

COWPENS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ANNUAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT TO THE PARENTS 2021-2022

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Cowpens Elementary School is helping all students develop the world-class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate by providing challenging learning experiences in a challenging, safe, and caring environment.



PURPOSE OF REPORT

The Annual School Improvement Council Report to the Parents is issued by Cowpens Elementary School in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the School Improvement Council, and other accomplishments during the school year.

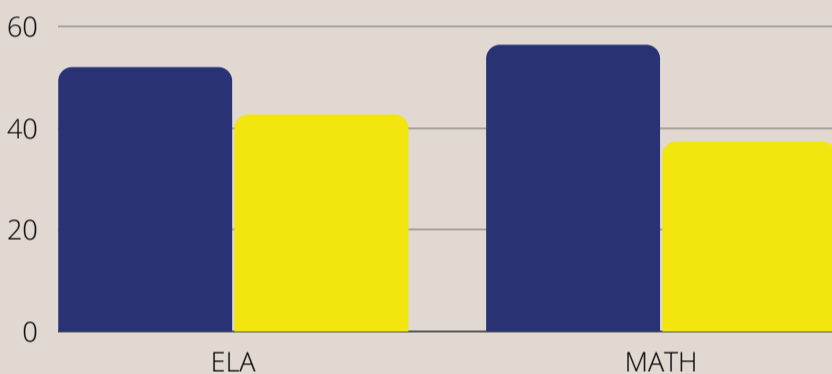
LIST OF SIC MEMBERS

Kim Goode Principal	Dana Horne Assistant Principal
Taura Bailey Parent	Heather Penland Teacher
Kevin Baker Community Member	Jaclyn Richards Teacher
Steve Bolin Community Member	Thomas Voelker Parent
Karen Garrett Parent/Chair	

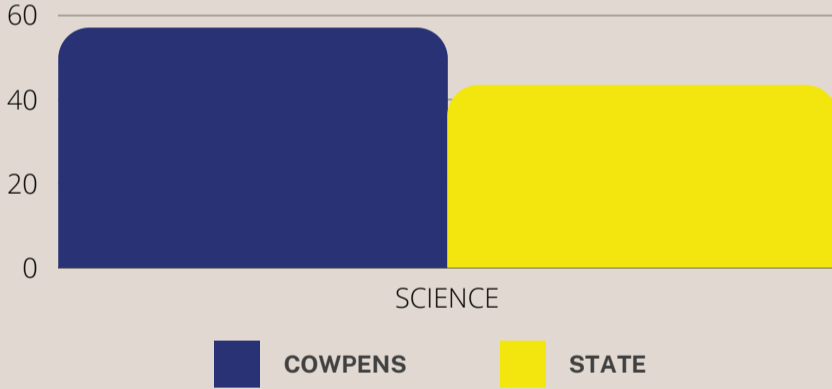
CHILDREN ENJOYING SUCCESS!



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TESTING

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Cowpens Elementary was awarded a \$260K grant to begin a Boys and Girls Club at our school.
- Out of all seven school districts in Spartanburg County, Mrs. Grigg was chosen as the Spartanburg County Elementary Distinguished Literacy Teacher!
- Cowpens Elementary students and staff donated 5,121 canned goods back to the community. The recipients were Blessings in a Backpack and Cannons United Methodist Church Food Pantry.
- We realigned our safety protocols and Crisis Response Plan to improve safety for students and staff.

ANNUAL GOALS AND NEEDS

- The students and staff leadership teams will create a mission and vision statement for Cowpens Elementary.
- Students at Cowpens will continue to create collection drives for Miracle Hill, Human Society, and others while serving the local community through service projects.
- Cowpens Elementary wants to continue the partnership with Operation Grow Spartanburg and other businesses to provide resources, supplies, and opportunities for students and staff.

SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT

- Our REACH program provided high-quality instruction in reading and math to support students after school.
- 80% of Math Master students increased their math performances by meeting or exceeding their expected goals.
- Multiple teachers received grants to create learning experiences and project-based learning.
- Academic ATLAS students partnered with the Noble Tree Foundation and Trees Upstate to plant trees on campus. This is part of the initiative to plant 1,000 trees in 5 years in Spartanburg County.

