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# Report to the Parents 2024-2025

#### Mission

The mission of Jefferson Elementary is to be a family that **SOARS** through: **S**afety, **O**wnership, **A**cceptance, **R**espect, and **S**upport.

### Recognitions

*Silver Award Winner	2011-2012	*Red Carpet	2009-2010	
	2012-2013		2010-2011	
	2014-2015	*SRNS Grant Recipients		
	2017-2018	*Donors Choose grant	Choose grant recipients	
*Red Carpet	2008-2009	*2021-22 Battle of the Books Champions		

#### **Our History**

Jefferson Elementary School is a 92,000 square foot building located in Area 3. We have a rich history in the Midland Valley area that dates back to the 1950's. Jefferson Elementary has welcomed generations of families throughout the years. Many staff members were raised in the area and continue to call Jefferson home today!

#### **Our School Today**

Currently, 591 students are enrolled.

# Review of 2023-2024 School Renewal Goals Accomplished: Curriculum

- \*Data was used to analyze students' needs and plan instruction.
- \*Reading intervention instruction was implemented through the reading initiative.
- \*Two reading intervention teachers were funded through Title 1 funds to support K-2nd literacy.
- \*Teachers participated in staff development with a focus on writing instruction.
- \*Fountas and Pinnell testing data was used to guide reading instruction.

#### **School Environment**

\*Surveys were used to determine staff development needs which were addressed throughout the year.

#### **Home - School Connection**

- \*Positive communication was sent home via positive notes home, Jefferson SOAR system
- \*The Student Ambassadors planned and implemented several service-learning projects throughout the year.
- \*School/class webpages were created/updated.
- \*Robo-calls to parents were made regularly.



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# School Renewal Plan Goal Student Achievement

\*Continue to improve instructional practices to ensure students are learning content at the highest level of rigor possible by implementing best practices for literacy and numeracy.

#### **Teacher Quality**

\*Provide extensive professional development on the implementation of research-based best practices for literacy and mathematics. Provide relevant staff development focusing on data-based individualized teacher needs in instruction, classroom environment, and classroom management.

#### **School Climate**

- \*Plan opportunities to inform and educate parents on the benefits of literacy instruction.
- \*Family Involvement Nights

## Student Achievement

SC Ready/SCPASS Data 2023-2024

**Grade 3** Met Standard ELA 39.5% Math 27.6%

Grade 4 Met Standard ELA 51.1% Math 26.1%

Grade 5 Met Standard ELA 50.0% Math 36.5%

District Averages: State Averages:

ELA- 50.8% ELA- 54.1%

Math- 33.8% Math- 42.8%

For more information, you may view Jefferson's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at

https://screportcards.com/overview/?q=eT0yMDI0JnQ9RSZzaWQ9MDIwMTAwNQ

#### **School Sponsored Student Activities**

\*American Heart Association

\*Book Buddies

\*Character Education

\*Cultural Diversity Day

\*Early Intervention Reading

Program

\*Family Enrichment Nights

\*Gifted and Talented Program

\*Student Ambassadors

\*Student Enrichment Night

\*Veteran's Day Activities

\*Christmas Outreach Program

\*Computer Assisted

Instruction

\*Holiday Musical

\*PTO

\*Positive Behavior

Celebrations

\*Interventions

\*Valley Empty Stocking Fund

\*WJES News Show

\*Chorus

\*Running Club



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# **School Improvement Council Members**

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