

## SCHOOL STATISTICS

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Enrollment: 445

Mascot: Saint

School Colors: Blue and Yellow

Grades Taught: K4 - 5

Average Class Size: 20 Students

Attendance Zone:

St. Andrews Middle (grades 6-8)

Columbia High (grades 9-12)

## LETTER FROM THE BOARD

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The SIC encourages programs to be implemented that will increase student achievement and provide a nurturing learning environment for all students.

The SIC meets on the third Tuesday of every other month.

## SIC BOARD MEMBERS

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Mikell Owens, Principal

Mary Sims, Chair

Sandra Reep, Secretary

Mary Jo Lounsberry

Lamaris Mack

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## H.B. RHAME, JR. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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WE'RE ALL ABOUT LEARNING  
AT RHAME ELEMENTARY



REPORT TO THE PARENTS  
2011-2012

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## MISSION STATEMENT

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H. B. Rhame Elementary in Richland One will prepare every student to be a successful, contributing citizen in a global society by providing an effective and high quality education.

## VISION

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H. B. Rhame Elementary School in Richland School District One, in collaboration with an engaged community, is committed to ensuring each learner achieves his/her potential in a safe, caring, academically challenging and diverse learning environment that will develop productive citizens for a changing world.

## BELIEFS

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We believe that...everyone learns; each person has immeasurable worth and needs to be valued; every person is responsible for his/her choices and actions; integrity governs our behavior; people are interdependent; change provides opportunity for growth; and, excellence is attainable.

## SPECIAL FEATURES AND AWARDS

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- ◇ Awards for Citizenship, Behavior, Uniforms, and Accelerated Reader
- ◇ Career Day
- ◇ Collaborative Relationship with CIU
- ◇ Collaborative Relationship with USC
- ◇ Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Grant Award
- ◇ Grade Level Field Trips
- ◇ Literacy Night
- ◇ Monthly Literacy Newsletter
- ◇ National Board Certified Teachers
- ◇ On-Site After School Care—Community Child Care Associates
- ◇ Peer Monitoring and Tutoring
- ◇ PowerSchool Parent Website
- ◇ Quarterly School Newsletter
- ◇ SmartBoards
- ◇ State Palmetto Silver Award
- ◇ Uniforms - White or Yellow Tops with Dark Blue Bottoms/Jumpers
- ◇ Updated computers in all classroom



## PROGRAMS

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- ◇ Accelerated Reading Program
- ◇ Advance Academic Program
- ◇ After School Tutorial Program in 3-5
- ◇ Art Program
- ◇ Books and Breakfast in CD/K
- ◇ Breakthrough to Literacy in K4 -1
- ◇ Child Development/4 yr old program
- ◇ D.A.R.E.
- ◇ Family Reading Night
- ◇ Festival Choir in 2nd/3rd Grade
- ◇ Festival Choir in 4th/5th Grade
- ◇ French taught in Grades 3 - 5
- ◇ Grade Level P.E.
- ◇ Grandparent's Day
- ◇ Intramural Sports
- ◇ Involved PTO and SIC
- ◇ Kid's Café
- ◇ Mr. B's Program
- ◇ Music Program
- ◇ Physical Education
- ◇ Reading and Math Interventionists
- ◇ Rhame Runners
- ◇ Safety Patrol
- ◇ Special Education Resource Program
- ◇ Speech Services
- ◇ Strings in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade
- ◇ Strong Interfaith Partnerships
- ◇ Strong Lunch Buddies Program
- ◇ Strong Mentoring Program
- ◇ Strong Volunteer Program
- ◇ Student Produced Rhame TV