

Programs and Enrichment

In addition to the high-quality, standards—based core curriculum provided at Greenwood Elementary, our faculty, staff and community members offer an array of programs and enrichment opportunities for our students to participate in throughout the school year. Some of the offerings this year include:

- Standards-based Art, Music, PE, & STEAM
- Classes (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics)
- Core Essentials Character Ed
- Title 1 Family Math, Literacy, STEAM Night
- Horizons Art
- Greenwood Band
- WGES AM Show
- All Pro Dads
- BETA Club
- REACH (on-site)



Greenwood Elementary School continues to provide a safe and trusting environment for our students to learn and grow. To foster a love of reading, our teachers use various resources such as multi-levelled classroom libraries, and programs such as Reading Recovery, STAR Testing, Literacy Lab, Reading Renaissance and additional resources in our Media Center to cultivate reading as a lifelong skill.. Our students come first and teachers work diligently to ensure students reach their greatest potential! In addition to providing opportunities to excel in core curricular and related arts, students and parents may also participate in these clubs and activities:

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| ● Beta Club | ● Chorus |
| ● Girl Scouts | ● Art Horizons |
| ● Good News Club | ● Band/ Strings |
| ● Mfamily IGA | ● All Pro Dads |
| ● Math Night | ● APT |
| ● STEAM Night | ● Principal's Advisory |
| ● Literacy Night | ● Council (PAC) |
| ● Safety Patrol | ● GES Club Day |
| ● WGES Morning Show | ● Titans Mentoring |

2021-2022 School Improvement Council Annual Report to Parents



Greenwood Elementary

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Our Mission at GES is to



G- Guide
E- Educate
S- S.O.A.R.





A Message from the GES School Improvement Council

The SIC (School Improvement Council) serves as an advisory committee to the school. The SIC meets monthly and works collectively with the parents, educators, and community stakeholders to improve student achievement. The SIC publishes an Annual Report to Parents each spring to inform our stakeholders of the progress being made in achieving our school improvement goals. The Annual Report to Parents includes achievement information as well as the school's plans for continued improvement.

Awards & Accomplishments

- Blue Ribbon School of Excellence Beacon Award
- Palmetto Silver Award- 2012-13, 2014-15, 2015-16
- Alliance for a Healthier Generation- Bronze Award 2013, 2014



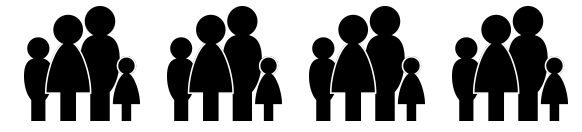
Strategies for Improving Instruction

- Weekly, on-site and district professional development training based on implementing best practices in the classroom, standards, assessment, technology, blended learning, data analysis, etc.
- Google Classroom
- Weekly lesson plans aligned to standards and the FSD1 Curriculum Alignment Document (CAD)
- STAR and LinkIT assessments to measure student growth academically for fall to winter to spring
- School-wide hands-on, minds-on implementation of
- Big Ideas Math and HMH Reading
- Title 1 Classroom Interventionists provide small group instruction and reading strategies for students
- Formal classroom observations, feedback and reflections on implementing best practices in the classroom
- Parent / teacher conferences to discuss student growth and progress
- Standards-based Family and Parent Workshops



Parent & Community Involvement:

- ✓ Greenwood APT
- ✓ School Improvement Council
- ✓ Greenwood Baptist Church—Partners
- ✓ Title 1 Parent Workshops
- ✓ FMU Partnership
- ✓ Title 1 Literacy Night
- ✓ IGA Math Night
- ✓ National Network of Partnership Schools
- ✓ Title 1 STEAM Night
- ✓ All Pro Dads
- ✓ Parent Teacher Conferences
- ✓ Quarterly Virtual Parades for Virtual Students
- ✓ Title 1/SIC/NNPS Monthly Meetings



SC Annual Report Card

Year	Absolut Rating	Growth Rating
2021	COVID-19	COVID-19
2019	Good	Good
2018	Below Average	Unsatisfactory
2016	Average	Average
2015	Average	Average

Please Note: Note on missing data: On March 26, 2021, the U.S. Department of Education waived federal accountability requirements and granted flexibility in administering assessments due to COVID-19.