ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- SFES Teacher of the Year: Courtney Brady, 3rd Grade Teacher
- SFES Support Staff of the Year: Jennifer Hawkensen, Registered Behavior Tech
- South Carolina Counseling Association Outstanding Administrator of the Year Award: Casey Czapla, Assistant Principal
- Partipated an "All Colts Count Inclusion Week" in which we celebrated diversity amongst our students
- Model PLC School by Solution Tree
- STEAM Teacher Leaders with Discovery Education partnership at SFES: Mike Pearson, Jamie Thomas, and Amanda Alter
- Our Student Ambassadors Club helps us support student leadership such as raising money for our recycling program.
- Book Character Day provided SFES staff and students a way to display our school-wide enjoyment of reading
- Ongoing Implementation by our Ci3t team to continue developing and implementing a 3 tiered system of social, academic, and behavioral supports
- Partnership with Kindermourn to provide hope for grieving children by offering support, counseling programs, and creating awareness of bereavement
- Connected with Atrium Health to provide ongoing mental health services for our students
- SFES Culture Night to provide an opportunity to celebrate diversity and foster a sense of community as families can showcase various aspects of their culture, such as traditional food, music, dance, clothing, art, and customs.
- Jennifer Antley earned M.Ed. in Literacy with a focus in ESOL from Clemson University
- Jamie Thomas earned a PhD in Psychology with an emphasis in Cognition and Instruction from Grand Canyon University
- 8th ranked Elementary School in SC according to Niche
- Partnership with Bright Blessing to donate snack bags and hygiene kits.
- Partnership with The Giving Porch for clothes donations.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

Fred Bruce, Community Member

Jeannine Bruce, Community Member

Kasey Segal, Teacher

Elisha Herbes, Teacher

Jessica Dyer, Teacher

Courtney Clanton, Parent

Casey Czapla, Assistant Principal

Adam Fantone, Principal

Shantrell Gordon, Teacher

Aaryn Marsters, Assistant Principal

Sarah Myers, Parent

Christine Grogan, Parent

Amber White, Parent

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR STAFF

- Continued development and analysis of our three year plan for staff professional development
- 2 staff members attended the Orton Gillingham Conference
- LETRS Professional Development Sessions provided by the Reading Coach and State Coaches
- 3 staff members attended the Designing Engaging Assessments Conference
- 1 staff member attended the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics Conference
- 3 Guidance Counselors attended the Palmetto State School Counselor Conference
- 7 staff members attended the PLC Behavior Solutions: A Practical Roadmap for Behavior Success in All Tiers Workshop
- 1 staff member attended the Gifted & Talented Conference
- Colt Academy professional development for new staff
- 1 staff member attended the National Youth Advocacy & Resiliency Conference
- 1 staff member attended the South Carolina Counseling Association Conference
- 1 Staff member attended the Get Your Teach On Conference



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Mission & Vision Statements

MISSION: SPRINGFIELD ELEMENTARY WILL PROVIDE A CARING AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT WHERE STAFF, STUDENTS, FAMILIES, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGE IN THE PROCESS OF TEACHING AND LEARNING TOGETHER IN AN EFFORT TO CONTINUALLY PROMOTE THE ACADEMIC, SOCIAL, AND EMOTIONAL GROWTH OF OUR STUDENTS.

VISION: AT SPRINGFIELD ELEMENTARY: WE CREATE ENVIRONMENTS WHERE LEARNING IS MEANINGFUL AND ENGAGING. WE ENSURE STUDENTS LEARN, GROW, AND DISCOVER THEIR STRENGTHS. WE BUILD POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS BASED ON MUTUAL RESPECT. WE HOLD HIGH EXPECTATIONS FOR EVERY STUDENT.

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All Kids Are Our Kids!

GOALS FOR SPRINGFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Teaching and Learning: Our goal is to continue to show growth and increase student achievement on SC Ready, SC PASS, STAR, and F&P assessments. Teachers collaborate weekly using PLC's in math and ELA to help achieve these goals. The teachers also set professional growth goals within their SLO's, which they self-reflect and collaborate with others to grow as educators.

<u>Continuous Improvement</u>: Monthly professional development is provided in the areas of math, literacy, and STEAM. We also continued our partnership with Discovery Education to enhance our instruction. We also started Teachers as Leaders, where teachers provide professional development to each other based on their strengths.

Leadership and Communication: SFES provided opportunities for families to be active participants in their child's academic growth virtually, by offering events such as: Meet the Teacher, Rodeo Night, various Writing Celebrations, Literacy Night, & as well as other opportunities. We strive to have effective communication with parents by utilizing weekly Tuesday folders, Web Page, Hoofbeat Weekly Newsletter for parents, Weekly Colt Courier news for staff, SES Facebook Account, and PTA Facebook Page.

