



## **2025-2026 Give Our Schools a Hand- Teacher Appreciation Blitz**

Once again, congratulations on being selected as a Teacher of the Year for the Cobb County School District or Marietta City Schools. It is truly an honor celebrating your outstanding achievements, and we are thrilled to continue the celebration with our Teacher of the Year Appreciation Blitz.

This Teacher of the Year (TOTY) Blitz is a special opportunity for our entire community to come together and express gratitude and admiration for the incredible educators who leave a lasting impact on the lives of our students.

To ensure this celebration is uniquely meaningful to you, we invite you to complete the form below. Your input will assist the community in customizing appreciation gifts for both you and your classroom, making this celebration truly unforgettable.

Please submit the completed form by January 16, 2026.

Thank you for your dedication to education, and we look forward to celebrating your achievements in a way that reflects your unique contributions.

**Name**

Kathyne	Thurow
First	Last

**Current School**

Nicholson Elementary	<b>Subject/Grade you are Currently Teaching</b>
	First Grade IRR Special Education

**Current School Address**

1599 Shallowford Road		
Address Line 1		
Address Line 2		
Marietta	Georgia	30066
City	State	Zip Code

**School District**

Cobb County School District  Marietta City School

**What is your favorite color?**

Blue

**What is your favorite place to grab lunch or dinner?**

Salt

**What is your favorite scent or fragrance?**

Chill Pill by Aura Cacia

**What are your favorite snacks or treats?**

Smartfood White Cheddar Popcorn, BBQ Baked Lays, any dark chocolate covered fruits

*\*Please include any dietary restrictions or food allergies we should know about*

**What are your favorite gift cards to receive?**

Amazon, Target, Dunkin Donuts

**What are your favorite beverages?**

Sparkling water

**What are your favorite hobbies or activities outside of teaching?**

Building Lego flowers, reading, doing puzzles, and hiking

**Do you have a favorite book (or book wish list), TV show, or movie?**

Cooking/baking shows and any kind of crime/thriller books (for example Colleen Hoover, Gillian Flynn)

**Are there any self-care items you love (e.g. bath products, journals, etc.)?**

Eye masks, Dr. Teal's bubble bath

**Do you have a favorite sports team?**

University of Georgia

**If you could pick one "splurge" item under \$50, what would it be?**

A really soft and comfy pair of black joggers size XL

**What items do you currently need/want for your classroom?**

Please see Amazon Wish List!

**If you currently have an Amazon wishlist for your classroom please include the link here.**

[https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/19LJN46PZDMVX/ref=nav\\_wishlist\\_lists\\_2](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/19LJN46PZDMVX/ref=nav_wishlist_lists_2)

*This is only if you already have one created and not required.*

**Is there anything else you would like your blitzer to know?**

I am extremely grateful for this experience!