BLUE RIDGE Elementary





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The mission of Blue Ridge Elementary is to provide a safe, respectful environment where children and learning come first.

School Facts

Enrollment: 563 students 50% Caucasian 24% African American 13% Hispanic 12% Other 77% Free/Reduced Lunch

Vision

If you have the desire to be the **BEST**, you also have the power to make it happen!

- B: Be In Control
- E: Encourage Others
- S: Show Respect
- T: Take Responsibility

SIC Members: Margaret Campbell, Ryan Keese, Stephanie Hammond, Nate Dent, Kelli Willimon, Kristen Merritt, Brenda Bouldin, Sandy Bomely, Carolyn Keese, Renea Mayes-Rice, Karen Smith, Shannon Holland, Shena Gibson Theopolis Tolson, Edith Gil



SCHOOL DISRICT OF OCONEE COUNTY BLUE RIDGE ELEMENTARY

Beliefs

- Education is a lifelong process.
- Students must have equal opportunity to learn in a physically and emotionally safe environment.
- Parent and guardians should have the opportunity and accept the responsibility to actively support the learning process.
- Education should provide the opportunity for students to learn how to communicate effectively, solve problems competently, think critically and creatively, and act responsibly.
- All students can learn and will be challenged to their individual abilities.
- Education must be relevant to the needs of the changing technological society in which it operates.

Student Recognition

- All A's and A/B Honor Roll
- Perfect Attendance
- Rotary Student of the Month
- Chick-fil-A Value-able Reward Program
- NIne weeks ribbon ceremonies
- PBIS Nine Week Celebration

School Activities/Programs

- SIC Fall Family Fun Night
- SIC Pancake Breakfast
- Chorus/Art Club/Drama Club/Garden Club
- Ridge Runners/Beta Club
- Box Tops for Education
- Grade Level Field Trips
- Chick-fil-A, Subway Eat Fresh, and Marco's Nights
- Math Madness
- School-Wide Reading Celebrations
- Read Across America Week/Career Day
- Jump into Kindergarten
- United Way/Sertoma Camp Participants
- Positive Behavior Intervention System (PBIS)
- Literacy, Math/Science and Fine Arts Family Nights
- Recycling Team/Breathe Better Program
- Safety Patrol
- GIfted and Talented Education/ESOL Program
- Preschool Intervention and Pre-K Programs
- Math/Reading Morning Lab
- Backpack Program
- Seneca Rotary Student of the Month/Rotary Readers
- Veteran's Day Program
- Fire Safety Program/Tornado Poster Safety Contest
- School Volunteer Program/Upstate Mentor Program
- Future Chef Competition
- Special Olympics/Field Day
- Club SOAR/YMCA Afterschool Programs
- B.A.R.K. Reading Program
- Summer Reading Program
- Lion's Club Computers
- Birthday books and cupcakes

2016-2019 SC Ready ELA and Math Test Results

		ELA						Math					
Grade	Year	Num	Mean	%NM	%M	%Е	%ME	Num	Mean	%NM	%М	%Е	%ME
All	2016	289	N	25.3	26.3	9.0	35.3	289	N	29.1	29.1	12.5	41.5
All	2017	294	450.7	33.3	23.5	3.7	27.2	294	449.7	33.3	24.1	7.5	31.6
All	2018	272	462.8	31.6	26.1	7.7	33.8	272	459.6	36.0	22.1	11.4	33.5
All	2019	285	448.6	37.9	26.7	8.4	35.1	285	465.2	29.8	28.1	11.9	40.0