

PTO:

Angelique Milledge.....President

Lawanda Patterson.....Vice President

Paige Williams.....Secretary

Farrah Maner.....Treasurer



Enrichment at AES



Chorus - Students from grades 3-5 sing for school functions

Farm to School - Each grade maintains a garden box, including herbs, leafy greens, tomatoes, corn, etc. Fruit trees and berry bushes are also a part of the gardening.

21st Century Afterschool Program –
The afterschool program meets
Monday – Thursday from 3:00 pm -
6:00 pm

School Improvement Council

Crystal Isham—Chairperson (Parent)

Kiwanja Manuel—Parent

Yujuana Lawson—Secretary (Parent)

Farrah Maner—Parent

Dorothy Kennedy—Teacher

Terence Johnson—Teacher

Ella Brabham—Guidance Counselor

Sarah Davis—PTO Representative

Yujuana Lawson—Teacher Lena

Green—Literacy Coach

Lori Mitchell—Teacher

Mark Lott—Community Member

Mable Mikell—Community Member

Allendale Elementary School

Sheila Leath, Principal

“School of L.I.T.E.”

Leadership, Inquiry, Technology,
Enrichment



Annual Report to Parents
2016-2017

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AES Mission Statement



The mission of Allendale Elementary School is to prepare students to become competent, responsible individuals by providing a safe environment where cultural differences are recognized, respected, and celebrated; and to provide realistic educational experiences at home, at school, and in the community.



AES Vision Statement



Allendale Elementary School envisions a community-based school that academically prepares students to be successful throughout life's endeavors by educating the whole child.



School Goals



Improving student achievement in the four core content areas

Implementing a rigorous curriculum that supports student learning and achievement

Integrating the use of technology into the curriculum to develop digital fluency

Providing a safe and friendly environment that is conducive to learning

Improving parental and community engagement

Creating an environment that fosters a collaborative relationship between the home, school, and community to enhance the school climate.

What is AES doing to improve overall?

Instruction :

Classworks program in computer lab for reading and math—grades 3-6
Keyboard for grades 3-6
Rosetta Stone in computer lab
Promethean boards in all core content classrooms
Laptops, iPod and iPad carts to be used in the classrooms.
L.E.A.P. in grades 3-6
Dreambox Mathematics

School Climate:

PBIS
Boys to Gents
Girls to Pearls
Young Men of HOPE

Professional Development:

Our focus for professional development this year was three-fold; technology, writing, and new state assessment (SC Ready).

State of SC Annual Report Card

Ratings over 3-year Period

<u>Year</u>	<u>Absolute Rating</u>	<u>Growth Rating</u>
2014	Below Average	Average
2013	Below Average	Average
2012	Below Average	Below Average

Parent Involvement

Parents can become involved in addressing the academic issues that lead to identification in school improvement status by attending:

- **Parent Conferences**
- **Report Card pick-up**
- **PTO/SIC meetings**
- **Lunch Buddies**
- **Father/Son Basketball Game**
- **Muffins for Mom**
- **Donuts for Dad**
- **Family Literacy Night**

Recognitions

- **Received a fresh fruit and vegetable grant to improve healthy eating**
- **Gigi Varghese, Teacher of the Year**
- **Apple Rollout Celebration- Teachers received Mac Book Airs and a Mini iPad**
- **95% of the staff became Apple Teachers**