North Vista Elementary

Building Community Initiatives: Schools Within a School (Small School Concepts) Reduced Class Size Business Partner (High Performance Partnerships) Parenting Workshops Montessori Program (Pre -K thru 6th) Youth Mentoring Program Extended Day Program

Reading Initiatives: Extended Day Program Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) testing during fall and spring Compass Odyssey Program Reading Assistants Instructional Coach ELA Coach Write From the Beginning Study Groups

Math Initiatives: Math Coach Fantastic Five Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) testing during the fall, winter and spring Compass Odyssey Program

Concept Area Initiatives : Instructional Coach FOSS Kits Note Booking Science Coach Writing Lab



North Vista at a Glance

North Vista has served the Florence Community for over 50 years . Presently, the school serves , Kindergarten, Montessori,(3k—6) and grades 5k-6

Student Enrollment - 580 Number of Certified Staff - 57 Average Number of Volunteers - 55

School Board Representative (District #4) Alexis Pipkins

School Board Chairman Porter Stewart

School Superintendent Dr. Allie E. Brooks North Vista Elementary School 2012— 2013 School Summary Report



North Vista Elementary School 1100 N. Irby St. Florence , S.C. 29501 Phone: (843) 664-8159 Fax: (843) 679-6752 www.fsd1.org/net/schools/north vista Sharon R. Dixon , Principal Ms. LaDonna Pipkins , S. I.C. , Chair Stephanie Johnson , PTA President Our Mission Statement The mission of North Vista Elementary School is to cultivate students of character by enhancing skills that encourage problem solving , goal setting and learning for a lifetime.

North Vista Elementary School Improvement Council 2012—2013 Ms. Ladonna Pipkins—Chairman Listena Farley—Secretary Tamashia Daise — Teacher of the Year Margaret Gary—Teacher Mary Charles—Parent Debby Youngier—Parent Donna Santianna—Parent Kathleen Jones— Curriculum Coordinator Sharon R. Dixon — Principal Janette Williams — Assistant Principal



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School/Teacher Honors and Recognitions

Meet AYP 2012

Outstanding Step Team

Exemplary Writing

Dr. Bruce& Lee Foundation Grant for Montessori

School Foundation Grant Award for Montessori

Website Named Best by USA Today

Principal was named 2007 Administrator of the Year by Francis Marion University National Board Certified Teachers

Recycling Grant

Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Grant

Nook Grant

F.L.A.S.H. Grant (Flash Master)

E-Books

Bookflix

Truflix

School Improvement Council Goals 2012—2013

Increase Reading Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) scores

Increase Mathematics Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) scores.

Improve students' tardiness.

Parents will be actively involved with decision making throughout the 2012—2013 school year.



Extra Curricular Activities Step Team

Movement Dancers

Cub Tones Chorus

BETA Club

BOB Team (Battle of the Books)

Science Club

Art Club

First Lego League Robotic Team

GNC (Good News Club)

Basketball

Recognition & Communication:

Birthday Celebrations

Principal's Honor Roll

Tardy Party

Morning Show "Vista Alive"

Student Of The Month

Friday Folders

Monthly Newsletters

Reading Renaissance Incentives

North Vista Website E - Mail

PASS Assembly