

## School Sponsored Student Activities & Opportunities

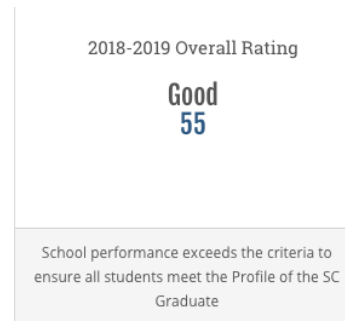
- Accelerated Reader
- Art In Business
- Association of Parents & Teachers
- Attitude Achievers
- Band
- Benchmarks: ELA, Math, Science, SS
- Beta Club
- Build-A-Bear Mentorship Program
- Business Partners
- Character Education
- Christmas Food Drive
- Computer Labs
- Duke Tip Scholars
- Fall Festival
- Fast Forward
- Flag Corps
- Food Grant
- G.T. Social Studies, Math, ELA
- Goodwill Ambassadors
- Grade Level Nights with Parents
- Honor Roll
- Interventionists
- MAP Assessments
- Moby Max Lab
- Morning Tutoring/Afternoon Tutoring
- One to One: Ipads for Students
- Principal's Reading Club
- Parent Volunteers
- PBS School/Monthly Recognitions
- Quarterly Spirit Days
- Science Labs
- St. John's Singers
- St. John's Band
- St. Jude's Math-a-thon
- STAND Awards
- Student Council
- Terrific Kids
- Video Morning Announcements

## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL 2019-2020

Dr. Karen Kinloch: *Principal*  
Martha Bridgeman: *Assistant Principal*  
Dennis Gearhart: *Coordinating Teacher*  
Amanda Arvidson: *APT President*  
Stacey Griffin, Parent  
Sharon Byram: *Reading Coach*  
Candace Jackson, Parent  
Glennie Jacobs, Parent  
Trina-Griggs-Weinberg – 5k Teacher  
Danny Davis – Community Member  
Roddy Huntley – Community Member  
Chuck Norton – Community Member  
Matelon Cummings: *Fourth Grade Teacher*  
Monique Brown, Teacher of the Year

### SJE Highlights 2019-2020

Student Enrollment: **600**  
Properly Certified Teachers: **98%**  
School Poverty Average **56.4%**



# ST. JOHN'S ELEMENTARY 2019-2020



## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL Report to the Parents

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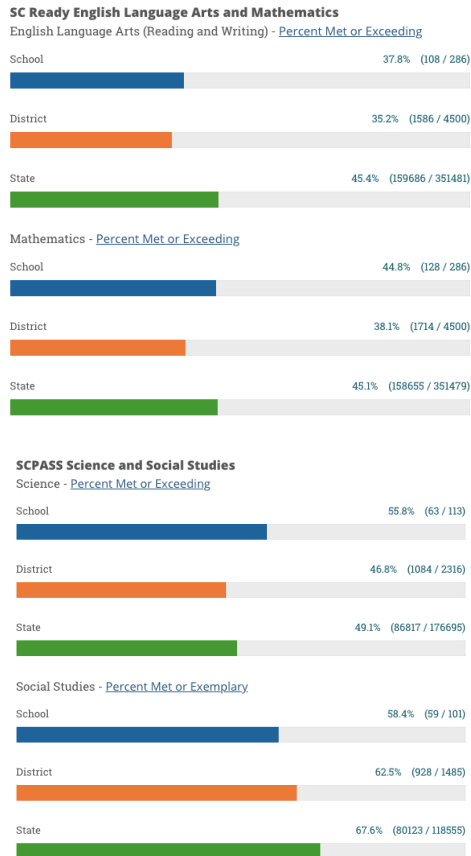
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# REPORT TO THE PARENTS

Dear Parents:

This School Summary Report has been prepared in order to provide you with information about St. John's Elementary. The Report provides a list of the goals in our School Renewal Plan as we seek to promote academic success for all students.

Our School Improvement Council reviews our goals, achievements and reports progress to our school family and community. At St. John's Elementary, we believe excellence is achievable and always worth the investment.



# ST. JOHN'S ELEMENTARY

## MISSION AND VISION

### Our Vision

"The vision of the faculty and staff of St. John's Elementary is to produce students who have world-class knowledge and skills that will sustain them throughout their lives and careers."

### Our Mission

The mission of St. John's Elementary School is to provide opportunities for all students to become competent, responsible, and productive lifelong learners through challenging educational experiences supported by the community in a positive, safe environment. Excellence in teaching and learning for all.

## A Tradition of Excellence Since 1818

"Taste of SJE"



## SJE Inaugural Band Recital



# SCHOOL RENEWAL GOALS

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- Third - Fifth grade students will take SCReady Reading, Writing, and Math tests. The number of students scoring Met or Exemplary will improve by 10% in 2020-2021.
- All fourth grade students scoring Met or Exemplary in Science will improve by 10% as measured by Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (SCPASS).
- 70% or higher of all fifth grade students will score Met or Exemplary in Social Studies by 2020-2021 as measured by the Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (SCPASS).

## TEACHER/ADMINISTRATOR QUALITY

St. John's Elementary will continue to recruit, retain and promote 100% of highly qualified teachers and administrators.

## SCHOOL CLIMATE

St. John's Elementary will build positive relationships with students, parents, and community members. SJE will promote a safe and healthy school by increasing attendance at parent/teacher conferences, parenting workshops and the Association of Parent/Teacher meetings by 5% each year to attain 100% in 2019-2020.

## Law Enforcement Appreciation Parade



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