2020-2021 New Prospect Elementary

"Our mission is to educate and empower our students so they are prepared to reach their fullest potential."

Report to Parents

This year has been like none others! We began the year in a hybrid learning environment and then transitioned to a traditional learning environment. New Prospect Elementary has approximately 364 students with two teachers in kindergarten, first and fifth grade and

students with two teachers in kindergarten, first and fifth grade and three teachers in second, third, fourth, and sixth grade. Additionally, we

have a morning and afternoon K4 class. At New Prospect Elementary we strive to provide our students with a student- centered education. Our staff is dedicated to making sure our students meet their learning goals. Below you will find some of our major accomplishments and our priorities for the 2020-2021 school year.

Accomplishments:

- Jennifer Bogan was 2020-2021 recipients of a BIG grant through the Tryon Fine Arts Center.
- NPE was awarded funding through the State Department of Education as an Arts in Basic School.
- McKensie Revels was named New Prospect's 2020-2021 Teacher of the Year
- Tracy Taylor was named New Prospect's 2020-2021 Distinguished Teacher of the Year.
- NPE was awarded funding through the Distinguished Arts Program Grant
- Outstanding Artist in Residence through ABC and DAP grants included Kaleo Wheeler, Sumter Dance Company, & Joe Edwards.
- MUSE Machine Partnership exposed students to different art forms, such as storytelling dance, and african folklore. All performances were virtual.

• Kelliane Floyd was the 2020 Recipient of PSAE Ray Doughty Arts Integration Award





Major Priorities:

NPE teachers and administrators will:

- practice, implement and reflect on strategies to ensure the academic success of each child. This includes academic and social emotional strategies.
- continue school-wide integration of the arts throughout all content areas.
- continue to focus on instructional best practices.
- use data from informal and formal assessments to inform instruction .
- continue to seek community organizations to display children's art work.
- provide differentiated professional development opportunities through Momentum Mondays, Grade Level Meetings, and D1 PD.
- Continue to implement math incentives for 3rd grade students memorizing multiplication tables.
- work closely with the School Improvement Council.
- continue to differentiate instruction through Readers and Writers Workshop Continue to integrate effective instructional technology in all grade levels.

New Prospect is committed to providing a high quality educational experiences for all students of diverse backgrounds, talents, and interests. We strive to meet the needs of all students each and every day.

