**Environmental Education Project**

Parker Bennett-Curry Elementary School

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| **Project Title:** **Outdoor Classroom/Wildlife Habitat** | |
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