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Laurens County School District 56 Dr. David O'Shields, Superintendent

Vision

Laurens County School District 56

Where students become ethical and productive citizens - achieving excellence, embracing innovation, and forging new traditions.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide a world class education driven by integrity, teamwork, perseverance through a culture of continuous improvement.

District-Wide Expectations

All students will graduate college and career ready, prepared for life.

Laurens County School District 56 will:

Engage all stakeholders in the support of quality education and continuous improvement.

Empower students to use technology resources to support learning.

Educate in an environment that promotes creativity, collaboration, critical thinking, communication, and character.

Elevate the academic performance of each student to ensure readiness for the next level.

Engage...Empower...Educate...Elevate

Goals for 2020-2021

Continue the implementation of	${\sf Growth}$
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- ☐ Continue Balanced Literacy Program R2S
- ☐ Full implementation of 1:1 technology.
- ☐ Insight Education STEP Teams
- ☐ Embedded professional development during the school day focused on implementation of small group instruction in reading and math.
- ☐ Profile of a SC Graduate
- ☐ Analysis and implementation of SC College and Career Ready Standards in ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies
- ☐ AVID Training 3rd. 4th.and 5th grades
- ☐ Increase teacher knowledge of instructional technology.

School Environment

Curriculum

- $oldsymbol{\square}$ Awards program every quarter
- Classroom, small group, individual counseling
- ☐ Positive Behavior Intervention Supports
- ☐ Implementation of Second Step social emotional learning curriculum.
- ☐ Standard Response Protocol Safety Standards
- ☐ Continue the implementation of Morning Meeting.
- ☐ Implementation of school-wide morning meetings once per week.

Home-School Connection

- ☐ Drive-Through Literacy and Math family events.
- ☐ Increased communication through social media
- ☐ Supports partnership with Presbyterian

	College and area churches.
Our School Today The average daily attendance rate - 97.3% Eastside Elementary School is accredited by AdvanceD. Enrollment is 460 students.	OPPORTUNITIES ☐ Awards for academic achievement ☐ Virtual after school tutoring programs. ☐ Hard Hat Winners for being a good teammate. ☐ Balanced Literacy - R2S

Princess Sturkey, Parent Julie Wofford, Teacher Elizabeth Myers, Teacher Gayle Copeland, Community Member Patsy Simmons, Community Member Dr. Patricia Jones, Community Member CELEBRATIONS Offered five days a week face-to-face instruction for the entire school year. Started a vegetable garden in partnership with the Clinton High School Agriculture Department and our local farmers. Three service projects completed by the Junior Beta Club Members. Reduced number of discipline referrals by more than fifty percent from the school year 2019-2020. Gifted and Talented Program - Academic and Artistic Daily News Show Related Arts offered weekly in areas of PE, Music, Art, Computer, and Music. Book Vending Machine as incentives State Museum Partnership Guidance School- Based Mental Health Michelin STEM Competition Project Based Learning Red Ribbon celebrations Safety Drills and protocols School Check-In SIC Snack Pack Program Supplemental Support Services Title I - Class size reduction Title I - Small group reading and math interventions. Community Eligibility Program Junior Beta Club
