



Cherokee County School District

Ball Ground ES

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2023-24

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.
- Analyze student assessment data from multiple sources to design effective **Differentiated Lessons** to meet the needs of the individual learner.

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**.
- Provide **Timely Feedback** based on **Learning Targets** and **Success Criteria** to promote self-assessment and student-led conferences.
- Analyze student assessment data from multiple sources to design effective **Differentiated Lessons** to meet the needs of the individual learner.

More information available at [School Improvement Plans - Ball Ground Elementary School \(cherokeek12.net\)](https://cherokeek12.net).

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