Mission Statement

The mission of Orangeburg County School District, the catalyst of innovation and excellence, is to ensure all students discover and develop their person, purpose and platform through high-quality educational experiences distinguished by:

a culture of collaboration, equity and inclusion a creative learning environment with inspiring opportunities

a commitment to nurture the academic, physical, social and emotional well-being of all.

Belief Statements

We Believe That...
honoring individuality through respect and empathy empowers and promotes acceptance, which builds family and community.

effective communication is key to understanding others.

purpose is the core of existence.

moral values shape who we are

a servant's heart encompasses love that is manifested in action and deed toward self and mankind.

freedom is an inherent right

time is life's most valuable asset.

growth mindset is necessary to adapt and embrace change.

Profile

Edisto Primary School is a Title I school serving 528 students in grades 4K, Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade. We are located in rural Cordova, Orangeburg County. We strive to ensure that all our students reach their fullest potentials

academically and socially.

Edisto Primary School holds the AdvanceEd Accreditation with 100% of our certified staff being identified as Highly Qualified!



The purpose of the Report to the People issued by the Edisto Primary School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law is to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the 2021—2022 school year.

Edisto Primary Spirit

Parent Appreciation Day
United Way Donations
Kids Heart Challenge
Community Food Drives
Socks for Seniors
Special Olympics

Early Childhood Major partnership with OC-TECH, Claflin, and SCSU Relay for Life Toys for Tots Veteran's Day



Edisto Primary School



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Goals

grade students will show a positive progression ment of Academic Progress in Reading. from Fall 2021 to Spring 2022 on the Measure-80% of the Kindergarten, 1st grade, and 2nd

grade students will show a positive progression 80% of the Kindergarten, 1st grade, and 2nd ment of Academic Progress in Math. from Fall 2021 to Spring 2022 on the Measure-

Data

Percentage of Students in Kindergarten, 1st grade, and 2nd grade who showed positive progression on the MAP assessment from Fall

2021 until Spring 2022.
(Data include General and Special Education Students)

	Math	Reading
Kindergarten	99%	97%
First Grade	100%	99%
Second Grade	100%	93%
Overall	98%	96%

Academics

- Wit and Wisdom Language Arts
- Eureka Math
- Letterland
- Dreambox

Waterford

- Flexible Grouping
- Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)
- MAP Reading Fluency
- ings (PALS) Phonological Awareness Literacy Screen-
- Summer Reading Camp
- Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS)
- One to One iPad devices for students

Ways to Support EPS

- Volunteer
- Join EPS Parent Teacher Organization
- Participate in various fundraiser
- Box Tops for Education
- Donors Choose Project Support
- Coca Cola School Project
- **Book Fairs**

National Board Certified

- Cynthia Bozard
- Dr. Mary Jane Davis
- Virginia Kemp
- Dawn K. Whitesides

2021 Community **Partnerships**

- **Ebenezer Baptist Church**
- **Embark Church**
- Claflin University
- Lion's Club
- Orangeburg Calhoun Technical College
- Orangeburg Department of Public Safety
- Clemson Extension Office
- Orangeburg County Library
- Cordova Fire Department
- South Carolina State University
- Cope Area Career Center Teacher Cadet
- Edisto High School

School Highlights

- American Education Week
- Finalist for OCSD Teacher of the Year Kimberly Russell - Teacher of the Year
- son of the year Rochelle Dowling-Jones, Staff Support Per-
- Career Day
- Field Day
- Veteran's Day Activities
- Family Health Night
- Family Career Night
- Read Across America Week
- Red Ribbon Week
- Related Arts Showcase in the Community
- Relay for Life
- Scholastic Book Fair
- School Improvement Council
- PTO
- School Orientation
- Savannah River Nuclear Solutions Grant