
Jane Edwards Elementary School

Annual SIC Report to Parents

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Dear Parents,

It is our pleasure to share with you each year the goals and accomplishments toward meeting the goals to help each student be successful and on track to meet the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate.

Wild Readers Safari theme

Miss Jane Edwards wanted her students to learn to read. She knew the importance of reading to future success. We have continued to honor her legacy. Wild Readers is a commitment to creating a community of readers in each classroom, schoolwide, and at home. We have clubs celebrating success at each level. The more you read (gr. 1-6) or are read to (CD-K) the greater safari challenge you achieve. We have the Elephant Safari, Giraffe Safari, Zebra Safari, Cheetah Safari, and Panther Safari. Students are recognized during the daily announcements, photographed with our panther in the safari jeep, and can select a treasure from the particular safari tub. The Wild Reader of the Month student is someone that inspires others to work on their independent reading goals and can show success with reaching goals.

Infused STEAM

All grade levels have been engaged in STEAM this year. Students have been engaged in designing and exploring solar cookers, wind turbines, solar cars, maglev systems, and prosthetics. Our sixth grade team participated in the Charleston SeaPerch Challenge, an underwater ROV competition. Coding using Dash and Dot, Ozobot and a partnership with Google (Hour of Code) gave our JES students the opportunity to be 21st Century program developers. The Engineering Design Process was used to guide all students through several problem solving opportunities.

Upcoming Events

May 30

Field Day, Family Picnic Gr. K-5 Awards Ceremony 9 am

June 4

Kindergarten Promotion 9 am

June 4

6th grade Promotion 11:30am

This report is provided to parents in compliance with the Education Finance Act (EFA) of 1977, the Education Improvement ACT (EIA) of 1984, and the Elementary and Secondary Academic Act (ACT 135) of 1993. It presents information about school accomplishments in the 2018-2019 school year and updates on the 2019-2020 goals.

PTO 2018-19

Thank you to our out-going PTO Executive Board for your hard work and efforts to engage parents in the school life of their children. We look forward to the exciting things our new Executive Board will bring.

Goals for 2019-20

- ❖ Continue to implement strategies to increase parental involvement in student achievement.
- ❖ Continue to implement the district's literacy plan with fidelity toward all children reading at or above grade level at the end of each year.
- ❖ Continue to examine student data to provide the interventions most appropriate to ensure academic success for all students.
- ❖ Implement a reading system to be more inviting to students to participate in for the year.

Jane Edwards PAWS Expectations

Personally Responsible
Always Respectful
Well prepared
Safety first

Our students hear and say these expectations daily. We implemented the *Second Step SEL* program which promotes school success, managing your own emotions, and a sense of safety and support. With Second Step and our PAWS expectations together, we have seen a decrease in office-managed discipline referrals. We have Bus PAWS which students also hear and say every afternoon before getting on the bus. Again, students know the expectations for bus behavior and to do otherwise is to choose to do so. We have seen a reduction in bus referrals.

Statewide Testing Results of Students Scoring Meets and Exceeds 2017/18

SCReady

Gr.	ELA	Math
3	33.3%	55.6%
4	27.3%	18.2%
5	22.2%	22.2%
6	22.2%	11.1%

SC PASS

Gr.	Science	Social Studies
4	27.3%	
5		22.2%
6	33.3%	

CCSD MAP (Measures of Academic Progress)

% of Students Meeting Their End-of-Year Growth Target 2017/18

Grade	Reading	Math
1	82.0%	91.0%
2	100.0%	100.0%
3	89.0%	67.0%
4	60.0%	50.0%
5	78.0%	44.0%
6	77.7%	44.0%

Thanks, Edisto Community!

6th grade trip to Washington, DC

Donated funds to send all students to DC at no cost

Chess Club

Teach children the basics of chess

Community Services of Edisto

*Scholarships
Swimming lessons*

Edisto Art Guild

*Provided opportunities for students to see Chamber Music
Charleston's performance of the children's classic, "Peter and the Wolf" and the Chamber Quintet.*

Edisto Island Youth Recreation

*Baseball - 2 levels
Basketball - 2 teams
Charlie Brown Football Camp
Cheerleading
Gymnastics
Soccer*

Edisto Pride

Clean sweep t-shirt contest

Edisto United

*Back Pack Buddies
Weekly Panther Packs*

EPIC Summer Program

Donations to cover cost of transportation to camp

Good News Club

Weekly Bible stories and songs

Volunteers

*Lunch Buddies
Reading Buddies*

Young Naturalists

Opportunities to explore Edisto Island