

Greetings,

Welcome to the 2019-20 school year! Our quest for providing all children with a quality education has not changed, despite a school year that ended abruptly due to the COVID19 pandemic. We remain dedicated to our mission:

...to build, teach, and model educational and leadership opportunities that empower ALL students to be tomorrow's leaders, today.

As we moved into 2020, we were met with the unexpected closure due Coronavirus. The CPA staff had to change their paradigm to implement virtual lessons, meetings, and professional developments. Communication with parents continued during this unforeseen time through CCSD's Blackboard Communication System. Students' learning was supported through the issuance of CCSD electronic devices. Even though we were not in the physical building learning continued.

As we continue to implement the 7 Habits to create a foundation for success for every student at CPA, I challenge all parents to implement the 7 Habits in their home and be an active partner in your child's education. We are proud to be a Covey Lighthouse School and to share this honor with you!

Educationally yours,

Wanda Sheats, Principal

2020-2021 Goals

- ◆ Revise math intervention to include a primary and elementary math intervention program
- ◆ Fulfill requirements for Lighthouse Re-certification with Leader in Me
- ◆ Implement Open Court Phonics Curriculum in grades K—4 and adding grade 5
- ◆ Continue the development of the school's leadership focus utilizing the Covey
- ◆ Continue integration of LIM and PBIS goals to enhance school's environment
- ◆ Continue to promote parental involvement through positive communication
- ◆ Continue our focus on fitness and wellness

Charleston Progressive Academy's 2020-21 Academic Goals

65% of students in grades 2-5 will show 1 year growth in reading and math on the Spring MAP assessment.

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**2019-2020
Annual School Report to
The Community**



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STUDENTS ARE
THE HEART

OF OUR WORK!

Home School Connection

- ◆ Leader In Me, 7 Habits of Successful Families
- ◆ One on One Academic Progress Conference
- ◆ PTSA, SIC/Title 1 Meetings
- ◆ Grandparent's Day Luncheon
- ◆ Tuesday Folders
- ◆ Blackboard Communication
- ◆ End Year Promotion Programs
- ◆ Schoolwide End of Year Field Trip
- ◆ Most Valued Partner (MVP Award) - Volunteer Recognition
- ◆ Curriculum Nights
- ◆ Facebook Page & School Website
- ◆ Student Leadership Roles & Leadership Rallies

CPA's History

Charleston Progressive Academy (CPA) was founded by two retired Charleston County teachers and business owners, Martelle W. Robinson and Harriet W. Wilder in 1997. Mrs. Robinson was the owner of Mother Goose World of Readiness and Mrs. Wilder the owner of Hope's Treasure Chest. The grade configuration at the time CPA was founded was kindergarten through second grades with a grade to be added each year until it reached fifth grade. The school's magnet focus at the time of inception was multi-age and thematic based instruction. Martelle Robinson was the school's administrator and Harriet Wilder the Curriculum Coordinator. Martelle Robinson served as the school's administrator until her death in 1999, at that time Brenda W. Williams became the school's administrator and served until 2005. Since 2005 Wanda Sheats has served as the school's administrator.

Social/Emotional & Community Involvement



CPA Students greeting Sean Covey at Charleston Breakfast Meeting.

CPA Leadership Student Pledge

WE can do all things because we have power within us!

WE can choose to *Be Proactive & Begin With the End in Mind*

To be our personal best, *WE will Put First Things First*

Because

WE are a CPA Family,

WE Think Win, Win and Seek First to Understand & Then to Be Understood

WE come to CPA to learn

WE will learn

As WE *Synergize, Sharpen the Saw,*

& Become the Best Leaders WE Know WE Can Be!

Curriculum Highlights

In an effort to continue the level of rigor and relevance of instruction that earned CPA a report card rating of "Good," the principal, leadership team, and SIC developed the School Renewal and Title I plans with the following initiatives and goals:

- ◆ Provide continuous staff development for faculty members on best instructional practices
- ◆ Analyze test data (MAP) to differentiate instruction, set student growth targets, and plan instruction
- ◆ Use computer based instructional programs to supplement instruction in reading, math, social studies and science utilizing IXL, iReady, Mastery Connect to name a few
- ◆ Provide opportunities for parents to connect to curriculum expectations by sponsoring Literacy and Parenting activities
- ◆ Provide an extended year and day program through the Community of Schools (Kaleidoscope & Epic in the summer)
- ◆ Promote schoolwide balanced literacy through leadership based books of the month, read alouds, writing days, and involving all stakeholders in career and literacy awareness activities
- ◆ Implement personalized learning strategies through the use of CCSD's 1:1 iPad or Chromebook initiative