen, Robert
Basken, Jennifer
Blackmon, Sonia



Blow, Belinda
Boyd, Richard
Brown, Howard
Brown, Kevin
Brown, Michael



Casey, Gary
Canty, Joseph
Clement, Henry
Clement, Ralph
Cobbs, Daryl



Coine, Joshua
Crowell, Kenneth
Davis, Richard
Dixon, Johnny
Drain, Shelia



Great, Jacqueline
Hall, Cheval
Harvell, Herbert
Hill, Arnold
Hobbs, Terry



Hopkins, Carolyn
Ingram, Robert
Jackson, Larry
Johnson, Donel
Johnson, Julius



Johnson, Shirley
Joiner, Hoy
Keys, Cecilia
Kirby, Gertuade
Marshall, Carl



Mason, Linda
Mason, Rose
Mims, Marilyn
Mims, Sharon
Moore, Huey P.



Moore, Jackie
Moore, Jeffery
Morris, Deborah
Murdock, Charles
McDowell, Willie



Nabors, Issac
Poland, Carolyn
Pratt, Melvin
Pratt, Sanders
Randall, Charles



Randall, Gloria
Richardson, George
Rock, Charmaine
Ross, Jerome
Rushing, John



Sam, Daniel
Self, James
Shannon, David
Simmons, Sidney
Smith, Brenda



Smith, Donald
Spearman, Marciel
Strahan, Leonard
Thomas, Clarence
Thomas, Robert



Upshaw, Terry
Wallace, Veronica
Walker, Robert
Wells, Cheryl
Wesley, James



Williams, Clyde
Williams, Earnest
Williams, Stan
Wilson, Ervin
Wilson, Otis



Wood, Edward
Woods, Linda
Woods, Michael
Woods, Nathaniel
Wright, Alvin

Fifth Grade



Anderson, Sam
Boyd, Star
Brown, Gwendolyn
Brown, Marilyn
Brown, Richard



Buckley, Willie
Butler, Janice
Butler, Milton
Cage, Earnest
Campbell, Elnita



Chipp, Leonard
Cobbs, Monique
Cooper, Debra
Craig, Lonnie
Cranston, Juan



Daniels, Richard
Davis, Larry
Davis, Lonell
Drain, Willie
Edwards, Beverly



Ellis, Doreen
Ford, Floyd
Ford, Mary
Great, Walter
Harris, Billie



Harris, Laressa
Harris, Walter
Hickman, Nelger
Hickman, Roger
Holt, Cynthia



Hopkins, John
Johnson, Ricky
Joiner, Grover

Joiner, John
Jones, Audrey
Keys, Princeola
King, Myra



Langston, Linda
Milligan, Linda
Monroe, Earnest
Morris, Venessa
McCray, Earnest



McNeely, Brenda
McNeely, Priscilla
Nabors, Audrey
Payton, Beverly
Pea, Sharon



Penn, Connie
Poland, Jerry
Price, Pamela
Richards, Floyd
Sibley, Aletha



Slater, Marvin
Smith, Betty
Smith, Mary
Sowell, Ray
Sparks, Leonard



Stewart, Lois
Strolger, Terry
Tinsley, Tracy
Upshaw, Dexter
Walker, Yolanda



Weeks, Johann
Williams, Cynthia
Wilson, Castine
Wilson, Patricia
Wright, Linda

Fourth Grade



Acey, James
 Acey, Janice
 Addison, Anthony
 Amar, Sharon
 Anderson, Gloria



Blow, Loraine
 Bronner, Calvin
 Brooks, Alfrieda
 Brown, Raymond
 Buckley, Josie



Burns, Donald
 Bursh, Samuel
 Butler, Dennis
 Butler, Frankie
 Cage, Christopher



Campbell, Joseph
 Cays, Ray C.
 Cheatham, Stacy
 Christmer, Kenneth
 Coleman, Jacquelyn



Cooper, Gwendolyn
 Clarkston, Melvin
 Cranson, Cythia
 Cranson, Myrtis
 Drain, Floydia



Ellis, Rudolph
 Ford, Alford
 Ford, Clark
 Ford, Myrtle
 Gilbert, Michael



Grant, Harold
 Greening, Glenda
 Greening, Mary
 Greening, Sam
 Greening, Shirley



Harris, Jonathan
 Harvell, George
 Hawkins, Danny
 Hickman, Emmit
 Hinton, Helen



Howard, Donald
 Jackson, Gail
 Johnson, Donald
 Johnson, Faith
 Johnson, Linda



Johnson, Ruby
Joiner, Lawrence
Jones, Barbara
Jones, Edwards
Jones, Mae Valeen



Kent, Michael
Kinch, Gerald
King, Joe
Knight, Hubert
Landry, Glenda



Laster, Cheryl
Lovett, Eddie
Lovett, Fredia
Lucius, Sylvester
Lynch, Andy



Manson, Patricia
Martin, Anthony
Mims, Russell
McDowell, Janice
McShan, Bobby



Page, Harriette
Page, Ruth
Payton, Jerome
Penn, Shelton
Peters, Charles



Reggans, Henry
Robinson, Meta
Robinson, Jerry
Sanders, Kathleen
Sibley, Dale



Slater, Allen
Smith, Beverly
Smith, Eddie
Smith, Elizabeth
Stewart, Shelia



Strahan, Raymond
Sweat, David
Vickers, Cynthia
Weeks, Michael
Wells, Rodney



White, Alma
White, Helen
Williams, M.
Wilson, James
Wilson, Quinten
Wortham, Pamela

