

What we teach

Social Studies K-5

Our district's elementary curriculum is designed to make learning engaging, holistic and meaningful.

- ◆ The South Carolina College and Career Ready Standards provide the foundation for the work in each subject area
- ◆ The South Carolina standards in each subject area are available on the South-Carolina Department of Education website.

[Click here for the social studies standards](#)

Our social studies curriculum is designed to help children understand cultural diversity and their place in the global community, with an emphasis in third grade on geography.

- ✓ The curriculum includes grade-specific content standards and social studies literacy skills that span the grade levels.
- ✓ These skills include
 - interpreting calendars, timelines, maps, charts, tables, and graphs;
 - using tables and graphs to interpret geographic trends and relationships;
 - considering multiple perspectives of documents and stories;
 - challenging illogical arguments such as name calling, personal attacks, and insinuation; and
 - gathering and processing information from a variety of primary and secondary sources.
- ✓ Correlation of social studies and language arts instruction occurs frequently through the use of supplementary literature and integrated writing assignments.