

School Improvement Goals
By 2024, Beaufort Elementary School will...

Goal #1: Increase number of students from 37% meets or exceeds expectation to 50% meets or exceeds expectations on the Math SC READY Assessment.

Goal #2: Increase number of students from 35.1% meets or exceeds expectations to 50.1% meets or exceeds expectations on the ELA SC READY Assessment.

Goal #3: Increase the number of kindergarten, first grade and second grade students scoring at the 50th percentile on NWEA MAP Math assessment from 49.1% to 59.1%

Goal #4: By 2024 winter administration of IREADY Diagnostic, a minimum of 60% of first grade students will score at or above grade level in high frequency word recognition.

Goal #5: Increase the number of students scoring Meets or Exceeds from 42.2% to 52.2% on SC PASS Science assessment.

Goal #6: By 2024 Beaufort Elementary will increase the number of Read to Succeed endorsed teachers from 51% to 80%.

Goal #7: By 2024, Beaufort Elementary will increase the percentage of students with a positive score in the category of Self-Efficacy from 60% (Fall 2021) to 70% as measured by the Panorama Student Survey.

Purpose of this Report

This report is issued, in accordance with South Carolina law, by the Beaufort Elementary School Improvement Council - an advisory board to the principal dedicated to improving student achievement. The SIC hopes to share information on the school's progress in meeting goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the year.



BES School Improvement Council:

**SIC Parents and
Community Members:**
Courtney Mincey
Mindy Anthony
John Leadem

SIC Teachers:
Mendy Gannon
Erin Somerall

Ex-officio: Michelle Sackman and Wendy Oels.

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**BEAUFORT
ELEMENTARY**
Proud to be a Title I School!

School Improvement Council

Report to the Parents 2022 -2023

PTO / SIC meetings held jointly
each month.



The mission of Beaufort Elementary School, in partnership with Beaufort County Schools, is to develop our community of learners into responsible, world class citizens through diverse curricula that fosters creativity, collaboration, critical thinking, and communication.

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“At Beaufort Elementary School, our mission is to promote academic growth and character development in a safe and engaging environment. We challenge our students each day to reach their full potential as learners and citizens.”



Overarching Goals:

1. **STEAM Integration**
2. **Inclusion Model (SPED)**
3. **Student Self-Efficacy**
4. **Service Learning Projects at every grade level**
5. **LETRS certification for all K-3 teachers**

PRIDE in what we accomplish and **JOY** in what we offer:

- Responsive Classroom teaching approach
- Houseboat 'SOARing into Success' school climate initiative
- BES STEM certified by Cognia
- Sammy Soars After School Tutoring Program
- After School Enrichment Clubs
- BES 3rd and 4th grade and Fripp Audubon Club partnership
- Honor Choir and GT Arts afterschool enrichment
- River of Words Participation
- Neighborhood Outreach Center (NOC) for after school continuing education
- STEAM based Career Fair
- Annual STEAM Challenge Competition
- Lego Lab, Engineering Lab Computer Science, Coding Lab, and Science Labs
- Maker Space opportunities
- Spirit Day Huddle events
- Red Ribbon Week Celebration
- Monthly Visual Arts/ Musical Programs
- Read Across America Week
- Student Leadership Team—*The Navigators*
- Field Day
- CheerLEADERS Leadership Group
- Curriculum Night Events-Literacy, Math, STEM
- Project UNIFY / Special Olympics School
- Audubon Certified Habitat Outdoor Lab
- Outdoor Turtle Habitat (previous grant)
- National Elementary Honor Society

How parents can become involved to support school improvement efforts:

- Attend Parent Teacher Conferences
- Read with your child 20 minutes each night.
- Have your child use teacher provided apps on their devices to support learning.
- Review your child's MAP, SCREADY, and-PASS score reports.
- Attend special school sponsored events and Celebration of Achievement ceremonies.
- Attend scheduled Title I planning events.
- Attend and participate in SIC and PTO.
- Volunteer for class and school events and collaborate with teachers.
- Sign-up to be a student mentor.
- Ensure your child comes to school prepared for learning each day.
- Review your child's progress in the Power School Parent Portal on a regular basis.



Awards and Accolades:

- Cognia STEM certified
- ABC Designation
- Recognized certified Audubon habitat.
- DoDEA Grant Participating School
- NEHS Chapter