Third Grade



Amar, Carolyn
Averhart, Larry
Averhart, Paula
Baldwin, Clarence
Bolongia, Lee



Bolton, Linda
Bouya, Edward
Bouya, Ronnie
Bowman, Marvell
Boyd, Mary



Brown, James
Burke, Frederick
Byrd, David
Cage, Debra
Casey, Frances



Casey, Zachary
Colligan, Sandra
Cooks, George
Craig, Jimmy
Davis, Leonard



Davis, Rickey
Deans, Roger
Dixon, Cheketa
Dixon, James
Dixon, Mary



Edwards, Rickey
Evans, Della
Ford, Dennis
Ford, Horace
Ford, Javielen



Gardiner, William
Grant, Willie
Great, William
Hale, Edward
Harris, Gail



Picture
Not
Available



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Harvell, Marcetia
Hickerman, Betty
Hickerman, Gloria
Holmes, Bennie
Holmes, Dennis



Picture
Not
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Holt, Godie
Howard, Anthony
Howard, Robert
Johnson, Cedric
Johnson, Freddie



Picture
Not
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Johnson, Michael
Johnson, Ronald
Johnson, Teresa
Joiner, Dennis
Kemp, Charles



Picture
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Available



King, Clyde
King, Delphine
King, Debra
Laster, Clarence
Lewis, Alfonso



Lewis, Cindy
Lucius, Ray
Lynch, Sharon
Marks, Deborah
Martin, Darrell



Picture
Not
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Martin, Deborah
Mason, Donnie
Miller, Willie
Milligan, Edward
Mills, Stephen



Morris, Phillis
Murray, Diane
McDowell, Alfredia
McShan, Michael
Neal, Dexter



Parker, Rickey
Penson, Phyllis
Pettiford, Rory
Pierson, Linda
Richards, Cassandra



Richardson, Donald
Rock, Gordon
Rock, James
Rundell, David
Sanders, May



Shield, Audrey
Smith, Gayle
Smith, Johnnie
Smith, Michael
Smith, Muriel



Smith, Orlando
Sowells, Mary
Staton, Orlando
Stewart, Cecelia
Taylor, Bruce



Thomas, Benny
Thomas, Cordelia
Thomas, Edwin
Thomas, Rickey
Tyler, Anthony



Upshaw, Ira
Wallace, Jonny
Weeks, Kenneth
Williams, Franklin
Wilson, Carlton



Woods, Alice
Woods, David
Woods, Edith
Wortham, Norma
Vaughn, Henry

Second Grade



Addison, Stefand
Bass, Lee Tanya
Bronner, Gregory
Broussard, Pamela
Brown, Kackie



Brown, Louis
Brown, Mae Bell
Brown, Viveca
Burks, Cynthia
Burns, Robert



Butler, Clifton
Butler, Donnel
Chipp, Donald
Clark, Carl
Clark, Diane



Coine, Mary
Colbert, Cinda
Coleman, Phyllis
Conerly, Chyrl
Cooks, Julia



Cooper, Beverly
Cooper, Ronald
Crosswell, Kennedy
Davis, James
Davis, Sherrell



Davis, Shirley
Dean, Robert
Drain, Stephine
Ellis, Jacqueline
Ervin, Linda





Flanagan, Debra
Freeman, Charles
Gains, Robert
Garner, Harvey
Giles, Barbara



Green, Elvis
Gulley, Gill
Hall, Johnnie
Harris, Cynthia
Hart, Donald



Hickman, Linda
Hinton, Jean
Hinton, Lola
Hobbs, Bonnie
Holmes, Eola M.



