

Pinehurst At A Glance...

Certified Staff...62

Staff with Advanced De-
grees...31

National Board Certified...2

Student Enrollment... 803

African American stu-
dents...202 (25%)

Hispanic Students...523 (65%)

Caucasian Students...63 (8%)

Other...8 (2%)

Pinehurst's Shared Vision:

During time at Pinehurst, stu-
dents will work towards becom-
ing life-long learners in a warm
and inviting environment that
promotes individualized learn-



Giving Our Best at
PIES

School Improvement Council/Title I Advisory Board Members

Lindsay Paredes, SIC Chairperson
Karen Bright, PTO Member
Dianne Benton, Principal
Ian James, Assistant Principal
Jeneane Gatewood, PTO Liaison
Lauren Roche, 3rd Grade Teacher
Jennifer Primiano, 2nd Grade Teacher
Dave Foster, Community Representative
Jennifer Johnson, Guidance Counselor

School Improvement Council Goals

**Create a welcoming environment
for all**
**Promote parent and community
involvement**
**Support communication between
school and home**



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Charleston > excellence is our standard
County SCHOOL DISTRICT

- Individualized and personalized instruction
- Translators on staff
- Eight full time ESOL teachers
- SDE Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Grant recipient
- Palmetto Gold Award Recipient
- Parent Educator on staff

**A Title I Funded, Positive Be-
havior Interventions and Sup-
ports (PBIS) School**

Home of the Eagles



Dianne Benton, Principal
Ian James, Assistant Principal

Students Enjoy...

- Student-led PTO programs
- Student Leadership Cohort
- Charleston County Recycling Program
- Student-led Conferences
- Quarterly Awards Programs
- Gardening Club
- Student Council
- Art Club
- Green Team
- Crazy 8s Math Club
- Trident United Way Day of Caring

And for our Parents...



- Title I Advisory, PTO Board, and School Improvement Council
- English and Computer Classes
- Computer access
- Latino Family Literacy Project
- PTO Family Nights
- Lunch Buddies
- Parent Educator

Academically Speaking...

- Personalized Data Conferences
- Weekly Teacher Curriculum Team Meetings
- *Bridges Math* Pilot Program
- Tier 2 and Tier 3 Intervention
- Accelerated Reader Program
- Math, Literacy, and Instructional Resource Teacher Support Services
- MTSS Team—Support Service to Teachers
- Master Reading Teachers (2)
- SMART Board Interactive Lessons
- Compass Learning and Lexia software programs (Home Accessibility)

Behavioral Highlights

- PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports) Model—Exemplary Award
- Quarterly Behavior Incentives (dances, movies, Spring Fling, etc.)
- Behavior Leadership Team
 - Claw Cash/Golden Wings
 - Continuous review of behavior data



Moving into the Technology Age...

- 1:1 iPad integration
- Multiple computers per classroom
- Teacher laptop computers
- SMART Boards in every classroom
- Wireless Internet
- Upgraded Computer Labs (2)
- SMART Document Cameras
- iPod Reading Stations

Soaring Away...



- Reading Fluency Centers
- Ongoing Professional Development
- The Citadel Hero Project
- Lowcountry Foodbank School Pantry
- Literacy Coach
- Award Winning Kaleidoscope
- Literacy Interventionists
- 1:1 Student iPads
- Educational Apps