

Vision

Elkin City Schools, in partnership with students, families, and the community, will provide excellent educational opportunities that encourage lifelong learning and responsible citizenship.

ECS realizes that technology is changing rapidly. It enhances our lives and provides resources that were unknown previously. In today's rapid paced world, technology allows us to perform our jobs more effectively and efficiently. It allows us greater choices for entertainment and recreation. Technology provides information and capabilities right as we need them. Today, with an Internet connected computer, the world is at our doorsteps. Just a few clicks and one can find information on just about any subject.

There is such a wealth of information that no one can remember all the required, neat and fun facts that we encounter daily. To be effective in this environment, we must enable students to quickly find, organize, and utilize information resources to accomplish daily functions. We must also urge students to hone their technical skills to succeed in a global economy where they will compete with individuals worldwide.

North Carolina has adopted the National Education Standards (NETS) and Elkin City Schools shares these goals. We hope to utilize technology to enable students to become:

- Capable information technology users
- Information seeker, analyzers, and evaluators
- Problem solvers and decision makers
- Creative and effective users of productivity tools
- Communicators, collaborators, publishers, and producers
- Informed responsible and contributing citizens

Elkin City Schools wishes to equip our staff and facilities with the resources needed to ensure the success of our students. ECS staff, students, parents, and community, working as a team, can accomplish this objective.