

# School Achievements

Academic success is the driving force behind our mission.

- Our district's Digital Innovation program provides iPads to students in grades kindergarten through fifth grade, encouraging college and career readiness upon graduation.
  - Professional development for teachers continues to be provided to enhance students' experiences and meet individual needs.
  - Literacy is a large focus with the "Read to Succeed Act." Increased instructional expectations are balanced with creating an environment where children love to read.
  - Student Book Clubs, and workshops for our ELL parents and students focus on literacy.
  - Our teachers incorporated Units of Study in Reading/Writing/Phonics to improve student achievement.
  - Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) is promoted through the development and implementation of the Leader in Me curriculum. Teacher and student-led activities focus on the personal and interpersonal leadership skills of students, staff, and families.
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## West Pelzer SIC Members

**Parents:** Blake Sanders, Stephanie Hampton, Marisol Hallows, Brittany Dunlap  
**Teachers:** Jordanne Kittrell, Haley Mahon  
**Administration:** Amy Bagwell, Miranda Leopard

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### Purpose of the Report

The purpose of this report is to highlight the progress WPES is making in achieving the goals and objectives of the school's strategic plan. This report has been developed to share the challenges and successes of the school, students, parents, and teachers.

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## West Pelzer Elementary School

### Annual School Improvement Council "Report to the Parents" 2022-2023



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Our mission is to R.E.A.C.H. every child, parent, teacher, and community member of West Pelzer Elementary by respecting others, educating all, achieving goals, communicating well, and setting high expectations while molding today's learner into tomorrow's creative and innovative thinker.

## SIC Annual Goals

- **Increase Parental Involvement and Communication:**

The SIC continued to display the list of members, goals, and minutes from each meeting on their website. School-wide events, grade level family nights and many celebrations were held to provide parents opportunities to visit their child's classroom and grade level performances.

- **Increase Student Achievement:**

Student achievement is a core focus at WPES. Student achievement is constantly monitored and assessed throughout the year. Teachers are involved in bi-weekly professional learning communities that address the specific needs of students and tailor instruction to meet the needs of their students.

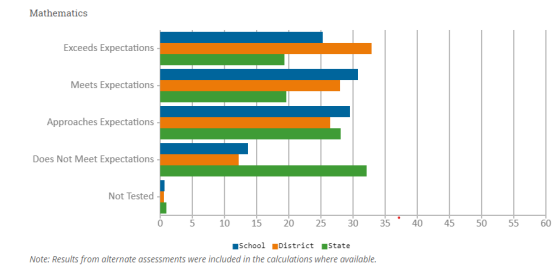
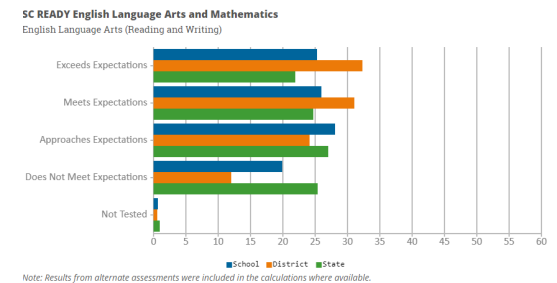
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## Student Achievement

West Pelzer Elementary School  
 2021-2022 Overall Report Card Rating was **good (60)**. This indicates the school performance exceeds the criteria to ensure all students meet the Profile of the SC Graduate.



Details Student Performance across District and State



*ELA(top) Math (bottom) SCReady test score comparison of school, district, and state*

## Additional Information

WPES parents are supportive and attend conferences, student performances, and Title 1 parent events. The WPES PTO works to provide families with events. We are proud of the continued growth and success of WPES.