

Awards and Recognitions

Safe Kids Safe School Award
Multiple "Donors Choose" Recipients
Palmetto Gold and Silver Awards
Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Grant
School Arts Materials (SAM) Grant

Programs/Activities

- Balanced Literacy
- PBIS
- STEM Night
- Good News Club
- Beta Club & Beta Club School Store
- Family Reading and Math Night
- Leveled Literacy Intervention
- Positive Behavior Intervention System (PBIS)
- Safety Patrol
- Girls on the Run
- Run Hard for Boys
- Parent & Family Engagement Workshops
- Second Language Classes for Families
- Chorus
- Science Day
- Girl Scouts
- Kiwanis Terrific Kid
- Community Partnerships
- PTA Programs
- Mentoring Program
- Universal Breakfast
- Art Club
- Student Council

Resources

- Promethean ActivPanel in every classroom
- Reading Resource Room
- Document cameras in every classroom
- Wireless throughout the building
- 1-1 Chromebooks in Pre-K - 5th grade
- Laptops for each teacher
- District Academic Specialists
- District Technology Instructional Specialist
- Technology Teachers

SIC Members

Appointed Members

Jennifer Harvey Community Member
Beth Simmons Community Member

Elected Members

Emily Miller Parent
Matt Miller Parent
Michelle Balthazr Teacher
Danielle Conaway Teacher
Riley Winingham Teacher (Chair)

Ex-Officio Members

Rosa Childers Teacher of the Year
Sofia Tsambounieris Principal

Purpose of the Report

"This Report is issued by the Hollis Academy School Improvement Council 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."



Annual School Improvement Council Report to the Parents 2020-2021

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The mission of Hollis Academy is to support students socially, emotionally, and academically by establishing an engaging environment where students are inspired to create, collaborate, and commit themselves to a lifetime of learning.

Hollis Academy

Our History

Hollis Academy is a Title I school located in the Judson Mill Community in Greenville, South Carolina. We serve students in pre-K through the fifth grade. The school day begins at 7:45 a.m., and students are dismissed at 2:15 p.m. The history of Hollis Academy began with the establishment of the Parker School District by Mr. Laurence Peter Hollis. Mr. Hollis was instrumental as the superintendent of the school district, where he served as Superintendent from 1923-1951. Hollis is proud to be named for Mr. L.P. Hollis and proud to continue his tradition of excellence in education.

At Hollis Academy, we continue to strive toward providing a successful learning environment for all students. With the assistance of a dedicated staff and support of our community and stakeholders, we continue to care for children today in order to create leaders for tomorrow.



Student Achievement

**19-20 Data unavailable due to school closure during pandemic*



2018-2019 Overall Rating
Good
57

School performance exceeds the criteria to ensure all students meet the Profile of the SC Graduate.



Student Engagement
Excellent
10.00/10

School performance exceeds the criteria to ensure all students meet the Profile of the SC Graduate.

About Hollis Academy

Hollis Academy is helping all students develop world class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the Graduate by providing a quality learning environment where students feel welcome and are eager to learn. Our school goals focus on academic achievement, professional development, technology integration, and community relations. Specific strategies are developed to support the attainment of each goal.

We believe students should be self-motivated problem solvers and lifelong learners who demonstrate mastery in all grade level standards. Students are encouraged to set goals and implement a continuous improvement model while engaging in a variety of academic and enrichment activities, such as Junior Beta Club, student council, safety patrols, chorus, Art Club, Science Day, Math Night and Reading Night.

Families have a wide range of opportunities to be involved in their child's education, provide opportunities for input, and build strong home/school connections. We are continually growing our services which include second language classes, parenting workshops, and academic success of our students.

For more information, you may view Hollis Academy's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.