

Diamond Hill is a “great place to shine” located in a great and shining community. Being located in the middle of the “Nation” community in Abbeville County, family values and pride are ingredients that drive all members of our school family to be the best!

The students are truly the heart and soul of our school, and this is shown in the pride they take in their work and the great facility that we have here. In the classroom, our faculty and staff are second to none ! The dedication and love that they give to these children will last a lifetime. The former students returning to visit faculty and staff are a testament to that.

Diamond Hill Elementary School is a rural school with a population of approximately 300 students in grades four-year-old kindergarten through seven. The ethnicity of the school is 90% Caucasian, 9% African American, 1% other. The socioeconomic status of our families is in the range of low to middle income. We have 68% of our students on free or reduced meals.

Our mission is, “Challenging students everyday to be a shining success in school and in life.” We strive to both strengthen and accelerate student learning in the areas of reading, mathematics, science, and social studies. With “Common Core” comes new challenges that our faculty and students are prepared to meet “head on!” We will implement effective interventions to enhance the daily learning environment for all students, as well as build a positive climate for their success. At Diamond Hill Elementary, we believe that the most powerful learning comes when children develop a true understanding of concepts through higher order thinking associated with various fields of inquiry and self-monitoring of their thinking.

With the hard work of faculty, staff, students, and parents Diamond Hill is truly a great place to shine!

Todd Ramey, Principal