



Palmetto Elementary School

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Mustang Way!

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT TO PARENTS 2022-2023

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A SAFE PLACE
WHERE YOUNG LEADERS ACHIEVE
THEIR PERSONAL BEST
AND IMPACT THE WORLD.

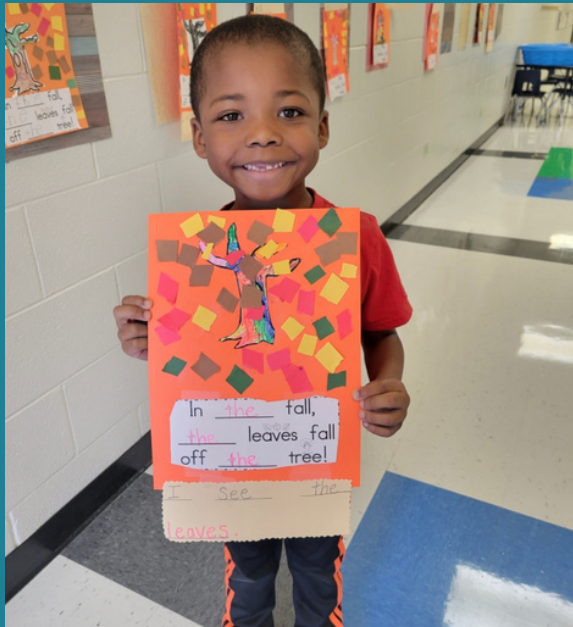


Purpose of the Report

This document is an annual school report to share information on our progress in meeting the school and district goals and other accomplishments during the school year. This report follows South Carolina law.

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SIC Annual Goals



PERFORMANCE GOAL 1

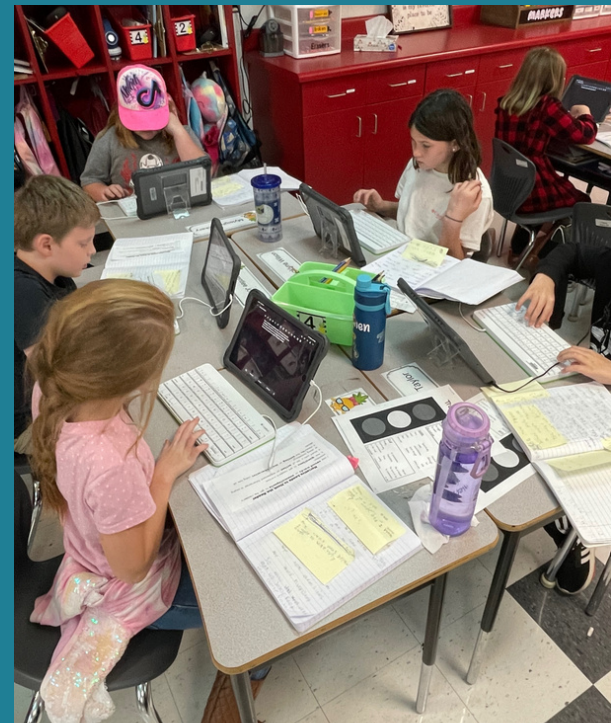
By 2026-2027, 27% of students enrolled in Kindergarten will demonstrate readiness to learn as assessed by the Kindergarten Readiness Assessment (KRA).

Baseline 2020-2021	14.5%
2021-2022	9.9%

PERFORMANCE GOAL 2

By 2026-2027, 52% of students in grades 3-5 will score meets or exceeds standards on the SC Ready Assessment for ELA.

Baseline 2020-2021	46.6%
2021-2022	52.6%



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PERFORMANCE GOAL 3

By 2026-2027, 52% of students in grades 3-5 will score meets or exceeds standards on the SC Ready Assessment for Math.

Baseline
2020-2021

45%

2021-2022

59.4%

PERFORMANCE GOAL 4

By 2026-2027, 55% of students in grade 4 will meet standards on PASS Science Assessment.

Baseline
2020-2021

25%

2021-2022

50.7



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PERFORMANCE GOAL 5

By the end of the 2026-2027 academic year, the percentage of ML Students who Met Progress Toward Proficiency Target on ACCESS testing will increase by 2% each year.

Baseline 2020-2021	22%
2021-2022	51.6%



PERFORMANCE GOAL 6

By the end of the 2026-2027 academic year, 82% of parents and 97% of teachers surveyed will be satisfied with school-home relations.

Baseline 2020-2021	Parents: 76.7% Teachers; 91.7%
2021-2022	Parents: 93.2 % Teachers: Data N/A



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PERFORMANCE GOAL 7

By the end of the 2026-2027 academic year, the percentage of chronically absent students will decrease to 3%.

