

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

- 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 to support the learning process.
- Education should provide the opportunity for students to learn how to communicate effectively, solve problems competently, think critically and creatively, be responsible.
- 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.



Blue Ridge Facts

590 Students
 87% Free/Reduced Lunch
 52% Caucasian
 22% African American
 14% Hispanic
 12 % Other

SCReady Scores

Table 1: ELA Three Year SC READY Performance Level by Grade

Grade Year	Does Not Meet	Approaches	Meets	Exceeds
All				
2019	37.9%	27.0%	26.7%	8.4%
2021	42.4%	32.8%	14.5%	10.3%
2022	36.7%	27.5%	22.5%	13.3%
Change	-5.7%	-5.3%	8.0%	3.0%

Table 2: SC READY Math Performance Level by Grade

Grade Year	Does Not Meet	Approaches	Meets	Exceeds
All				
2019	29.8%	30.2%	28.1%	11.9%
2021	38.5%	32.8%	17.9%	10.7%
2022	37.5%	30.0%	20.8%	11.7%
Change	-1.0%	-2.8%	2.9%	1.0%

*Green highlight represents positive change

School Improvement Council Members

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A Title I School

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

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Student Recognition

- All A's and A/B Honor Roll
- Perfect Attendance
- Rotary Student of the Month
- Character Education Student of the Month
- Nine Week's Ribbon Ceremonies
- PBIS Celebration
- Principal's Writing Wall of Fame
- Perfect Attendance
- Positive Referrals



Grants Awarded

- Dabo Swinney All-In Grant
- Several Donor's Choose Grants by Various Teachers
- The Bee Cause School Renewal Grant

School Activities/ Programs

- Outdoor Christmas Concert
- Chorus/Art Club/Lego League
- Inchy Worm Book Vending
- Duke Energy Night
- Grade Level Field Trips
- Marco's Nights
- School-Wide Reading Celebrations
- Read Across America Week
- STEM Career Day
- Sertoma Camp Participants
- Positive Behavior Intervention System
- Literacy, Math/Science and Fine Arts Family Nights
- * RISE Reading Intervention
- Safety Patrol
- Gifted and Talented/ESOL Programs
- Preschool Intervention and Pre-K programs
- Reading Recovery
- Jump into Kindergarten
- Backpack Program
- Adopt a Reading Buddy
- Seneca Rotary Student of the Month
- Veteran's Day Program
- Fire Safety/Tornado Poster Safety Contest
- School Volunteer Program/Rotary Readers/Guest readers
- Fall Family Fun Night
- Special Olympics/Field Day
- B.A.R.K Reading Program
- Summer Reading Program
- Take a book home for summer free book fair
- PTO Holiday Shop
- PTO Valentine's Dance
- Active Bee Hive
- Trout in the classroom
- Science Fair
- Daily News Show