

## Purpose Statement

Newington Elementary exists to provide every student the skills necessary to be productive leaders.

Dolphins Lead!

Leaders Excelling Academically while  
Demonstrating the 7 Habits

## School-wide Goals

High Student Performance

Support Interventions

Effective Communication

Positive School Climate

Parental Involvement

## Our History

Newington Elementary School opened its doors on Valentine's Day in 1977. The school is built on land that was originally part of a 3,000 acre grant by the King of England. Newington Elementary currently serves 890 students in four-year-old kindergarten through fifth grade.

## Our School Today

- Currently, 890 students are enrolled in 4K-5th grades.
- Average daily attendance for the 2016 school year was 94.9%.
- In 2016, 95.1% of our 5th grade parents indicated satisfaction with the learning environment of the school, 93.3% were satisfied with the social and physical environment, and 84.8% were satisfied with home-school relations.
- Our Character Development Program (Habits/Lifeskills) was given an Excellent Rating on the 2016 school report card.
- 48.1% of the teachers at NES have advanced degrees.

### PTA Officers

- Alyssa Crankshaw-President
- Allison Paris-Vice President
- 2nd VP-Alicia Willeford
- Gillian Pauley-Secretary
- Sharon Hough-Treasurer



### School Improvement Council

Kendra Williams-Chair, Donna Barr, AJ Crop, Allie Daniel, Chrystal Grant, Vincent Hill, Robert Smith, Josephine Lyons, Cammy Groome, Elizabeth Rabb, Pam Inabinett, Alison Waring



## School Summary Report

2016-2017

*Camilla Groome, Principal  
Elizabeth Rabb, Assistant Principal  
Alison Waring, Title I Facilitator*

*Dorchester Two Mission Statement  
Together We Can: Leading the Way...  
Every Learner, Everyday through  
Relationships, Rigor, and Relevance*

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## Progress towards Strategic Plan Goals

### Student Achievement

- ⇒ The Leader in Me, Student Goal setting
- ⇒ District Pacing Guides and Benchmark Testing
- ⇒ Response to Intervention Strategies
  - Read 180– grades 4-5
  - System 44– grade 3
  - Gifted and Talented Education 3-5
  - Waterford, COMPASS, and Imagine Learning computer programs to differentiate Math and Reading
  - Instructional Math Support for K- 5
  - Instructional Reading Support for K-5

- ⇒ Instructional Technology

### School Climate/Communication

- ⇒ Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS)
- ⇒ Website/Newsletter/Facebook/Twitter/Remind 101/Blackboard
- ⇒ The Leader in Me

### Parental/Community Involvement

- ⇒ SIC and PTA sponsored Family Events
- ⇒ All Pro Dolphin Dads
- ⇒ Parent Volunteer Hours
- ⇒ College and Career Leadership
- ⇒ Business Partnerships
- ⇒ Community Service Learning Projects
- ⇒ Raising Readers Series
- ⇒ Mother and Sons, Father and Daughter events
- ⇒ Family Nights at local Businesses, etc.
- ⇒ Leadership Day
- ⇒ Rotary Readers

## 2016 Data: Grades 2-5

Iowa	Reading Comprehension		Math Concepts	
2nd	64 %		40 %	
	SC Ready ELA	SC Ready Math	PASS Science	PASS SS
3rd	55.8%	70.0%	NA	NA
4th	58.1%	70.1%	80.5%	91.9%
5th	47.7%	57.8%	71.4%	72.2%

Iowa Assessment : % scoring above the 50th %tile  
SC Ready/PASS: % scoring Met/Exemplary



## Student Leadership Opportunities

WNES News	Young Astronauts
Kiwanis Kids	Announcement Leaders
NES Singers	Girls on the Run
ROBO Dolphins	Superintendent Liaison
Technovators	Reading Buddies
Early Release Day Clubs	SPLASH Club
Student Council	Student Photographers
Safety Patrol	Community Performances
VIP Buddies	Library Cadets
Classroom Ambassadors	New Kid on the Block
Recycling Crew	Leadership Day Presenters
Jump Rope for Heart	Black History Bowl
Tour Guides	Boosterthon
Chamber Speaking	Service Learning Projects

## NES Academic Culture

### at a Glance

- The Leader In Me—7+1 Habits of Highly Effective People
- Little Dolphins Story Hour
- Family Literacy/Parent Resources
- Raising Readers, Parent/Child workshop
- 7 Computer Labs with intervention software
- Quarterly Awards, gr. 3-5
- Silver and Gold Honor Roll, gr. 3-5
- Integrated Content
- Reading Counts
- Artist-in-Residencies
- Service Projects
- PTA Reflections Cultural Arts
- Splash Club Tutoring
- Career Leadership
- Veterans Day Program
- PJ's and Pancakes Literacy Night
- Learning Luau STEAM night
- Health and Wellness initiatives ( February fitness, PE Pacer tests, Water Wednesdays, Run with the Dolphins)
- Ipads and Smartboards in every classroom
- SHS Teacher Cadets

## Honors

### **Palmetto Gold Award** *for Student Achievement*

*2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015*

### ***Excellent School Report Card***

*2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 \* no school report cards after 2015*

**Leader in Me Lighthouse School**

**Red Carpet School**

**Palmetto's Finest School**