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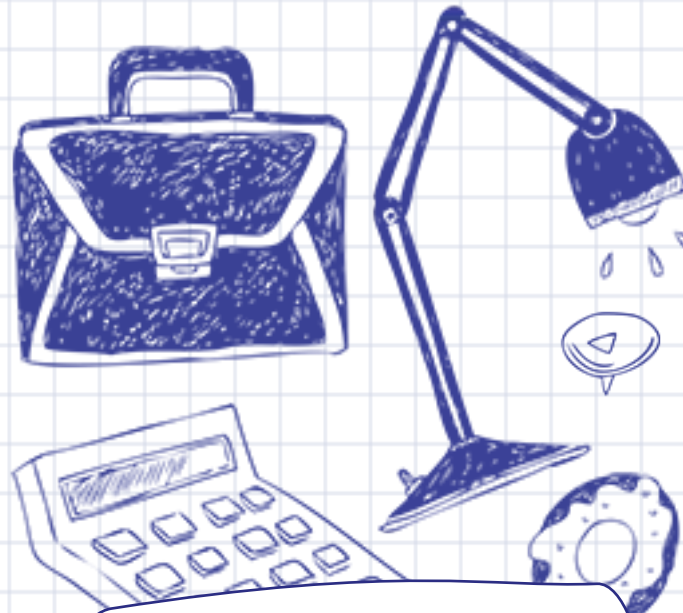
1. Student learning is the chief priority for the school.
2. Each student is a valued individual with unique physical, social, emotional and intellectual needs.
3. Students learn in different ways and should be produced with a variety of instructional and assessment opportunities that address these needs.
4. Schools needs to function as a learning organization and promote opportunities for all those who have a stake in the success of the school to work together as a community of learners.
5. A safe and physically comfortable environment promotes student learning.
6. A student's self-esteem is enhanced by positive relationships and mutual respect among and between students and staff.
7. Exceptional students (i.e. special education, English Language Learners, talented and gifts, etc.) require special services and resources.

**Our Mission**

The mission of CDE is to meet the needs of the whole child by preparing innovative, diverse, and successful learning opportunities in an educational

**Our Vision**

Crosswell Drive will provide a positive learning environment that strives to develop critical thinkers, life-long learners, and productive citizens.

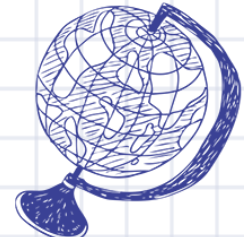


**DEAR PARENTS:**

As required by law the Crosswell Drive Elementary School Improvement Council has prepared the Annual Report for you and the school community.

This report reviews the improvements made during the 2016-2017 school year and describes the planned activities for improvements during the school year. This report of our goals and improvements is intended to serve as a summary of the vision that we have for the students of Crosswell Drive base on the previous year's progress.

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**Crosswell Drive Elementary**

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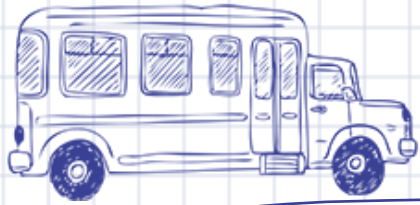
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ANNUAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

REPORT TO THE PARENTS

2016-2017



### CDE Performance Goals

1. Utilize data to drive daily instruction.
2. Implement state standards in grades K-5 and provide teachers with weekly professional development.
3. Increase rigor, relevance, and relationship in classroom instruction.
4. Implement small group instruction in reading and mathematics.
5. Continue our annual school-wide reading and math initiatives.
6. Promote parent involvement with events in the school (i.e. Holidays Around the World, Doughnuts for Dad, Muffins for Mom, Family Night, Parent/Child Workshops, Parent-Teacher Conferences, etc.)
7. Continue to promote, encourage, support, and provide opportunities for developing our students' talents (i.e. Step Team, Choir, Bell Boys, Beta Club, Black History Program Performances, etc.)

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## CROSSWELL DRIVE: A BRIEF HISTORY

Crosswell Drive Elementary dates back to 1950 and is one of 26 public elementary, middle and high schools in Sumter School District. Crosswell Drive is one of 16 fully accredited elementary schools in Sumter School District. In 2006, The Crosswell Drive Magnet School for the Arts and Technology began, which included the construction of the Fine Arts Center. Recent renovations include enhanced specialty areas of science, computer lab, art, PE and music. During the 2016-2017 school year, the cafeteria was enlarged. Walkways and awnings were added on school grounds for students who walk to school.



### SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

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## NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2017 Teacher of the Year, Erica Sumpter-Wright
- Safe Routes to School Participant
- National Walk to School Participant
- National Junior Beta Club Active Chapter
- Conducted the Fifth Annual "Holidays Around the World" with over 300 students and parents in attendance
- Parent Workshops conducted throughout the year
- Saturday Academy conducted with over 90 students in attendance
- Students honored for Black History writings by the Sumter Police Department
- Accredited through AdvancEd
- Community partnership with First Baptist Missionary Church and Wayman Chapel AME
- 3rd Annual Author's Tea held to celebrate student authors
- "Reading for the Gold" reading celebrations held throughout the year