

SIC Annual Goals

Using data trends and best practices, the SIC has determined a need for additional support in STEAM education at Laurel Hill. In conjunction with our PTA, through both our Boosterthon fundraiser and Park West Campus Ed Fund Campaign, we have raised funds that will provide STEAM resources for our students.

Additionally, our SIC continued to support our community partners iBeam and Angels for Education by hosting our annual Holiday Book Drive for our students. The committee also has placed a focus on building and grounds improvements.

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What do our teachers, students, and parents love about Laurel Hill?

“Laurel Hill is an amazing place to work because of the wonderful people! We have energetic administration, dedicated teachers, supportive parents and precious children! I am proud to be part of a school where everyone works together with the students best interests in mind!” - Jamie Rogers, Teacher of the Year

“I love Laurel Hill Primary because administration and teachers have created a culture of family, fun, and accountability. They treat the kids like their own, make learning fun, and hold everyone accountable to be their best every day.” -Matthew Turner, parent and SIC member

*“I like Laurel Hill because they teach you good stuff. I like that we are safe and there are alot of nice teachers.”
Sadie K., 1st grade*

Purpose of the Report

This Report is issued by the Laurel Hill Primary 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.

Laurel Hill Primary School

School Improvement Council Annual Report 2018-2019



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The vision of Laurel Hill Primary is to develop well-rounded learners in a child-centered, developmentally appropriate environment where each is capable of fulfilling their potential.

Student Achievement

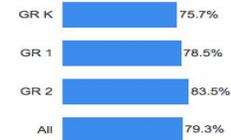
The chart below shows the percentage of students at Laurel Hill that met or exceeded at least 1 year growth in the areas of math and reading.

Percent of Students Meeting or Exceeding 1.0 Year Growth

MAP Reading 2017-18

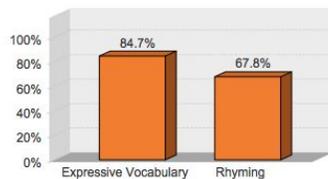


MAP Math 2017-18

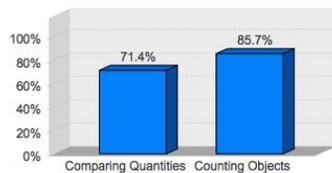


The chart below shows the percentage of pre-K student showing Kindergarten readiness in the areas of math and reading.

Pre-Kindergarten Readiness Spring ELA (myIGDIs)



Pre-Kindergarten Readiness Spring Math (myIGDIs)



Awards and Honors

Top Rated Primary School in South Carolina

NAEYC Accreditation, 2008, 2013 & 2018

SC Literacy Spot Award, 2011

SCPTA Award of Excellence, 1st place, 2008

Riley SIC Award, Honorable Mention, 2008

Community of Readers Award, 2007

SC Governor's Council on Physical Fitness, 1st place, School Award, 2007

Red Carpet Award, 2005

Additional Information

Laurel Hill Primary continues to foster the child-centered atmosphere that has made it an award-winning school. At LHPS, we are committed to the success of each child. Our students continue to grow in all areas, and we are determined to provide a developmentally appropriate learning environment. We are proud to consistently be the highest rated primary school in the state.

Laurel Hill is a PBIS school and has seen excellent results. In addition, we are proud to have maintained our accreditation through the National Association of Educators of Young Children (NAEYC). This prestigious status has been described as the gold standard by which early childhood programs are evaluated.

Various events were once again held for our school community including our Family Reading and Math Night, Arts Night, and our annual Turtle Trot Fun Run. We appreciate the support from our PTA, Park West Campus Education Fund, and the parents and community, whose partnerships involve volunteering, fundraising, and organizing various events. The primary goal at Laurel Hill Primary is to challenge every one of our students to meet his or her greatest potential.