# **Annual School**

# Improvement Report

April 29, 2023

# **Dutch Fork Elementary**

"Where Wonders Grow"

**Green Steps School** 

**Dutch Fork Elementary** 

7900 Broad River Rd.

Irmo, SC 29063

#### **Mission of Dutch Fork Elementary School**

is to develop students who love the world we live in and express critical thinking through natural curiosity and wonder.

#### **Student Ownership of Learning through**

\*Personal Passion Projects

Student - led conferences

- \* Environmental Action Projects
  - \*Learning Celebrations

### 2022 - 2023 School Celebrations

- Elizabeth Fairbanks named DFES TOY
- Vernedette Tolson named DFES SEOY
- 2nd Cup of Coffee (Monthly Parent Engagement)
- SEL
  - Essential Eight
  - Zones of Regulation School Wide Inquiry/Implementation
- Median Conditional Growth (MCG) gains from MAP Fall 2022 to MAP Spring 2023 in reading and math

- DFES recipient of \$5.3 million dollar energy savings project
  - 49 HVAC Units Replaced, 2593 LED Fixture Upgrades, 73 Window replacements
- Numerous environmental action projects
  - Earth Week
  - Beek Week
  - Shoe Drive
- All students provided \$10 voucher for spring book fair
- All students provided recipients of summer 2023 book giveaway to add to their home libraries

# **Student Performance**

Overall Student Performance	
SC Ready English Language Arts and Mathematics English Language Arts (Reading and Writing) - Percent Met or Exceeding	
School	44.7% (96 / 215)
District	55.0% (4069 / 7403)
State	46.6% (160707 / 344866)
Mathematics - Percent Met or Exceeding	
School	36.7% (79 / 215)
District	45.1% (3339 / 7403)
State	38.9% (134048 / 344866)

## **Climate Survey**

Results of Teacher, Student, and Parent Opinion Surveys

	<u>Teachers</u>	Students	<u>Parents</u>
Number of surveys returned	42	208	52
Percent satisfied with learning environment	92.5%	87.5%	92.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	85.7%	84.9%	91.7%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	Data N/A	90.8%	90.9%

## **Annual Goal**

To connect and build community with each other so that all parents, guardians, and families feel valued.

#### **Purpose of the Report**

"This Report is issued by the Dutch Fork Elementary School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year."

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