Resources, Safety, and Student Support: We continue to support students through our MTSS process to identify students who need intervention. We utilize flexible groups for intervention. We have a full-time security guard on campus. We strive to be above 95% for satisfaction of physical and social environments. Our school safety team meets twice yearly to determine our needs as a school.

COLTS choose to:

- Do our best
- Be Responsible
- · Take care of each other



SC SCHOOL REPORT CARD: EXCELLENT OVERALL RATING

Springfield Elementary had an overall score of Excellent. We were excellent in the areas of Academic Acheivement and English Learners' Progress and good in Preparing for Success, and Student Progress.

SC READY STATE ASSESSMENT

- 2021 ELA: Does Not Meet 19.2%; Approaches 25.9%; Meets 27.3%; Exceeds 27.6%
- 2021 MATH: Does Not Meet 18.9%; Approaches 26.1%; Meets 27.6%; Exceeds 27.3%
- 2022 ELA: Does Not Meet 11.2%; Approaches 19.1%; Meets 33.2%; Exceeds 36.6%
- 2022 MATH: Does Not Meet 14.6%; Approaches 21.1%; Meets 31.6%; Exceeds 32.6%
- 2023 ELA: Does Not Meet 8.9%; Approaches 16.1%; Meets 31.6%; Exceeds 43.4%
- 2023 MATH: Does Not Meet 12.2%; Approaches 22.2%; Meets 30.4%; Exceeds 35.1%
- 2024 ELA: Does Not Meet 7.2%; Approaches 16.6%; Meets 27.8%; Exceeds 48.4%
- 2024 MATH: Does Not Meet 9.8%; Approaches 19.2%; Meets 33.6%; Exceeds 37.4%

SFES STAR ASSESSMENT FOR 2024-2025

READING 2024-2025 Grades 1-5 Fall 71.4 % Winter 73.8% Spring 72.3% READING 2023-2024 Grades 1-5 Fall 71.4 % Winter 72.1% **Spring 72.3%** MATH 2024-2025 Grades 1-5 Fall 72.3% Winter 78.8% **Spring 71.3%** MATH 2023-2024 Grades 1-5 Fall 68.7% Winter 75.7% Spring 72%

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SERVICE LEARNING & COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

<u>LifePointe Church Partnership:</u> LifePoint offers assistance through supporting our staff with various ways to show them recognition and support students by being highly involved in a mentor program.

<u>Student Food Pantry:</u> Collaborated with the NAFO Beta Club, Foundation of Fort Mill, Fort Mill Church of God, and Carolinas Rehabilitation Pineville Outpatient Clinic to begin the services for our Food Pantry to support our families with additional food and classroom snacks.

<u>Snack Drive:</u> Families donated snacks and other items to support our community by providing these items to the Fort Mill Care Center.

<u>Charlotte Hornets Reading Bus Event:</u> Represtentatives from the Charlotte Hornets came to present and motivate students about the importance of reading. Many students were about pick out books from the Hornets Book Bus.

<u>Community Assistance</u>: Participated in the Angel Tree Project with the partnership of the Church of God to provide food, clothes, and toys for SFES families.

<u>Winthrop Partnership</u>: SFES continued into year Five of its partnership with Winthrop University. We hosted several aspiring teachers during their internships from Winthrop as well as other universities.

<u>Host Teacher Cadets</u>: Continued partnership with Nation Ford High School to support the teacher cadet program.

<u>School Clubs</u>: The SFES gardening club grew and maintained a school garden. We had a boys running club called "Let Me Run, and a girls club called "Girls on the Run".

<u>Camp Invention</u>: program inspires curiosity and helps kids build essential STEM skills through collaboration with friends and one-of-a-kind creative problem-solving experiences. Campers explore hands-on challenges and open-ended adventures designed to encourage new discoveries and bring big ideas to life.

<u>Fundraising</u>: SFES has continued our partnership with Boosterthon to assist us with fundraising to help support our students. We raised funds for classroom resources and supplies. Families were able to learn about and donate to the St. Jude Foundation during our STEAM night.

<u>Penny Wars</u>: A Funderaiser between grade levels to support MaxAbilities in Rock Hill, SC. MaxAbilities help people with disabilities to discover their own unique abilities. Everyone should have the opportunity to Maximize those abilities regardless of their challenges.

Thanksgiving Food Drive: Initiated by our first grade team, families donated food and other items to support our community by providing these items to the Fort Mill Care Center.

<u>Public Library</u>: We partnered with the local public library to promote reading and other literacy type events that students can participate in throughout the year.