

South Fant School of Early Education

Annual School Summary Report 2017-2018



Mission Statement

At South Fant School of Early Education our mission is that we are committed to working together to guarantee high quality school programs to serve the needs of all children. The spotlight of our program is to promote developmentally appropriate learning through love, respect, diversity, self-esteem, and quality in order to prepare children for the future.

Our Approach

The first five years of life are the most important for a child to learn and develop good habits. There is no "magic age" at which every child learns to do things. Each child's pace of development is unique. However, as your child's first teacher . . . and his/her most important one . . . you can help your child achieve his/her potential.

School Improvement Council

The School Improvement Council at South Fant School of Early Education has prepared the Summary Report for you and all community members who share an interest in South Fant School of Early Education. This report shows our progress towards achieving school goals.

We are very proud of our students' accomplishments and the support you and the community provide.

Did you know.....

- ❖ We are Day Care Licensed.
- ❖ We are participants in the Anderson County First Steps Partnership
- ❖ We participate in the South Carolina Child Early Reading Development Education Program (CERDEP) 4-year old.
- ❖ Regina McKie is our Teacher of the Year.
- ❖ Priscilla Williams is our Non-Instructional Person of the Year & Anderson 5 Non-Instructional Person of the Year.
- ❖ James Scott is our Custodial Support Staff Person of the Year.
- ❖ Donna Rucker is our Instructional Support Staff Person of the Year.
- ❖ Nancy Harbin is our Cafeteria Staff Person of the Year.

School Improvement Council Members

Anthony Ware
Tyrone Williams
Kemia Geer
Felecia Brownlee
Ximena Sherard
Dollie Ware
Zackary Miller
Dickie Smith
Mildred Johnson
Larry Knighton
Michelle Knighton
Regina McKie
Priscilla Williams
Marcus Brown
Ginny Fretwell



Teaching Strategies GOLD

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Growth Assessment

| Social-Emotional | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
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| | Bottom | Top | # Children | Average | # Below | % Below | # Meeting | % Meeting | # Exceeding | % Exceeding |
| South Fant School of Early Education | 371 | 472 | 102 | 324 | 99 | 97.1 | 3 | 2.9 | | |
| Physical | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
| | Bottom | Top | # Children | Average | # Below | % Below | # Meeting | % Meeting | # Exceeding | % Exceeding |
| South Fant School of Early Education | 488 | 702 | 102 | 463 | 62 | 60.8 | 40 | 39.2 | | |
| Language | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
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| South Fant School of Early Education | 371 | 549 | 102 | 320 | 70 | 68.6 | 32 | 31.4 | | |

| Cognitive | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
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| South Fant School of Early Education | 431 | 619 | 102 | 346 | 85 | 83.3 | 17 | 16.7 | | |
| Literacy | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
| | Bottom | Top | # Children | Average | # Below | % Below | # Meeting | % Meeting | # Exceeding | % Exceeding |
| South Fant School of Early Education | 529 | 711 | 102 | 488 | 80 | 78.4 | 22 | 21.6 | | |
| Mathematics | Widely Held Expectations | | Fall 2017/2018 | | | | | | | |
| | Bottom | Top | # Children | Average | # Below | % Below | # Meeting | % Meeting | # Exceeding | % Exceeding |
| South Fant School of Early Education | 383 | 504 | 102 | 312 | 95 | 93.1 | 7 | 6.9 | | |

School Description

- South Fant opened in 2004 as an Early Childhood Center.
- South Fant Early Childhood Center's name changed to South Fant School of Early Education in 2010.
- South Fant has 162 students.
- Our yearly attendance rate is 95.7%.
- We have 12 Certified Staff.
- We have 20 Classified Staff.
- We are a rural early childhood school.
- South Fant houses ages birth -4 year olds.
- South Fant serves infants and toddlers of teen parents who are pursuing their high school diplomas.
- South Fant provides a High School Equivalency (GED) class through Adult Education for parents and working adults.
- We are one of the only two early childhood schools in SC with an AA rating by the state's ABC voucher system.