

PTO:

Kara Troy.....President

Tori Davis.....Vice President



Enrichment at AES



- **DIG Afterschool Program** – The afterschool program meets Monday – Thursday from 3:00 pm -5:00 pm.
- **21st Century Afterschool Program** – This afterschool program meets – Monday - Wednesday from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- **CEM Summer Program** – This program centers around S.T.E.A.M activities. (3 Week Program).
- **PreK – 5 Summer Learning Program** – This program allows students the opportunity to fill gaps or and/or accelerate their learning.



School Improvement Council

- Willie Johnson - Chairperson
- Nina Mixson - Parent
- Kara Troy - Parent
- Nardia Tavares – Teacher
- Marilyn Davis - School Counselor
- Shemica Jackson–Teacher
- Willa Mikell—Community Member
- Gwen Walker—Community Member
- Sheila Leath – Ex Officio Member
- Dr. Beverly McCullough – Ex Officio Member

**Allendale-Fairfax
Elementary School**

Sheila Leath, Principal



Annual Report to Parents

2023-2024

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AFES Mission Statement

The mission of Allendale-Fairfax Elementary School is to create and maintain an environment that ensures that every student reaches a high level of academic achievement as determined by state and national standards. To ensure that this happens we commit to a comprehensive system of support.



AFES Vision Statement

Allendale-Fairfax Elementary School will have a safe, orderly environment where faculty, staff and administration work in harmony with mutual trust and respect where each child reaches high academic achievements and has his or her dreams nurtured.



School Goals

- Improving student achievement in the four core content areas
- Implementing a rigorous curriculum that supports student learning and achievement
- Integrating the use of technology into the curriculum to develop digital fluency
- Providing a safe and friendly environment that is conducive to learning
- Improving parental and community engagement
- Creating an environment that fosters a collaborative relationship between the home, school, and community to enhance the school climate.



What is AES doing to improve overall?

Instruction :

- **Open Court Curriculum** – Reading/Writing/Social Studies
- **Eureka Math** – Math Curriculum (K-5)
- **Interventionists** – students meet in small groups for more intense instruction in reading and math
- **Waterford Program** – Computer-based for reading/phonics. (3 & 4 Year Olds Grades)
- **Dreambox Mathematics** – is a math base program used by each student on their iPads. (K-5)
- **Aseed Seedlings** – laptops that 4k students receive to take home to practice foundational reading and math skills

School Climate:

- Jr. Beta Club
- PBIS
- Club Day (Monthly)
- STEEL Band
- Elementary Cheerleading Squad
- HOUSE System

Professional Development:

Our focus for professional development this year was three-fold; iReady, Eureka Math, and writing. (SC Ready).

State of SC Annual Report Card Ratings over 3-year Period

<u>Year</u>	<u>Absolute Rating</u>	<u>Growth Rating</u>
2021	Below Average	Average
2022	Below Average	Average
2023	Average	Good



Parent Involvement

Parents can become involved in addressing the academic issues that lead to identification in school improvement status by attending:

- Parent Conferences
- Report Card pick-up
- PTO/SIC meetings
- Lunch Buddies
- Father/Son Basketball Game
- Muffins for Mom
- Donuts for Dad
- Family Literacy Night
- Family Math/Science Night
- STEAM Night



Recognitions

- Marilyn Davis – District Teacher of the Year
- Several teachers were awarded Tri-county Community Foundation Grants
- State Department Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Grant recipient