

School Organizations

School Improvement Council

Rebecca Sanderson—Chairperson

Danielle Snyder—Parent

Dinelia Gonzalez—Parent/Community Representative

Dr. Willie Thompson Jr. —Community Representative

Lanna Whitener—Teacher

Macie Fitzgerald—Teacher

Jennifer Gillespie—Ex-Officio/Principal

Tia Jones—Ex-Officio/AP

Marion Kelly- Ex-Officio/AP

Parent Teacher Organization

Rachel Cornwell—President

Jenny Scott—Treasurer

Shannon Morgan—Secretary

Cori Brown—Fundraiser Coordinator

Mary Ann McPheeters, Lauren Stevens,

Jennifer Nocella —Teachers

Jennifer Gillespie—Ex-Officio/Principal

Tia Jones—Ex-Officio/AP

Marion Kelly- Ex-Officio/AP

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School Activities

Flag Patrol

Morning News Show

Recycling

Chorus/Honors Chorus

Steel Pans

Running Club

Grade Level Performances

Colts to Stallions Mentoring

TRAILMATES Mentoring

GEMS Mentoring

DARE

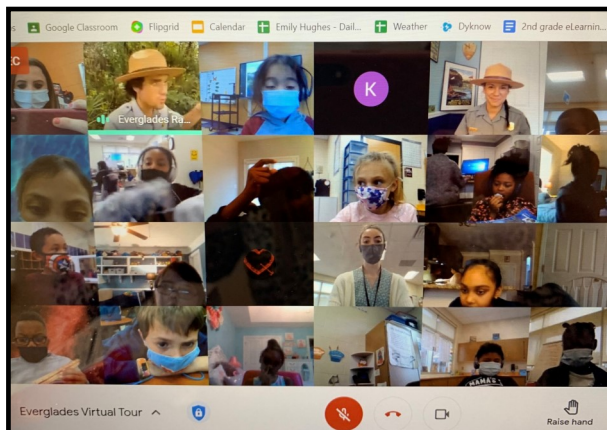
Career Day

African-American Read In

Veterans Day Activities

Month of the Military Child

Multi-Cultural Activities



Catawba Trail Elementary



Many Paths to the Future

2020-2021

Jennifer Gillespie, Principal

Tia Jones—Assistant Principal

Marion Kelly—Assistant Principal

1080 Old National Highway
Elgin, SC 29045
(803) 699-3501

School Hours: 8:00 a.m.—2:50 p.m.

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Mission Statement

In partnership with our community, Catawba Trail Elementary prepares all students for success by providing meaningful, challenging, and engaging learning experiences.

School Highlights

Accomplishments

2 Columbia College APEX
Teacher Candidates

ESOL Grant-
Getting Ready for Kindergarten

2 Department of Defense Grants

Partnerships

USC Professional Development School

Mentoring Initiatives with RVHS & SVHS

The Blake at Woodcreek Farms

Fort Jackson 2-60th Battalion

Oak Grove Baptist Church

Hope Baptist Church

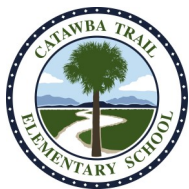
Service Learning

Principal's Heart Challenge

Walk for Life

Box Top Collections

School Supply Drive



School Information

The 2020-2021 school year has been a promising year despite the pandemic. This year proved just how resilient, courageous, and innovative our students and staff are. We were able to create new pathways of teaching and learning.



Student Enrollment

553 Students (PreK-5)

39% African American

27% White

23% Hispanic

3% Asian

7% Other

19% Military Connected Family Members

46 Teachers

7 National Board Certified Teachers

School Goals for 2021-2022

- ◆ Maintain a positive school culture and develop a common language for students, faculty, staff, and parents by strengthening our character education program through the use of the transformational 7 Mindsets curriculum.
- ◆ Implement AVID (Advancement via Individual Determination) strategies in grades 2-5 to increase college and career readiness.
- ◆ Increase student achievement by designing rigorous learning experiences to meet individual needs of students across all content areas.
- ◆ Promote closer connections between school and home by fostering participation and awareness of the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) and the School Improvement Council (SIC).
- ◆ Strengthen partnerships with community stakeholders.