Leadership

J. Tanner Curry, *Principal* Debra Healey, *Asst. Principal* Sarah Barnes, *Math Interventionist* Bridgett Henderson, *Reading Interventionist* Deshun Mack, *School Counselor* Shirley Massey, *Reading Coach* Nora Meyn, *Reading Interventionist*

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*The Cherryvale Elementary School Improvement Council (SIC) has prepared this report in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

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Cherryvale Elementary School

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From the Principal

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new principal of Cherryvale Elementary School. I am grateful to join this amazing school community and I look forward to partnering with Mrs. Debra Healey, Assistant Principal, to continue to serve all students and families of Cherryvale Elementary School. As the old proverb states, "It takes a village to raise a child", and the faculty and staff of Cherryvale have exemplified this in their school culture. It is my goal to continue working with our "village" as we move forward as a school family.

I am honored to be selected to lead Cherryvale Elementary School as principal. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dr. William Wright, Superintendent, and the Sumter School District Board of Trustees for entrusting me to lead such a wonderful school community. My promise to them and the Cherryvale community is that as principal, I will be "Falcon Ready" every day.

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Mr. J. Tanner Curry, Principal Cherryvale Elementary School

Partnerships & Initiatives

- Alice Drive Baptist Church
- Arts in Basic Curriculum
- Blue Ridge of Sumter
- Cherryvale Community Center
- Christ Community Church
- Church of the Holy Comforter
- Crosspoint Baptist Church
- Lou Vonn Foundation
- Medical University of South Carolina
- Mt. Olive AME Church
- New Salem Baptist Church
- Read to Succeed
- Southern Regional Education Board
- St. Luke AME Church
- Sumter First Church of the Nazarene
- Sumter United Ministries
- Title I
- University of South Carolina
- Victory Church of Sumter
- Wayman Chapel AME Church

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Cherryvale Elementary School serves over 525 students in PreK - 5th Grade with an average class size of 20 students. The school mascot is the falcon and the colors are blue and gold.

Currently, Cherryvale Elementary School has over 100 students involved in arts programs including chorus, dance, drama, drumline, percussion ensemble, and visual arts. These programs perform in various capacities at school and within the community throughout the year. In addition, as part of a joint effort, these students will partner with community organizations and Crestwood High School to perform Disney's *Moana, Jr.*, a musical, in 2023.

Listed below are just a few of the many points of pride for our school. Any success that Cherryvale Elementary School has achieved could not have been accomplished without the support of our stakeholders, and we sincerely thank you all for your continued investment in our children and community.

- Various community partnerships in the arts, outreach, and service.
- Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) school with focus on student achievement in literacy and math.
- Several coaching, development, and intervention supports available to teachers and students.

These accomplishments, among many others not listed, would not be possible without the support of our stakeholders.