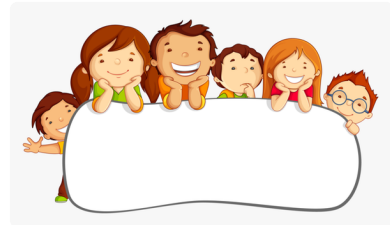


Alexander Elementary School

Report to the Community 2021-2022

Mission

The MISSION of Alexander Elementary is to build a community to Embrace, Engage, and Empower, Everyone, Every Day!



The Vision

the VISION of Alexander Elementary is to produce scholars that are successful and empowered to compete globally based upon their own unique talents and interests.

Beliefs

- We are respectful, responsible, and ready to learn
- we believe all students can learn
- All cultures are valued
- Children have the right to learn in a safe, orderly, and nurturing environment
- We are partners with our families and community
- Children must be prepared to take their place in a changing world using technology and all available tools to become a functioning member of society.

Letter from Principal Pat Paul

Hello Eagle family,

It is with great pride and excitement that I write this letter of introduction to you as the newly appointed Principal of Alexander Elementary. I am honored to have the opportunity to lead a school with such rich tradition and heritage. I have been dedicated to the field of education





for more than twenty-eight years. I have worked as a teacher, interventionist, and administrator, but I consider my most important job to be that of a child advocate. My goal is to spend a lot of time with your children, getting to know their personalities, learning styles, and interests. We will celebrate their successes, small and great. We will encourage them every day and let them know they are valued and have a special place in our school community together. As the old African Proverb states, "It takes a village to raise a child." I am excited to see your children through your eyes. I cannot wait to share with you the great things they do throughout the day here at Alexander Elementary. We will also be here to work with you should your child need any help navigating any aspect of the school day.

We, at Alexander, are committed to making everyone who steps through our doors- teacher, students, and parents- excited to be here. An atmosphere of love and positivity is our key to helping us meet the challenges of academic excellence. As your principal, my door is always open and I welcome your input. Please feel free to call or email me to discuss any concerns you might have as we embark upon another school year. Together we can do this!

Our school motto is: **We Choose to Soar.**

S: Support our Peers

O: Overcome Obstacles

A: Achieve our Potential

R: Respect ourselves and others

Each day our students will be earning theirs WINGS by displaying the S.O.A.R. principles. I look forward to working with you as a team to help each student at Alexander meet their goals.

Warmest Regards,

Patricia S. Paul

Alexander Elementary Principal

Alexander Profile

1601 Bramlett Rd., Greenville, SC 29611 (864) 355-1000

Principal: Patricia S. Paul

Assistant Administrator: Marleen Hygema

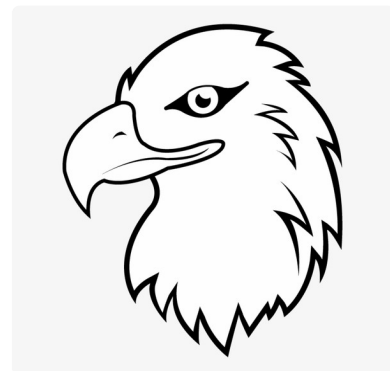
Grades: K4-5

Enrollment: 391

School Colors: Blue and Gold

Mascot: Eagle

Tag Line: We Choose to Soar

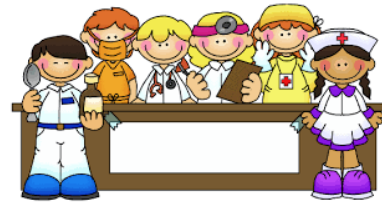


The Alexander Community

The Alexander community consisting of all stakeholders, have been an integral part of our success. Students, teachers, parents, and community members are continuously working together to achieve the common goal of academic success for all students. School partnerships include The Rotary Club of Greenville, Heritage Baptist Church, Agnew Baptist, Israel Metropolitan AME, The Assault on literacy Committee of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and many more individual local businesses and concerned citizens.

Outstanding Alexander Enrichment

- Morning News Show
- Extended Day Program
- Before and After School Tutoring
- Parent Involvement Events
 - Hispanic Heritage
 - Read Across America
 - Duke Energy STEAM night
- Authors' visits
- Response to Intervention
- Safety Patrol
- Terrific Kids Program
- Community in Schools
- Chorus
- Reading All Stars



Report

School Improvement Council (SIC) The School Improvement Council serves as an advisory body to the school's principal and faculty. The council works collaboratively to develop and implement a five-year school improvement plan. The focus of the council this year was on providing supports to the community and using community partnerships to promote teacher and student appreciation, which positively affected our retention rate with a 90% increase. This will allow our school community to continue the work together without having to start over with an overwhelming number of having new faculty members. This consistency will also support the school's Big 3 Vision for 2021-2022. SIC plays a key role in education, bringing parents together, educators, and community stakeholders to work collectively to meet our school's vision and goals.

SIC members

Patricia Paul
Marleen Hygema
Meghan Shroy
Raydira Mizrai
Chuck Mayo
Crystal McDowell
Marleen Hygema
Eunice Guyton
Iris Melgar
Shamika Whitfield
Catarina Nicholas
Stacie Campbell
Elizabeth Snider
Jose Frayre
Michelle McCall



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