

Purpose of the Annual Report

This Report is issued by the North Hartsville Elementary School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

Mission of North Hartsville Elementary School

The mission of North Hartsville Elementary School is to provide excellence in education and learning for all students in a safe en-



Great Things Offered at the Best School

- ☺ Accelerated Reader
- ☺ Art in Business
- ☺ Character Education Program
- ☺ Duke Energy Ambassador Program
- ☺ Eagle Café
- ☺ Family Workshops
- ☺ Fast ForWord
- ☺ Field Day
- ☺ Jr. Beta Club
- ☺ Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)
- ☺ Nutrition Advisory Council
- ☺ Pathways to Success
- ☺ Relay for Life Service Projects
- ☺ Safety Patrol
- ☺ Science Fair Exhibit
- ☺ Single Gender Initiative
- ☺ Technology 1:1
- ☺ Terrific Kids



Our School

- ☞ Proud to be one of the largest elementary schools in Darlington County
- ☞ Serves grades 1-5
- ☞ 32 homeroom classes
- ☞ Related arts programs include music, PE, art, computer lab, guidance and library
- ☞ A Palmetto Gold Award Recipient



Stakeholder Groups

PTO Executive Board

Laurie Remick
Barbie Lyles
Erin Hawk
Sandy Auten
Jordan Murdock
Lisa Grantham
Brandy Watford

School Improvement Council:

Chairperson: Laurie Remick
Parents: Erin Hawk, Barbie Lyles
Community Members: Todd Rix, Dianne Ingram, Brandy Watford
Teachers: Laura Privette, Lisa King
Ex-Officio: Kristi Austin, Lorraine Williams



NORTH HARTSVILLE ELEMENTARY

2019-2020

Annual Report to the Parents



Kristi Austin, Principal
Lorraine Williams, Assistant Principal
Lisa Rix, Coordinating Teacher
Kristen Nicholson, Literacy Coach

Motto

“The Best School in the Universe”

North Hartsville Elementary School

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Past School Report Card Ratings:
 2012– Excellent
 2013– Excellent
 2014– Excellent
 2018–Below Average

SC Ready Data 2018-2019

English/Language Arts

Exceeds Expectations	25.6%
Meets Expectations	26.5%
Approaches Expectations	28.8%
Does Not Meet Expectations	19.0%

Mathematics

Exceeds Expectations	38.3%
Meets Expectations	29.7%
Approaches Expectations	21.0%
Does Not Meet Expectations	11.0%

SCPASS 2018-2019

Science

Exceeds Expectations	29.2%
Meets Expectations	31.7%
Approaches Expectations	24.2%
Does Not Meet Expectations	15.0%

Social Studies

Exemplary	44.0%
Met	40.5%
Not Met	14.7%

Awards and Acknowledgements

Met Adequate Yearly Progress 2009-2010; 2010-2011
 Palmetto Silver Awards 2008-2009; 2009-2010;
 2010-2011
 Palmetto Gold Award 2011-2012; 2012-2013; 2013-
 2014, 2014-2015
 Clean School of the Year 2008-2009; 2009-2010
 Relay for Life Awards 2010-2017
 AdvancED Accreditation 2014
 Jr. Beta Club School of Excellence 2016, 2017, 2018,
 2019

**School Renewal Plan
 Accomplishments**

Student Achievement

- ☛ Professional Development for ELA, math, science, social studies, and technology occurred at the school and district level for NHE teachers.
- ☛ Exemplar lessons were demonstrated at the school level to teachers.
- ☛ Grade levels met weekly to plan instruction to meet students’ needs and SC College and Career Ready Standards for ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies.
- ☛ Training on resources for data was provided to teachers.

Teacher/Administrator Quality

- ☛ Fountas & Pinnell BAS, MAP, and common assessments were used to determine students’ strengths and areas in need of improvement.
- ☛ Classroom visits, observations and evaluations were conducted by school administration.

School Climate

- ☛ Open House was conducted to showcase the school and develop partnerships.
- ☛ Postcards were sent home before the beginning of the school year to welcome students.
- ☛ Parent Workshops were held.
- ☛ NHE website and Facebook page were updated on a regular basis.



School Renewal Plan Goals



Student Achievement

- ☛ MAP, benchmarks, teacher made tests, and other assessments will continue to be utilized to drive instruction.
- ☛ Differentiated small group instruction for reading and math will be held in all grades.
- ☛ Team planning will continue to occur.
- ☛ Best practices will continue to be utilized in providing engaging and high quality classroom instruction.

Teacher/Administrator Quality

- ☛ Promethean boards, document cameras, laptops, and iPads will be used to enhance instruction.
- ☛ Classroom visits, observations, evaluations and feedback conferences will be conducted by the school administration.
- ☛ Student data will be analyzed during weekly Professional Learning Community meetings.

School Climate

- ☛ North Hartsville Parent Workshops will continue.
- ☛ The NHE website and Facebook page will keep parents and the community updated on current school events.
- ☛ School Messenger phone system will be used to keep parents informed of school events.



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