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21. **W.A. Bess Elementary** students have their artwork on display during the month of February at two locations. Student art media is on display at the **Gaston County Schools** finance animals, are displayed at the Gaston County Public Library - Union Road Branch.
22. **Carr Elementary** students collected 296 jars of peanut butter and jelly for the Guardian Ad Litem program to distribute to local food pantries.
23. A new playground has been installed at **Carr Elementary**. The playground was made possible by contributions of students and staff, the Town of Dallas, the Dallas Police Department, and Judy Foster.
24. **Carr Elementary** held its second Family Code Night on January 28. Additionally, students and staff participated in the Great Kindness Challenge during the week of January 27 and enjoyed special activities each day.
25. **Carr Elementary** sponsored a Local Heroes Breakfast, which was organized by the The vers and custodians, the mayor of Dallas, other