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## HILL CITY ELEMENTARY NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED FOR SUCCESS IN 2021

October 15, 2021 --

Pickens County School District is pleased to announce that the National Association of ESEA State Program Administrators (NAESPA) has named Hill City Elementary School as a National ESEA Distinguished School by the state education agency in Georgia. Hill City Elementary School is one of up to 100 schools throughout the country that is being nationally recognized for exceptional student achievement in 2021. Only two schools in the state are nominated for this recognition.

A project of NAESPA, the National ESEA Distinguished Schools Program publicly recognizes qualifying federally funded schools for the outstanding academic achievements of their students. It highlights the efforts of schools across the country making significant improvements for their students.

NAESPA implements the National ESEA Distinguished Schools Program to highlight selected schools that have successfully used their ESEA federal funds to improve the education for all students—including economically disadvantaged students. More information about all National ESEA Distinguished Schools is available on the ESEA Network website: [www.ESEAnetwork.org](http://www.ESEAnetwork.org).

Congratulations to the Hill City staff and students for this outstanding achievement! They will be recognized at the national ESEA conference later in the school year.



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