

Jacksonville Commons Elementary School
2012-2013 Results and 2013-2014 Next Actions
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School Vision: Lead. Serve. Achieve.

School Mission: The JCES community will cultivate successful students through service and leadership.

School Purpose: To educate students and develop leaders.

School Executive's Message:

Jacksonville Commons Elementary is committed to building students that lead, serve, and achieve within their communities. We are accomplishing this through Professional Learning Communities across grade levels that focus on student achievement, by using formative assessment that focuses on mastery learning to regroup students for intervention and enrichment on specific skills, by immersing students in a technology rich learning environment, and by building a school culture that celebrates academic success, excellent character, leadership skills, and teamwork.

School's Strengths:

- JCE has achieved high growth status the last two years in mathematics and met the growth standard in all other areas.
- JCE recently created a new vision: Lead, Serve, Achieve.
- JCE is currently implementing a 1 to 1 laptop initiative in 5th grade.
- JCE has begun implementation of a comprehensive PBIS program across our campus.
- JCE has many active community partnerships and volunteers, an active PTO, and is a close knit community school.

School's Challenges:

- Although we met the reading growth standard and have many strategies in place to develop effective readers, our reading data is not what we want it to be. We are developing a stronger framework and structure to support our readers at every level.
- Developing a stronger framework and structure for science instruction.
- Researching and developing student leadership at JCE
- Sustaining up to date technology resources for student use

2013-2014 Focused Next Actions:

- Revisiting the reading framework and processes in the upper grades.
- Building the student leadership processes at JCE
- Continuing to expand integrated learning opportunities to connect learning to the real world

Greatest Accomplishments in 2012-2013:

- A developed math framework to show sustained growth
- Re-development of active PTO and volunteer network resulting in more parent involvement
- A new and improved vision, mission, and purpose statement