

In 2014, Homewood Elementary named National Distinguished Title I School.

- In 2015, Mrs. Penny Foye, principal, was named as a Distinguished Educator by the SC House of Representatives for her dedication to young students of South Carolina.
- HWE parents of 3rd grade students have been informed of the SC Read to Succeed Act. Our 3rd grade teachers have held parent teacher conferences each quarter to keep parents informed of their child's progress; especially students who are at risk for retention.
- HWE supports "Student Voice" through our Eagle League program.

Other Programs:

- Gifted & Talented Program
- In-school Tutoring
- Mentoring Program through Coastal Carolina University for several students
- CCU Athletes Kindergarten Reading Program
- CCU Teaching Fellows
- United Way First Grade Reading Program

Title 1 Events:

- Parent Workshops with emphasis on Math and Reading
- Title I Information Meetings,
- Science Fair, and more!
- Title I Reading Events such as: Snowflakes, Teddy Bear Tea, Family Reading Times

Special Events:

Reading Rodeo, Book Fairs, Field Days, Fine Arts Day, Touch a Truck, Career Day, Super Hero Day and more!

Extra Curricular Clubs:

K-Kids Club (Kiwanis Club Organization), News Crew, Algebra Club, Art Club, Drama Club, Chorus, Eagle League, Young Engineers Club, Good News Club (a Bible Study Club) & Kid Power

Theme: Let Your Mind Set the Stage for Success!









Homewood Elementary National Title I Distinguished School SIC Annual Report to the Parents May 2019

Respectful, Responsible, and Ready to Soar!

School Mascot: Eagle ~ School Colors: Blue & Green

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Our School Mission

The mission of Homewood Elementary School, in partnership with its children, families and educational stakeholders, is to ensure our children receive personalized learning experiences by providing quality instruction to prepare them to meet the challenges in life in a safe, orderly and nurturing learning environment.



Dear Parents,

The School Improvement Council (SIC) serves as an advisory committee to the

school principal and faculty. Unlike PTO and other voluntary organizations, SICs are mandated by law to exist in every public school in South Carolina. SICs play a key role in the education of children, bringing together parents, educators and community stakeholders to consider avenues and methods of improvement in local schools. SICs work collaboratively with the school to develop the five-year Strategic Plan.

Homewood Elementary SIC is pleased to present to you our 2018-2019 School Summary Report. This report highlights our grades 3 - 5 students' progress on PASS and SC READY as well as the academic achievement of students in grades K -2. We have gathered MAP tests and other data, studied results, consulted with teachers, parents, and students, and monitored progress throughout the year in order to determine areas in need of improvement. Parental involvement is strongly encouraged and viewed as a significant factor in the success of our students. We welcome you to join us and become active in your child's education and school!

Sincerely,

Penny Foye - Principal

Anthony Smith, Chairman Melanie Cox, Vice Chair Sandra Parker, Secretary Aaron Butler James Cokley Ashley Dorman Terry McLean Rebecca Harper Jessica Hucks Hannah Lockaby Tammy Siegel Kim Yingling

Test Results 2017 - 2018

SC READY ELA (3-5)Percent met and exceeding

School-41%

District-48.8%

State- 41.70%

SC READY Math (3-5) Percent met and exceeding

School- 49.50%

District- 57.20%

State- 41.70%

SCPASS Science (4) Percent met and exceeding

School- 48.60%

District-60.40%

State- 49.40%

PASS Social Studies (5)Percent met and exceeding

School- 74.40%

District-78.10%

State- 68.60%

K-2 DIBELS Test Data

- K-95% of students met reading standards
- 1st-71% met reading standards
- 2nd—73% met reading standards

OVERALL 2017-18 RATING

51 Average

HWE is helping all students develop the world class skills and life career characteristics of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate by providing a safe, nurturing, and challenging learning environment. We provide such an environment through our ongoing belief that ALL children can learn when provided a strong support system.

Homewood Highlights:

- HWE is a Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) school for 2018-19. All of our students receive a healthy breakfast and lunch free of charge.
- Mrs. Tanasha Johnson, Kindergarten teacher, was honored as Homewood Elementary School's Teacher of the Year.
- Mrs. Raephine Gaillard, Director of Kid Power, was honored as Top Five Horry County School's Support Staff of the Year.
- Shane Gagnon, a fourth grade student in Mrs. Hayden's class, is HWE's HTC Reel Kid.
- Our annual Veteran's Day Celebration was very special and well attended. Colonel Davis, of Horry County Schools, delivered an inspirational message to our Veterans.
- This year's Diversity Program was awesome and very well attended.
- Our Thanksgiving, and Diversity Luncheons were a great success and enjoyed tremendously by all.
- Our Angel Tree helped many students and families have a much brighter Christmas.
- Our Eagle League collected items for the local animal shelter.
- The school chorus performed at events and are truly outstanding young musicians.
- Conway Medical Center Smart Snacks provides food over the weekend to students who qualify for free or reduced lunch or are identified by employees of the school.

HWE Community Service Projects:

- Hurricane Florence Relief through our Community Pantry
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Pennies for Patients
- Operation Christmas Child
- United Way