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Saluda Primary School SIC Report to the People



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Vision

The vision of Saluda Schools District One is to equip and inspire our students to achieve academic excellence, be responsible citizens, and make positive contributions to our community.

Mission

The mission for Saluda School District One is to provide an environment and culture where teachers can teach, students can learn, and the well being of all members of the school community matters.

SPS Celebrates Students' Performance

- Monthly Reading Incentives
- Students of the Month
- Individual PBIS Incentives
- Class Level PBIS Incentives
- School Wide PBIS Incentives
- Various Academic Awards



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Home School Connection

PTA (Parent Teacher Association) Saluda Primary School PTA (PAWS) supported school events to help raise funds for our school. Donuts were sold to help raise money for playground equipment. PTA also provided staff with birthday treats and special days of recognition. A spring umbrella fundraiser was also completed.

School Sponsored, Student Activities and Opportunities

- Kindergarten 101
- Open House
- Fall Family Literacy Night
- Winter Family Curriculum Night
- Veterans Day Salute
- Science STEM Night
- 101st Day Celebration
- Grandparents Breakfast
- Picnic with Families
- Arts in Action Night
- After School Run Club
- After School 4H Club
- Little Miss SPS Pageant
- Fall and Spring Book Fair
- Title One Meetings
- Grade Level Field Trips
- PBIS Celebrations
 - Glow Dance Party with live DJ/Game Truck Celebration/Field trip to Playland



Saluda Primary School Awards!

Mrs. Lesley Forrest, kindergarten teacher, was named Teacher of the Year.



Curriculum

- Fully implemented South Carolina College and Career Ready Standards throughout each grade level.
- Fully implemented Kagan Cooperative Learning to enhance student engagement.
- Fully implemented Balanced Literacy/Literacy Footprints in grades K-2, as well as, Letterland, a phonics based program, and Heggerty, a program to enhance phonemic awareness.
- Fully implemented The Golden Gate Kid's Program in the guidance department.
- Computers are used in Pre- Kindergarten- 2nd grade to help develop readiness skills
- NWEA's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) is administered to all students. Data collected from MAP is used to drive instruction.
- All teachers participated in professional development that is driven by student data. This initiative enabled teachers to work together to learn best practice strategies that are relevant to student's needs.
- A monthly reading incentive program is implemented for all students to enhance their reading performance. This initiative encourages students to read for pleasure to help improve their comprehension skills.
- SPS benefits from a phenomenal sheltered ML program for our Multilingual Learners. ML students receive further support provided by ML tutors.
- Individual conferences are held throughout the year with all parents, students, and administration to discuss student performance.



Community Outreach

- Weekly school and class newsletters are sent home to keep parents up to date on all events.
- Swift K-12, a district wide communication system, notifies the school community of school and district happenings.
- School website, Facebook, and Twitter update the community on school happenings.

Saluda Primary School Environment

Saluda Primary is a Positive Behavior Interventions and Support (PBIS) school. It is our priority to reinforce positive behavior while constantly teaching our school wide expectations. Saluda Primary School ROARS: Students are expected to be Respectful, Organized, Attentive, and Responsible. When our students ROAR it fosters an environment of positive academic and social growth.



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