



# Cherokee County School District

Ball Ground Elementary School

STEM Academy

Ms. Melinda Roulier, Principal

2022-23

School Improvement Plan

Executive Summary



## School Mission Statement

Ball Ground STEM Academy is dedicated to cultivating creative minds with a heart to serve.

### School Improvement Goal 1

The percentage of third through fifth grade students performing at the Proficient and Distinguished Levels on the Math GA Milestones will increase from 46% to 55% by May 2024, with a yearly 3% increase in 2022, 2023 and 2024.

### School Improvement Action Plan

- Design and implement **Inquiry-Based, Transdisciplinary STEM Tasks** to increase academic achievement through **Creative and Critical Thinking**.
- Provide **Timely Feedback** based on **Learning Targets and Success Criteria** to promote **Self-Assessment and Student-Led Conferences**.
- Increase focus on attendance through **Truancy Panel Meetings, monthly CARES Team Meetings and Positive Behavior Support**.

### School Improvement Goal 2

The percentage of third through fifth grade students performing at the Proficient and Distinguished Levels on the ELA GA Milestones will increase from 38% to 47% by May 2024, with a yearly 3% increase in 2022, 2023 and 2024.

### School Improvement Action Plan

- Design and implement **Inquiry-Based, Transdisciplinary STEM Tasks** to increase academic achievement through **Creative and Critical Thinking**.
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- Increase focus on attendance through **Truancy Panel Meetings, monthly CARES Team Meetings and Positive Behavior Support**.

More information available at <http://cherokee12.net/ballgroundes/sip/>.

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