



Opportunities for Students

- Chorus, Art and Technology Club
- Student Government Association
- Martial Arts
- Super Reader Awards
- Kaleidoscope After-School Program
- Terrific Kids
- PBIS Incentive Club
- Quarterly Behavior Incentive Celebrations
- High Five Store for Incentives
- Winner Wednesdays
- Family Curriculum Nights
- Red Ribbon Week
- Reading Buddies/Mentor Program
- 21st Century Tutoring Program
- Reading and Math interventions
- Mentors with Check-in Check-out
- 2nd Step Social Skill Instruction
- Positive Referrals
- Reading Partners
- Engaging Creative Minds

Pepperhill Points of Pride

- We support student academic needs through the Personalized Learning model with 1-to-1 IPAD use.
- We use Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support to guide our behavioral and emotional support.
- We use the Multi-tiered System of Support to ensure all student's needs are met.
- We offer reading intervention and math intervention.
- All classrooms have Smartboards, document cameras, and microphone technology
- 3rd—5th Grade Student Government

Teacher of the Year

PES Teacher of the Year 16-17

Hillary Benekin

PES Rookie Teacher of the Year 16-17

Danielle Munns

CCSD ESOL Teacher of the Year 16-17

Andree Dugal

PES Classified Employee of the Year

Santonia Singleton

Pepperhill Elementary School

A Title I School

Annual Report to Parents 2016-2017



**Our staff goes above,
our student go beyond!**

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Our Vision

Our **vision** is to create an environment that is safe, organized, academically challenging, and conducive to meeting the demands of the 21st century learners.

Our Mission

Our **mission** at Pepperhill Elementary School is to create an engaging and positive learning environment with the collaboration and support of students, teachers, parents, and the community to prepare every student for the 21st Century through personalized instruction.

Letter from your School Administration and SIC

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to present to you our Annual School Summary Report. Along with our SIC we would like to formally share with you the progress being made at Pepperhill Elementary School. Our success is the result of our dedication, hard work and partnerships with home, school and community. We especially would like to thank the parents that volunteer at our school on a daily/weekly basis for their continued support.

Sincerely,

Tanya Underwood,
Principal

Jessica Nackel,
SIC Chair

Opportunities for Families and Communities

- Family Night
- PTO Volunteer Opportunities
- PTO Meetings and Events
- School Improvement Council
- Book Fair
- Day of Caring
- Terrific Kids
- Yearbook
- Communities in Schools

Upcoming Plans for 2017-2018

- Project Read Classes 2 and 3 for staff
- Responsive Classroom Training for staff
- Continued Personalized Learning training for staff
- Math M² and M³ Training for staff
- Focus on Classroom Libraries

Pepperhill Statistics

Student enrollment CD-5 : 660

Child Development: 4 classes

State School Survey Results

% Satisfied w/ learning environment
Teachers 88.6%
Parents 90.9%
Students 83.1%

% Satisfied with social and physical environment
Teachers 85.7%
Parents 81%
Students 84.6%

% Satisfied w/ home-school relations
Teachers 57.1%
Parents 81.8%
Students 81.6%

2016 SC READY Performance

% of students who Met and Exceeded

English/Language Arts

Pepperhill 23.8%
CCSD 50.2%

Math

Pepperhill 23.9%
CCSD 47.8%

2016 PASS Performance

% of students Met or Exemplary

Science

Pepperhill 45.1%
Elementary Schools Statewide 67%

Social Studies

Pepperhill 61.3%
Elementary Schools Statewide 74.4%