

WACCAMAW SCHOOL



Partners in the nest represent our shared core values and beliefs. These core values provide a strong foundation to guide our teachers, students, staff, and families as we learn, grow, and succeed together, ensuring our school community continues to thrive.

A SHARED COMMITMENT TO SUCCESS FOR STAFF, STUDENTS, AND FAMILIES.

PARTNERS IN THE NEST

Mission Statement

The Mission of Waccamaw School is to provide for the total development of each child

School Motto

WACCAMAW School
“Where Everyone Succeeds”

Vision Statement

Waccamaw School provides an environment where all children will succeed through interaction, integration, and differentiation.

Student Motto

Be Safe, Organized,
Attentive, Respectful

Waccamaw Beliefs

- WE believe all children can learn in different ways. By valuing each child, providing meaningful learning experiences, and collaborating with families, we help every student reach their full potential.
- WE believe education is a collaborative effort where staff and families demonstrate respect and strong values, enabling children to appreciate differences, respect themselves and others, and grow through challenges.
- WE believe children thrive when the whole child is supported, expectations are high and individualized, and communication with families is clear and consistent.

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PARTNERS IN THE NEST: STAFF

1. **Soar in Safety and Respect** – Create a positive classroom and school culture where every student feels safe, valued, and respected, just like eagles protecting their nest.
2. **Fly High in Instruction** – Plan and deliver lessons that are engaging, standards-aligned, and data-driven, using differentiated strategies to help every student reach their highest potential
3. **Communicate with Eagle Eyes** – Maintain open, timely, and professional communication with students, families, and colleagues, noticing what matters most.
4. **Model the Eagle's Strength** – Demonstrate professionalism, responsibility, and ethical behavior as a role model for the school community.
5. **Lift Others Through Collaboration** – Work with all stakeholders to support student growth, rising together to S.O.A.R.



PARTNERS IN THE NEST: STUDENTS

1. **Soar in Safety and Respect** – Treat yourself, your classmates, and your school with care and respect, keeping our “eagle nest” safe and welcoming for everyone. Build positive relationships with peers and teachers.
2. **Fly High in Learning** – Come ready to learn, participate in class, complete assignments, and give your best effort in every lesson.
3. **Communicate with Eagle Eyes** – Listen carefully, share your ideas respectfully, and seek help when you need it. Reflect on your learning to keep growing.
4. **Model the Eagle’s Strength** – Make responsible choices, follow rules, and be honest and kind every day. Take responsibility for your actions.
5. **Lift Others Together** – Work with classmates, help friends, and celebrate everyone’s successes, rising together to S.O.A.R.



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PARTNERS IN THE NEST: PARENTS

1. **Soar in Support and Respect** – Help create a safe and welcoming school environment, showing respect for all students, staff, and families.
2. **Fly High in Encouraging Learning** – Support your child in being prepared to learn by attending school regularly, helping with assignments, and encouraging high expectations
3. **Communicate with Eagle Eyes** – Stay informed by monitoring your child's academic progress, attendance, and communication tool (such as Class Dojo) daily. Ask questions, maintain open communication, and share important information with teachers to actively support your child's growth and success.
4. **Model the Eagle's Strength** – Demonstrate honesty, responsibility, and kindness, showing your child how to make positive choices and behaviors.
5. **Lift the Flock Together** – Participate in school activities, celebrate achievements, and collaborate with teachers and staff to support all students, helping every child S.O.A.R. to a brighter future.

