## WES HIGHLIGHTS

- Partnership with Clemson Hope Mentoring Program
- Warrior Honors Club
- Fine Arts Night
- Literacy Night
- Ag Science Night
- Future Farmers' Club
- Student Council
- Olweus Bullying Prevention
- WES Chorus
- SIC
- PTO
- Principal's Council
- Engineering Class
- The Bee Cause -Observation Hive
- Jump into Kindergarten
- Literacy Family Engagements
- Special Olympics and Spring Games
- 3rd Grade Bluebird Houses
- 3rd Grade Swim with YMCA

## WES SIC Members

Principal - Liza Smith
Assistant Principal - Jessica
Thomas
Co-Chairs - Jessa McLane and
Drew Holbrooks
Mac Campbell
Jason Duncan
Angela Long
Allison Miller
Lisa Towe
Joni Mize
Denise Cox

## **PURPOSE**

"This Report is issued by the Westminster 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."

# WESTMINSTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL





REPORT TO THE PEOPLE 2022-2023

## SIC ANNUAL GOALS

This year our SIC has strived to improve the school environment for both students and teachers. Our SIC has been very active in the following projects at WES:

- Gaga pit for playground
- Partnering with Principal's Council on purchase of new recess equipment
- Little Free Library for Community
- Providing resources for Ag Night
- Providing resources for Future Farmer's Club
- Providing resources for Literacy Night

## **MESSAGE FROM SIC**

The School Improvement Council's mission is to partner with the school on improvement projects and the creation of the Title I plan. The SIC is made up of community members, business partners, administration, parents and teachers.

The SIC works behind the scenes to collaborate with the school and community to help provide opportunities and resources that will support the growth of our future community leaders.

### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Westminster Elementary School is a Title I school. With our Title I funds, the school has additional staffing that allows for smaller classroom sizes and more interventionists to target our struggling students. Title I funds also helps us staff our Engineering class as a part of our related arts rotation.

Using NWEA's Linking Study for SC Ready, the table below shows the percentage of our students that are on target to meet and or exceed expectations in grades 2-5.

Grade	Reading	Math
2nd	31.5%	61%
3rd	48.3%	70%
4th	24%	43%
5th	30.3%	33.4%
For more information, you may view Westminster Elementary School's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.		

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### STRATEGIC PLAN

Westminster Elementary will be updating their strategic plan for the 2022-2023 school year. This will be a five year plan that will address student achievement, teacher and administrator quality, and school climate.

#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Each year WES will work towards increasing the number of 2nd-5th grade students who score "meet" or "exceeds" in reading.

# TEACHER AND ADMINISTOR QUALITY

Based on state teacher and student opinion surveys, our school will score 95% or greater in the "agree" or "strongly agree" categories in the area of Learning Environment by 2027.

#### **SCHOOL CLIMATE**

Based on the state parent and student opinion surveys, our school will score 78% or greater in the "agree" or "strongly agree" category of "parents attend school meetings and other school events" in the are of Home School Relations by 2027.