Annual Report to the People

Mount Lebanon Elementary School

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STEM Transition

Mount Lebanon is in the process of transitioning to a school of Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM). This year has been one of intensive research and development. Site visits to STEM academies and schools were conducted, and research committees continue to meet regularly to analyze research and make school decisions for teaching and learning to carry us into year one implementation. Research and development committees included:

Engineering – Melida Reeves, Chairperson
Math – Ellie Powell, Chairperson
Project-Based Learning (PBL) – Kalah Julian, Chair
Science – Beth Harrison, Chairperson
Grading & Assessment – Misty McAdams, Chair

Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS) Testing Results Percent Meeting Standard

Grade	Subject Area Tested	2010	2011
3rd	ELA	98.0	98.2
	Math	88.0	94.4
	Science	88.0	92.3
	Social Studies	100	96.3
4th	ELA	83.7	90.9
	Math	82.1	87.3
	Science	76.8	83.6
	Social Studies	91.0	87.3
5th	Writing	84.9	90.6
	ELA	89.4	83.0
	Math	76.5	84.9
	Science	72.1	81.5
	Social Studies	73.8	92.3
6th	ELA	86.2	88.7
	Math	86.2	88.6
	Science	66.7	82.9
	Social Studies	89.2	86.8

Engineering Our Students Future through Science, Technology & Math

Palmetto Gold Award for Academic Achievement
2008-09, 2009-10, & 2010-11

Adequate Yearly Progress
2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, & 2010-11

Closing the Achievement Gap
Gold Award 2008-09
Silver Award 2009-2010

USDA Recipes for Healthy Kids
3rd Place Award 2011

Accomplishments

Olweus Bullying Prevention Program – Pilot School

Mount Lebanon Elementary School remains committed to providing a solid STEM education with reading and writing at its core!
STEM instruction falls under the umbrella of excellent reading and writing instruction with technology holding STEM together.