

Teachers

Ruby Bebermeyer

Miss Bebermeyer, known by several generations of WC School students, is the epitome of dedication within the teaching profession. For many years she prepared nearly all the children for their educational experience, as their first-grade teacher. Many of her years teaching, Kindergarten was not mandatory, therefore, she was the first teacher many students had. She undoubtedly holds the longest tenure of any teacher within the WC school system, serving faithfully for over 42 years; actually, she served 48 years. However, during her time teaching between 1941-1946 she taught in the one classroom system; we are not sure how that intertwined with the WCS system. In 1947 she came to the new school to begin teaching, retiring in 1989.

Miss Bebermeyer received her degree-BS in Education through a combination of schools: Central Wesleyan, Warrenton, Mo. University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo. and Northeast Missouri Teachers College (now Truman), Kirksville, Mo.