



Edwin S. Kemp Primary School

Developing, Equipping, & Empowering our Future Leaders!

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

In December 2015, the *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA), the replacement for the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act* (commonly known as *No Child Left Behind*) was signed into law. In an effort to ensure parents of student who attend Title I schools are notified on how well their school is preparing its students for college and/or a career, our district mandates all schools inform parents of their College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI score). The comprehensive report card for all schools in Georgia, provides a score between 0 - 100 for each school-measuring how well the school is doing in preparing its students to be successful in college and/or a career.

The most recent CCRPI score Kemp Primary School, as reported for the 2015-2016 school year, was 68.4. The score comes from Kemp Elementary third grade students because Kemp Primary is not a testing school. You may find more information and details of our score by visiting the Georgia Department of Education website located at www.gadoe.org and clicking on the link CCRPI school reports. In addition, the Governor's Office of Student Achievement, (www.gosa.georgia.gov) Information from the College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) is cross-sectioned with student demographic data, such as economically disadvantaged, transiency rates, and race/ethnicity to determine this category.


I am very proud to tell you that Kemp Primary School is a Title I school that is continuing to provide a quality education to all of our students. We are pleased to announce that we have a School Climate rating of "4 Stars" and after careful analysis of the Dibels (Reading) and mClass (Math) data, it was determined that our students did well in the area of mathematics. In the beginning of the year, 11% of our students were at benchmark. By the end of the year, that number had increased to 49%, which resulted in a 38% gain in the benchmark area.

At Kemp Primary School, we take pride in the teaching we provide for our children. Our teachers and staff members work very hard to meet the needs of all students to ensure they achieve at their highest potential. Kemp Primary continues to maintain high academic standards for student learning and remains committed to high academic performance.

An important part of Kemp Primary School's success is parent participation and support in developing activities to improve student achievement. We hope that you will become engaged in our school improvement work as we continue to monitor student achievement and set high expectations. If you are interested in participating in the development of our school improvement plans, being a part of our family engagement team or have questions about how you can better help your child in school, please contact Dr. Brenda Cloud, Principal at 678-619-4300 or Brenda.cloud@clayton.k12.ga.us.

Thank you for all that you do to support your child's education.

Sincerely,



Dr. Brenda Cloud
Principal

The vision of Clayton County Public Schools is to be a district of excellence preparing ALL students to live and compete successfully in a global society.

Mission Statement

The mission of Clayton County Public Schools is to be accountable to all stakeholders for providing a globally competitive education that empowers students to achieve academic and personal goals and to become college and career ready, productive, responsible citizens.