

PELION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



SIC Annual Report to Parents 2016-2017

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2016-2017 School Improvement Council

- ✿ *Cindy Smith - SIC Chairperson*
- ✿ *Lori Creech - PTO Representative*
- ✿ *Kimberly Kneece - Teacher (TOY)*
- ✿ *Dana Boozer - Teacher*
- ✿ *Tasha Evans - Parent*
- ✿ *Brittney Godfrey - Parent*
- ✿ *Melissa Goff - Parent*
- ✿ *Lucinda Jordan - Parent*
- ✿ *Victor Rodriquez - Parent*
- ✿ *Denise Shumpert - Parent*
- ✿ *Tonya Tyler - Parent*
- ✿ *Stephanie Robinson - School Psychologist*
- ✿ *Robin Christopher - Support Staff*
- ✿ *Mildred Poole - Support Staff*
- ✿ *Wendy West - Principal*
- ✿ *Kenny Brazell - Assistant Principal*
- ✿ *Wendy Spears - Asst. Administrator*
- ✿ *Tabitha Rodriguez - Community Member*
- ✿ *Scott Whetstone - Community Member*



PES Mission Statement

The mission of Pelion Elementary School, where Panthers AchiEve LeaderShip, is to inspire students to achieve their maximum potential in a high performance learning culture through academics, technology, the arts and athletics. Therefore, in this endeavor, we will work to prepare our students to be caring independent and responsible citizens in an ever-changing world. This is accomplished by working with families and the community to provide a supportive environment, challenging educational experiences, and opportunities to explore the various areas of our world, while learning to help and serve others.

Panther Pride 100%

State of SC Annual Report Card Ratings Over 5-Year Period

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2016	Rating not assigned under new accountability system	
2015	Average	Average
2014	Average	Average
2013	Average	Average
2012	Average	Average
2011	Average	Average



ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY
RATING SYSTEM

2013 ESEA Grade: A (REWARD)

2012 ESEA Grade: B

What is PES doing to improve?

Instruction

- ✿ Focus on teaching curriculum, early interventions and implementing Everyday Math and Lucy Calkins units of study for Writing/Reading with fidelity.
- ✿ Three instructional tutors are assigned to grade level classrooms (K-5th) to assist with meeting the individual needs of the students.
- ✿ Common assessments developed and administered in ELA and math at all grade levels.
- ✿ Student progress in reading is screened and monitored throughout the year with the reading assessment tool Fountas & Pinnell, easyCBM and the Developmental Reading Assessment.
- ✿ Data from MAP, easyCBM, Developmental Reading Assessments, classroom observations, common assessments and progress monitoring is analyzed regularly to guide instructional decisions.
- ✿ Response to Intervention (RTI) is being implemented to ensure that targeted instructional support is provided when learning is not occurring at expected rates.
- ✿ STEM teacher to work with students in grades 3-5.
- ✿ Literacy coaches work with teachers to ensure best practices in literacy and math are being implemented.

Professional Development

- ✿ Grade level team meetings and data days to examine data for instructional planning and to inform instructional decisions.
- ✿ Literacy, Math, Digital Literacy Coaches & STEM Teacher provide support to all teachers.
- ✿ P.E. Teacher attended SCAHPERD Conference.
- ✿ Literacy Coach attended literacy conference.
- ✿ Selected teachers attended workshops/sessions by the SCSDE.
- ✿ Tami Hall selected to attend 2017 PLUS Institute at Roper Mountain Science Center.

School Renewal Plan Goals 2016-2017

Student Achievement

- ✿ At least 45% of students will score exemplary on PASS ELA, Math and Writing.
- ✿ Less than 15% of students will score not met on PASS ELA, Math and Writing.
- ✿ At least 80% of students will meet growth targets on MAP.
- ✿ At least 80% of students will meet end of grade level reading targets on the Developmental Reading Assessment.

Leadership

- ✿ 100% of teachers will be highly qualified.

School Climate

- ✿ At least 75% of respondents will agree on parent, student and teacher surveys.

CELEBRATIONS!

- ✿ 2016-2017 Teacher of the Year: Mrs. Kimberly Kneece
- ✿ 2016-2017 Support Staff of the Year: Mrs. Cathy Gunter
- ✿ Expanded student leadership opportunities
- ✿ ELA, Math and Technology Coaches for primary and elementary grades
- ✿ Focus on Blended Learning in classrooms (eSpark implementation)
- ✿ STEM Teacher to support curriculum in grades 3-5