

## CROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REPORT CARD RATINGS

|                 | 2014                 | 2015                 | 2016                 |
|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Absolute Rating | <b>Average</b>       | <b>Average</b>       | <b>Average</b>       |
| Growth Rating   | <b>Below Average</b> | <b>Below Average</b> | <b>Below Average</b> |



## Business Partners

*Santee Cooper-Cross Generating*

*Wright's Grocery*

*Martin-Marietta*

*Dollar General*



## Cross Elementary School Improvement Planning Team

|                    |                                   |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Wright, Jennifer   | Chair                             |
| Smalls, Chasity    | Parent                            |
| Simmons, Anastasia | Parent                            |
| President, Nichole | Parent                            |
| Carroll, Amanda    | Teacher                           |
| Wright, Julia      | Community Member                  |
| Spann, Annie Lee   | Community Member                  |
| Windham, Lorraine  | Community Member                  |
| Brossard, Sandra   | Coordinator of School Improvement |
| Pelzer, Lashonda   | Schoolwide Facilitator            |
| Scott, Angelia     | Assistant Principal               |
| Gillens, Carolyn   | Principal                         |

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If you would like to contact any of our team members please feel free to contact the front office.

## Cross Elementary



## 2016-2017

## A Communities In School Site



## School Motto:

I Believe in Myself...I Can!

**Dr. Carolyn Gillens,  
Principal**

**Dr. Angelia Scott,  
Assistant Principal**

**Breyona Canty  
Teacher of the Year**

Cross Elementary is located in rural Cross, South Carolina. We serve a student body of approximately 400 great students in grades CD-6. Cross Elementary is a Title 1 and SACS accredited school.



**The purpose** of this Annual School Summary Report is to make parents aware of the progress the school is making toward achieving our goals and objectives .

***Our Vision:***  
***Empower all students for success.***

***Our Mission:***  
***In partnership with our community, ignite in every student a passion for world-class knowledge and skills through dynamic instruction and personalized educational opportunities.***

- Our Goals:***
- ◆ **Positive School Climate**
    - ◆ We will provide a safe, orderly and healthy school that insures a positive caring learning environment.
  - ◆ **High Student Performance**
    - ◆ We will realize high levels of academic growth and achievement for all students.
  - ◆ **Community Engagement**
    - ◆ We will build family, community, and business support that will generate advocacy for our school and our district.
  - ◆ **Strategic Human Resource Management**
    - ◆ We will recruit, retain and develop quality teachers, administrators and staff.
  - ◆ **Fiscal Responsibility**
    - ◆ We will be responsible stewards of our resources and insure that we provide a quality education for all students.
  - ◆ **Effective Communications**
    - ◆ We will develop, refine, and implement an affective communications plan for our

## **We are proud of...**

- ◆ Relay for Life
- ◆ Walmart grant recipient
- ◆ 3K Smile Mile Run/Walk
- ◆ Jump Rope for Heart
- ◆ National Board Certified teachers
- ◆ Annual Career Day
- ◆ Volunteer program
- ◆ Awards Day
- ◆ Family Literacy and Math nights
- ◆ Silver Award state Recipient
- ◆ State S.C. Stock Market Game Winners
- ◆ Roscoe Reading program
- ◆ Character Education Program
- ◆ PTO
- ◆ PBIS School, Year 8
- ◆ Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Grant Recipient (SDE)
- ◆ ING Grant Recipient
- ◆ After School Tutoring Program
- ◆ Communities In School
- ◆ Lunch Buddies
- ◆ Motherread/Fatheread Program
- ◆ Rolling Study Hall