

# HARLAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



## Core Beliefs:

We believe that:

- ★ Every child can and will learn with engaging instruction and support.
- ★ School must provide safe, healthy, and pleasant environments.
- ★ All students deserve superior educators.
- ★ Students in all schools must be challenged to reach their highest potential - social, emotional, physical, and intellectual.
- ★ Students need cutting-edge resources, including technology, and must know how to use them.
- ★ Diversity is to be respected and celebrated.
- ★ All stakeholders are accountable in all aspects of the educational experience.
- ★ All students must be prepared to function in a global society.

## Mission:

The mission of the Florence City Schools and Harlan Elementary School is to:

- ★ Set high expectations.
- ★ Provide equal educational access for diverse learners.
- ★ Maintain a safe, orderly environment that is intellectually challenging and physically, emotionally, and socially stimulating.
- ★ Develop healthy, productive citizens adept in academic and life skills who are accepting of themselves and others.
- ★ Ensure that students are environmentally aware, technically competent, and capable of lifelong learning.

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world. Indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

~ Margaret Mead

