

Pinehurst At A Glance...

Certified Staff—46

Staff with Advanced Degrees— 49%

Student Enrollment—650

Nationally Board Certified: 5 Teachers

Ethnic Breakdown:

African American—30%

Hispanic—62%

Caucasian—7%

Other—1%

Pinehurst's Shared Vision:

During time at Pinehurst, students will work towards becoming life-long learners in a warm and inviting environment that promotes individualized learning and collaboration.



Giving Our Best At PIES

School Improvement Council/Title I Advisory Board Members

Rosa Delaney, SIC Chairperson
Kathy Roberson, PTO Memeber
Dianne Benton, Principal
Ian James, Assistant Principal
Jeneane Gatewood, PTO Liaison
Kate O'Leary, 2nd Grade Teacher
Jennifer Primiano, 4th Grade Teacher
Katelynd Haggerty, 3rd Grade Teacher
Dave Foster, Community Representative
Jenniffer 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

- BRIDGE Grant Recipient
- Race to the Top Grant Recipient
- Opportunities for individualized and personalized instruction
- Translator on staff
- Six full time ESOL teachers
- SDE Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Grant recipient
- Palmetto Gold Award Recipient

*A Title I Funded, Positive
Behavior Interventions and
Supports (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
- SMART Nights
- Student Chorus
- Art Club
- Green Team
- Yoga in the Yard
- 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
- Grandparents' Day Breakfast
- PTO Family Nights
- Lunch Buddies



Academically Speaking...

- Personalized Data Conferences
- Weekly Teacher Curriculum Team Meetings
- *MyMath* Program
- Math Bowl and PASS Challenges
- 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 software program (Home Accessibility)
- Intervention groups at all grade levels

Behavioral Highlights

- PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports) Model—Exemplary Award
- Dramatically decreased office referrals
- Quarterly Behavior Incentives (dances, movies, jump-rope gala, etc.)
- Behavior Leadership Team
- - Claw Cash/Golden Wings
- - Continuous review of behavior data



Moving into the Technology Age...

- iPad integration
- Multiple computers per classroom
- Teacher laptop computers
- SMART Boards in every classroom
- Wireless Internet
- Upgraded Computer Lab
- SMART Document Cameras
- iPod Reading Stations
- Flip Video Cameras

Soaring Away...



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