Holt, Terrence
Howard, Doll
Howard, Phillip
Hunt, George
Jackson, Beverly



Jackson, Miller
Johnson, Donald
Johnson, Edwin
Johnson, Frederick
Johnson, Janice



Johnson, Jesse
Johnson, Tony
Johnson, Willie
Joiner, Keith
Jones, Martin





Keys, Brenda
Keys, Jasper
Kinchen, Dora
King, Sherrel
Laster, Robert

Lynch, Jerry
Marshall, Edward
Marshall, Ronald
Manson, Karen
Manson, Napoleon

Mason, Kathy
Miller, Carl
Moore, Archie
Moore, Booker
Moore, Robert

Morris, Carl
Morris, Melvia
Moss, Todd
Neal, Oscar
Page, Sterling

Peters, Bernice
Rhodes, Carl
Richardson, Brenda
Richardson, Jerry
Richards, Gloria

Robinson, Linda
Robinson, Galmes
Sanders, Jackileen
Sapp, Cynthia
Shannon, Sherman





Sibley, Monica
Slater, Robert
Smith, Elbert



Smith, Joey
Smith, Renzi
Smith, Robert
Sparks, Tyrone
Sparks, Terry



Stevenson, Pamela
Stewart, Debra
Stewart, James
Stewart, Lonnie
Strahan, Janice



Taylor, Francis
Thomas, Timothy
Tinsley, Kathy
Tyler, Johnnie
Tyler, Kim



Thomas, Marie
Underwood, Janice
Upshaw, Van
Vaugh, Johnny
Wallace, Mary



Walter, Shirley
Whitaker, Williams
White, Belinda
White, Delta
White, Jaketa



White, James
White, Robert
White, Shirley
White, Willie
Williams, Jeffery



Woods, Henri
Wright, Roderick

First Grade



Anderson, Barbara
Baldwin, Darryl
Bryant, Robin
Bursh, Zeno
Butler, Genevieve

Canty, Angelia
Chips, Luzzie
Colne, Katherine
Colbert, Timothy
Cooper, Charles

Cooper, Gregory
Davis, Cynthia
Dean, Erdie
Drain, James
Dugas, Yolanda

Edward, Gwendolyn
Edwards, Jacqueline
Evans, Maxine
Flanagan, Trenancy
Floyd, Lucretia

Ford, Ester
Ford, Phyllis
Fowler, Reginald
Gasaway, Dephine
Gills, Remonia

Givens, Mary
Glover, Johnny
Hall, Alfredia
Harvell, Donald
Holmes, Shirley

Howard, Brenda
Howard, Bruce
Howard, Ronald
Hunter, Thurmond
Hurst, Richard

Jackson, Doretha
Jackson, Latonya
Jackson, Paula
Johnson, Shon
Johnson, Willie

Joiner, Darryl
Jones, Dave
Kemp, Willie



Kirby, David
Lewis, Dibble
Lewis, Yvette
Lucius, Janice
Martin, Annie



Martin, Dwight
Miller, Lonnie
Moore, Cynthia
Murray, Jeanie
McDonald, Sherman



McShan, Edward
Oliver, Larry
Palmer, Lether
Parker, Kenneth
Payton, Cynthia



Penson, Shelia
Pierson, Phyllis
Price, Karl
Reynolds, Darren
Rhodes, Billy



Richards, Robert
Robinson, Janice
Rock, Craig
Rock, Olympia
Rogers, Patsy



Rundell, Joyce
Sanders, Don
Shannon, George
Sheppard, Carl
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Underwood, Sylvia
Vaughn, Rose



Weeks, Cassandra
White, Mary
Wilson, Evelyn
Word, Marvin
Wright, Pythius

Special Education Class



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Clark, Joe



Davis, Lois
Ennis, Jessie
Evans, Lee Roy
Holmes, Denetha
Holmes, Gwendolyn

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FUTURE SCIENTISTS OF AMERICA

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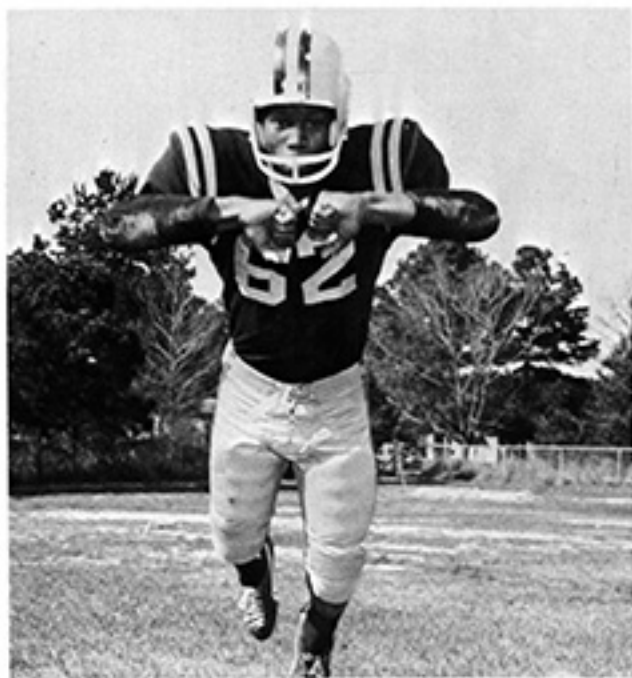
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Wiergate	0	Vernon	35
Grambling	12	Vernon	13
Bunkie	7	Vernon	7

Record

De Quincy	0	Vernon	42
Mossville	7	Vernon	13
St. Matthew	0	Vernon	35
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