



Faculty/Staff Recognition

- Silver Reward School
- TransformSC School
- National Board Certified Teachers
- Nationally Certified Clinical Speech Therapists
- USDA Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Grant
- Food & Security Grant
- Visual Arts Grant
- Dick Horne Grants
- Faculty/Staff Member of the Month
- Special Olympic/Unified Champion School

School Improvement Council

Dr. Shuniqua Hart, **Chair**

Mr. Roscoe Mitchell, **Secretary**

Treda Keith	Melissa Peeples
Priscilla Carter	Gloria Felder-Way
Linda Glover	Sherribia Hughes
Doretha Jones	Crystal Williams
Lillian Whetstone	

Parent -Teacher Organization

Eloise Guinyard, **President**

Latrice Carson, **Vice President**

Shuniqua Hart, **Secretary**

Donnica Darby, **Treasurer**

Title One

2019-20

School Summary Report



The mission of Calhoun County Public Schools is to empower all students to compete and succeed in an ever changing global society.

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St. Matthews K-8 School strives to do what's best for children, by providing them with empowering opportunities to compete and succeed in a global society. Through daily practice of Cardinal Character traits, students use critical thinking and problem-solving skills to engage in rigorous and multiple paths of learning. Teachers facilitate effective research-based individualized instruction that is aligned to the SC Ready standards in order to meet the needs of all students.

The ultimate goal of St. Matthews K-8 School is to continue to develop students who are knowledgeable and confident academically, socially, and emotionally in order to compete globally. We have, can and will do what's best for children.



2019- 2020 Initiatives

Teachers will continue to utilize research-based, rigorous, and effective instruction that is aligned to the SC Ready standards in order to meet the needs of all students.

- Ninety minutes of daily reading instruction
- Personalized Learning
- Learner Profiles
- Visible Learning
- Flexible Content Tools and Assessments
- Balanced Literacy with technology
- School-wide writing
- Coding & STEM
- ACCELLUS Lab

Community Outreach

- Canned Food Drive
- Adopt a Family
- Volunteers Outreach Program
- Partnership with OC Tech Education Dept.
- Teacher Cadets from CCHS
- Calhoun Cares
- Local Churches and Businesses Donation
- Rotary Club Partnership
- SCSU 1890 Research/Extension Program
- SCSU Consortium of the Arts
- Calhoun Convalescent Center
- Calhoun County Library
- Clemson Cooperative Extension Program
- School Gardens for SC Educators
- Local Sororities and Fraternities
- Columbia Fireflies Reading Program
- Community Service Projects



Highlights

- Duke Tip Scholars
- National Jr. Beta Club Inductees
- MLK Oratory District Winner
- USC Regional Science Fair Winners
- Cardinal News Team
- Student Council
- Honors Academy