

“Peak of Innovation”



SUMMIT DRIVE ELEMENTARY

**Mrs. Kelly Hellams, Principal
Scott Gladen, SIC Chairperson**



Our Vision

At Summit Drive Elementary, we are a community of motivated leaders and learners. We hold ourselves and others to the highest level of accountability and honor the talents of others.

Ranked 55th of 640 South Carolina Elementary Schools according to data from the South Carolina Department of Education. Summit Drive Elementary ranked better than 91.4% of elementary schools in South Carolina. It also ranked 9th among 51 ranked elementary schools in the Greenville County School District.

Report of Principal and SIC Chairman

We are proud to share our motto to reflect the vision of our school-"Summit Drive- Peak of Innovation." This defines our belief in providing our students with a project based approach to learning that will prepare them for the 21st Century.

For the past four years, Summit Drive Elementary achieved an absolute rating of Excellent on our school report card. Furthermore, our growth rating improved from Good to Excellent in 2014. Our commitment is to discover ways to enhance the educational experience of all our students by challenging high-performing learners while supporting our struggling learners.

Parental and community involvement is essential for our continued success. The Parent Teacher Association (PTA) and School Improvement Council (SIC) are actively involved in our decision making. Our PTA and staff share the same vision by providing our students with the necessary tools and support for success. We have collaboratively developed a technology in the classrooms, and a STEAM (Science Technology Engineering Arts and Math) program. This team approach with parents and community has enabled us to become a Leader in Me School which provides students, staff and community with an inside-out approach to leadership. We also have a Robotics Team, and a running club that meets weekly.

We are deeply committed to continuing the excellent academic programs, rich traditions, and the outstanding school climate that exists at Summit Drive Elementary.

Kelly Hellams, Principal

Year	Standard Score Test Data	Rank
2013	70.51%	159 th
2014	66.61%	204 th
2015	78.39%	90 th
2016	81.89%	91 st
2017	87.61%	55 th

Evaluations by Teachers and Parents

	Teachers	Parents
Percent satisfied with learning environment	97.1%	93.3%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	100.0%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	97.1%	100.0%