

In South Carolina, a School Improvement Council is an advisory council to the principal and the school on issues related to school improvement.

### **Purpose of Report**

This report is issued annually by the Logan 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.

### **SIC Members**

#### Parents

John Black, Chairperson Tameika Isaac Devine, Vice Chairperson Caitlin Martin Cothran, Secretary Lauren Williams Noesner

#### Teachers

Allison Kingsley Ashlee McCarthy

**Community** Nick Washington

**Ex-Officio** David Copeland, Principal Dr. Latisha Lowery, Assistant Principal Sherrie Belton, Parent & Family Eng. Specialist

### Ways to Get Involved

At Logan Elementary, we want parents to be full partners in their child's education. Research shows students are more likely to perform well in school, remain in school longer, and enjoy school more when schools, families, and communities work in harmony.

Serving on the School Improvement Council is a great way to get involved and no experience is required. Your input is needed and greatly appreciated.

## **Additional Opportunities**

Arts Steering Committee Family Nights for Arts, Literacy, and Math Logan Foundation Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) Reading Role Models and more!

For more information, please contact the Parent & Family Engagement Specialist at sherrie.belton@richlandone.org.





## 2022-2023 SIC Report to the Parents

Logan Elementary School Richland County School District One

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# Mission

With the foundation of excellence in instruction, Logan Elementary School is transforming lives through education and empowering all students to achieve their potential and dreams.

## Curriculum

Logan Elementary offers both a traditional program and Montessori program. Both programs provide rigorous academic instruction. We work intensively to support our students in becoming independent learners, thinkers, and leaders.

## **Arts Integration**

Logan Elementary offers both a traditional program and a Montessori program. Both programs provide rigorous academic instruction. We work intensively to support our students in becoming independent learners, scholars, and leaders.

## **Special Offerings**

DanceSteel DrLeopard SingersStudentOutdoor ClassroomTheaterSafety PatrolStater

Steel Drum Band Student News Show Theater



## State of the Arts

This school year, Logan Elementary applied and received re-certification as an ABC School by the Arts in Basic Curriculum Project. The statewide organization provides leadership in arts education and certifies South Carolina schools for their exemplary efforts to provide quality, standards-based arts education to all students.

Logan continuously strives to offer additional arts programs and to develop creative ways to integrate the arts into the school curriculum.



## **STAR Test Data**

#### What is STAR testing?

STAR Reading is an assessment of reading comprehension and skills for independent readers. STAR Math is an assessment of math achievement.

#### What is the format of the test?

All STAR assessments are computeradaptive tests. Computer-adaptive tests continually adjust the difficulty of each child's test by choosing each test question based on the child's previous response. If the child answers a question correctly, the difficulty level of the next item is increased. If the child misses a question, the difficulty level is decreased.

#### How is the data used?

STAR assessments are used to monitor student growth throughout the year, to estimate students' understanding of state standards, and predict students' performance on state assessments.

### Reading

Math

