

Features of Mountain View Elementary

Community Service

Our school is proud to serve others in many ways. We raise funding and awareness for a single charity, the American Cancer Association. Additional community projects include an annual grandparents' luncheon, a senior citizens' luncheon, and a community-wide spring carnival.

Other Special Features

- Chromebooks in all classrooms
- Project Read School
- Running Club
- Tiger Tutors program
- Fuss Busters peer mediation program
- Multiage classes
- Chic-Fil-A Core Essentials
- IDEA/SmartARTS
- Promethean Boards, in every classroom
- Arbor Day Contest winners
- After-school Extended Day Program
- Peace Center Outreach Teacher of the Year
- Grant recipients—Greater Greer Education Foundation, SmartARTS, Donors Choose



Special Achievements

- Palmetto Gold and Silver Awards
- Three-time Red Carpet Award
- Energy Star Award
- Six-time Safe Kids Award



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Mountain View Elementary School is situated in a rural area at the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. The school is approximately eleven miles from Greer, the nearest city. Due to our remote location, families must travel in order to access banks, post offices, grocery stores, medical facilities, and even the public library. However, members of our community are happy traveling this distance because it allows them to enjoy the calm, picturesque country life that they value.

Principal: Jennifer Gibson
Assistant Principal: Stephen Deyo

School Performance

TEACHER QUALITY

The majority of our teachers (82.6%) have continued their education and achieved advanced degrees. Six teachers are National Board Certified. One teacher completed a doctoral degree and another an educational specialist degree. Three more are working toward a doctorate. The percentage of teachers who returned to Mountain View from last year is 96.1%. Teacher attendance rate is 91.7%. All classroom teachers are Highly Qualified.

SCHOOL CLIMATE

Our school climate continues to be a strength here at Mountain View. As a three-time Red Carpet recipient, we pride ourselves on our warm and positive environment. According to our 2017 Report Card Survey 98% of our parents and teachers and 93% of our students are satisfied with the learning environment here at Mountain View. We will continue in our efforts to maintain that culture.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We will continue to develop our strategies using the Fountas and Pinnell approach to reading instruction. We will also continue to polish our skills as a Project Read school, using strategies we have gained through our graduate studies, to help our children become better readers and writers. Additionally, we offer continuing professional development in the area of technology to maintain proficiency in the latest devices and software applications.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Mountain View Elementary maintains a strong reputation for student achievement. Over the last five years, our school has exceeded the district and state averages in all tested areas, including English, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies.



In the school year 2015-16, the state of South Carolina transitioned to a new statewide test for reading, writing, and math - SCReady. As evidenced by our scores on this assessment, students have met and exceed the standards and we are confident that they will continue to grow as learners.

Mountain View's percentage of students scoring Met and Exemplary on SCReady ELA for 2017 was 52%, higher than the district average of 49%. We will continue to update our strategies for teaching reading, writing and language to increase that performance level.

The percentage of students scoring MET or EXEMPLARY in Math as measured by the SCReady is currently 58%, surpassing the district average of 54%.

This year students at Mountain View were assessed using a new tool called Mastery Connect. This tool gives teachers information on current student levels three time per year in order to better meet the needs of individual children.

Our Mission

Each child, one day at a time

Our vision is to provide a safe, positive environment where children can learn and grow.



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