Baseline 2020-2021	5%
2021-2022	18.2%

PERFORMANCE GOAL 8

By the end of the 2026-2027 academic year, the overall per engage of progress points earned by students in the disabled subgroup will increase to 46%

Baseline 2020-2021	No Data
2021-2022	34.7%



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SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL GOAL AND ACTION PLAN #1

Maintain High Communication

- Book Administration Slots Available
- Surveys
 - Faculty and Staff
 - Parents
 - Students
- Team Meetings
- Monday Essentials
- Email
- PES Google Calendar
- Advisory Board
- Administration and Teacher SeeSaw Update frequently
- Website Updated - Teachers and Administration
- FaceBook Page Updated
- PES Family Events
- Bright Arrow Messages
- Remind Messages
- Open Door Policy

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL GOAL AND ACTION PLAN #2

Life and Career Characteristics

- The RACE: Each quarter, students qualify for the RACE in these three areas:
 - Academics (Working to the best of ability)
 - Attendance (Limited absences, tardies, and early dismissals)
 - Attitude (Satisfactory Behavior)
- Mighty Mustang Award
 - The Mustang Way "We are safe. We are respectful. We are responsible."
 - Based on monthly character traits and nominated by teachers.
- Student Mentors
 - High School students
- Leader in Me
 - Year 1



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Student Achievement

PES
performed
higher
than the
state
average in
reading
and math
on
SCReady in
2022.

Overall Student Performance

SC Ready English Language Arts and Mathematics

English Language Arts (Reading and Writing) - Percent Met or Exceeding

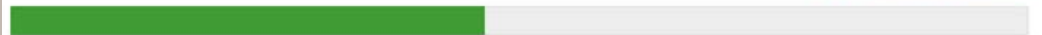
School 52.6% (123 / 234)



District 63.3% (2933 / 4630)



State 46.6% (160707 / 344866)



Mathematics - Percent Met or Exceeding

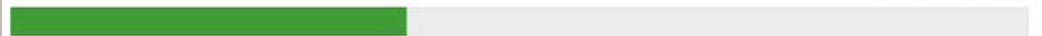
School 59.4% (139 / 234)



District 60.8% (2817 / 4630)



State 38.9% (134048 / 344866)

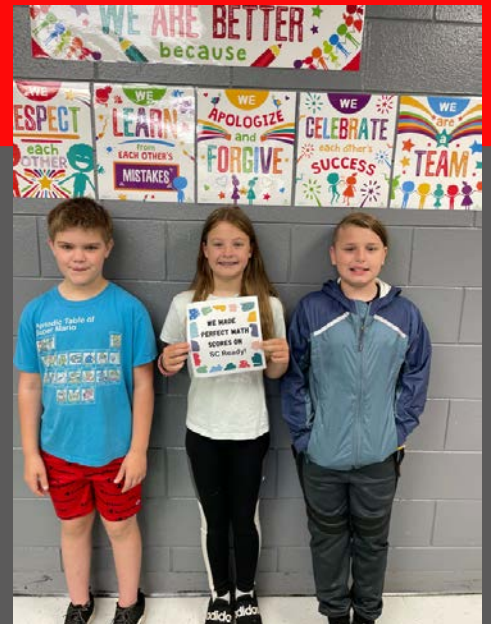
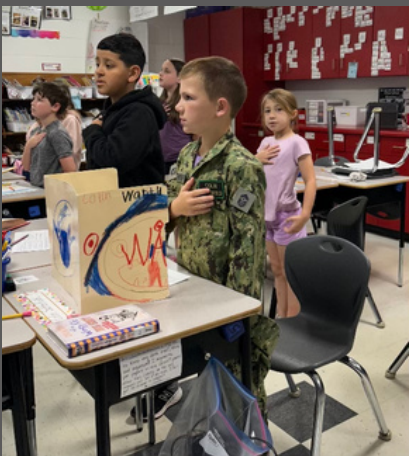


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S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.



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School Achievement



- Cognia Accreditation
- 2020-2021 "Good" Rating Scale on SC Report Card
- National Beta School of Merit
- PTO fundraiser earned \$15,701.13
- Fitness Olympic Medalists:
 - Gold: Elder Cucul Ba
 - Gold: Connor Murphy
 - Silver: Elizabeth Bolling
 - Silver: Arnold Rosales Arteaga
- Jacob Bonham, Zombie Sanders, and Bayley Williams: Perfect Score on Math SC Ready
- #Purpleup for SC Military Kids
- Battle of the Books Contest
- Recruitment of the best and brightest teachers

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Special Events

- Mighty Mustang Program
- Read and Write a Latte
- Palmetto Color Run
- Field Day
- Autism Awareness Week
- The RACE
- Variety Show
- Strings Concert
- ESOL Family Night
- Turkey Boxes for Nursing Home
- 5th Grade Sleepover
- Robotics Competition
- Field Trips
- March of Dimes Fundraiser
- A Very Special Art Festival
- Student Council
- Pinktober: Breast Cancer Awareness
- Santa Shop
- Cookies with Santa
- School Garden
- Palmetto Singers
- Garden Club
- Good New Club
- Vex Club
- Golden Plate
- Family Skate Night
- March of Dimes Fundraiser
- Book Character Dress-Up Day
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Greenville Drive Readers
- Animal Shelter Drive
- Immigration Day

