

Superintendent's Report for December 2021



FSD3 Reads: 30 for 30 Initiative



Ensuring Our Students Are College or Career Ready and Productive and Responsible Members of Society





Legislative Updates

- 2021 legislative session begins January 12, 2021.
- 47 new bills and resolutions were recently introduced in the Senate.
- Two of the local bills that were quickly acted upon and sent to the House to take up in January when they reconvenes.

Of the new bills introduced, 12 bills are of interest for K12 education.



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	12/1/2021	24	3	1	3	4	3	1	3	6	24
	12/2/2021	36	3	2	3	4	11	1	4	8	36
	12/3/2021	35	1	2	3	3	11	0	4	11	35
	12/6/2021	38	0	2	3	7	10	1	4	11	38
	12/7/2021	41	0	2	3	9	10	1	5	11	41
	12/8/2021	41	0	3	2	8	11	1	5	11	41
	12/9/2021	40	0	3	2	8	11	1	4	11	40
	12/10/2021	44	0	4	2	8	11	0	5	14	44
	12/13/2021	35	0	3	12	11	3	0	4	15	48
	12/14/2021	35	0	3	12	11	3	0	4	15	48
	12/15/2021	34	0	2	12	11	3	0	4	15	47
	12/16/2021	34	0	2	12	11	3	0	4	15	47
	12/17/2021	31	0	1	12	9	3	0	4	15	44
1	DEC Total	299	7	19	21	51	78	6	34	83	299

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2022 Annual School Board Convention

The Annual School Board's Convention is scheduled for **February 17-20, 2022** at Hilton Head.



FSD3 Receives Cognia's 2021 District of Distinction Award

Dear Dr. Hickson,

Congratulations! I'm pleased to tell you that you are being recognized with a 2021 Cognia™ System of Distinction Award! You're receiving this new award as a result of your 2020–21 Accreditation Engagement Review with Cognia.

Across the world, educators dedicate themselves to maximizing opportunities for learners. The Schools of Distinction program recognizes schools and systems that exemplify excellence in education, as demonstrated in meeting the Cognia Performance Standards.

Thank you for your commitments to high-quality learning, organizational effectiveness, and continuous improvement. Congratulations!

Regards,

Annette Melton





Florence School District #3

Has Achieved

Accreditation with Distinction

Recognizing Excellence in Education





January is School Board Appreciation Month

Each one of you have been assigned a school for FCSD3's observance of School Board Appreciation Month. :

- Lake City Early Childhood Center: Dr. Julia Mims
- Main Street Elementary: Barbara Bryant
- J. C. Lynch Elementary: Almeta Fleming
- Olanta Elementary: Paula Morris
- Scranton Elementary: Gloria Robinson
- Ronald E. McNair Junior High: Jason Kirby
- J. Paul Truluck Intermediate: Rutha Frieson
- Lake City High: Mattie Thomas
- ACE/Adult Ed: Jac'Kel Brown



"Remember to practice safety as this pandemic continues to rage!" Nurse Darlene Graham