

OAKLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



Grades: PK - 1st

School Colors: Red and White

School Mascot: Eagle

School Theme: Educating the “Whole Child”

Enrollment: 630

Average Class Size: 24

Brief Summary of Instructional Program_____

Oakland Primary School helps all students develop world-class skills and life and career characteristics of the profile of the SC Graduate by providing a warm and nurturing environment where all children can learn and succeed. Our students are involved in meaningful, engaging and rigorous learning opportunities. Oakland continues to implement the Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS), and a major focus is to improve student achievement in Math and Reading.

At Oakland Primary, we maintain high expectations for our students’ academic, social, emotional, and physical development. Our teachers continue to be involved in professional development opportunities such as Guided Reading, Differentiated Instruction, Early Math Numeracy, Engaged Student Learning Environments, Mastery Connect, Google Apps, and Professional Learning Communities (PLCs). We are

committed to developing child-centered classrooms where critical thinking and problem solving are daily priorities. Students are involved in STEM, interactive learning through technology, hands-on activities, and literacy rich classrooms. We have programs to challenge those ready to dive a bit deeper through STEM and QUEST, as well as research based interventions to help those that are in need of extra assistance.

Parental and community involvement are integral parts of our school. Through our social media platform and school website we maintain an open dialog between home, community, and school. At Oakland Primary, we believe it is the responsibility of the home, school and community to help educate the “whole child.” Through this, we will turn our future high school graduates into well-rounded college and career ready citizens in the 21st century.

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Outstanding Features/ Programs

- Leveled Literacy Intervention Lab
- Math Intervention Lab
- Capstone Reading Initiative
- Title I Parent Facilitator
- Crossover Program
- After School Program (STEM)
- After School Tutoring Program
- Holiday Sing Along
- 100th Day Celebration
- Read Across America Day
- Guided Reading Program and Library
- Deployed Parent Group
- One to One Global Technology Initiative
- Two Computer Labs
- Unified Champion School
- Red Ribbon Week

Extracurricular Activities

- Multi-Cultural Fair
- Fun Day
- Birthday Club
- Fall Festival
- Choir

School Incentives

- Quarterly Awards Recognition
- Teacher Recognition
- Media Center Incentive Program
- Terrific Kids
- Citizenship Awards
- Perfect Attendance Awards
- Spirit Days

Parent and Teacher Opportunities

- Title I Parent Advisory Council (PAC)
- Parent-Teacher Association (PTA)
- Open House
- Parent Conference Nights
- School Improvement Council (SIC)
- Parent Workshops

Community Involvement

- School Volunteer Program
- School-Business Partnership Program
- Parent Newsletter
- Military Mentor Program
- School Improvement Council (SIC)
- Principal for the Day
- Donations to shelters
- Marco's Pizza Night
- Dad Clean up Day
- Grandparents Day
- Shower Shaw With Cookies
- Veterans Day Program
- Career Fair
- Boy Scout Interest Meeting
- Girls Scout Meeting Place

Faculty Profile

- 2 Administrators
- 35 Teachers
- 1 Reading Coach
- 1 Instructional Coach
- 1 Math Coach
- 2 School Counselors
- 1 Media Specialist
- 1 Nurse
- 41 Support Staff