

Jefferson Elementary School

2019 Report to Parents

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Learners Today... Leaders Tomorrow

Our Purpose

The purpose of Jefferson Elementary School is to support students as they become independent adults, capable of making a positive impact on our world.

Our Direction

With the support of the community, students will be given opportunities to be problem solvers, precise communicators, and productive individuals. Their uniqueness will be celebrated and their individuality encouraged. They will be lifelong learners and responsible leaders.

Our Goals

1. Create a positive learning environment for students and staff.
2. Improve the technological resources we have available for students.
3. Improve communication with our parents and stakeholders.
4. Provide more opportunities to inform parents of assessments and State Standards.
5. Provide a learning environment that will meet the individual needs of our students.

17-18 Overall State Report Card rating of *Good*.
A rating of good means a school's performance exceeds the criteria to ensure all students meet the profile of a SC graduate.

The faculty and staff of Jefferson Elementary School strive to provide our students with a positive learning environment and a strong academic program that will meet their individual needs. Data is used to determine strengths and weaknesses. Each student is treated as a unique individual and supported as they become lifelong learners.

**2018
Percentage of students scoring
Met or Exemplary on SCPASS**

Grade	JES Science	JES Social Studies
4	46.2%	NA
5	NA	84.9%

**2018
Percentage of 3rd-5th grade students scoring
Meets or Exceeds on SCRReady**

Grade	JES ELA	JES Math
3	28.4%	38.8%
4	34.2%	29.1%
5	34.9%	39.5%

2018-19 Enrollment Data Total: 542

Pre-School	4K	5K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
8	67	78	79	86	82	87	89

TITLE 1 INFORMATION

Jefferson Elementary is a Title I school. Currently, the poverty index is 75.25%. During the 2018-19 School Year, Title I continued to fund a science lab instructor to provide hands-on science lessons. Funds were also used to provide a reading interventionist to serve students in grades K-2 and a part-time instructional aide. The monetary support also allowed for the purchase of LCD projectors, bulbs, intervention materials, and other instructional materials. Teachers were able to supplement their classroom libraries and provide more high interest books for students.

What's happening at JES:

- ◆ Academic Pep Rally
- ◆ Accelerated Reader Program
- ◆ Awards Programs
- ◆ Canned Food Drive
- ◆ Celebration of Character
- ◆ Character Education Program
- ◆ Christmas Outreach Program
- ◆ Citizens of the Month
- ◆ Computer Assisted Instruction
- ◆ Family Dance
- ◆ Eagles Tales Newsletter
- ◆ Holiday Musical
- ◆ Parent Teacher Organization
- ◆ School Improvement Council
- ◆ Social Media Communication
- ◆ Positive Behavior Celebrations
- ◆ Professional Development School partnership with University of South Carolina at Aiken
- ◆ Reading Interventionist
- ◆ Read 180/System 44 Interventions
- ◆ Reading Family Nights
- ◆ Science/Math Family Nights (Science Fest)
- ◆ Science Lab
- ◆ Student Ambassadors
- ◆ Valley Empty Stocking Fund (Service project)
- ◆ Veteran's Day Program
- ◆ Waterford
- ◆ WJES Morning News show

