

ILES Programs and Activities

Safety Patrol
Honor Choir
Homework Centers
Eco-Warriors (Recycling Program)
Art Club
4 Computer Labs, including 2 for Classworks
Boys & Girls Clubs
Swimming & Water Safety for 4th Grade
Warrior Pride Nights for Families
Kids on the Ball Program
ILES Spirit Days & Charity Fundraising
PTA Sponsored Annual Spring Festival
Honor Roll Awards Assemblies
Drama Club
Grade Level Awards Day Recognition
Pennies for Patients
5th Grade Washington, DC Field Trip
Shamrock Sale for Muscular Dystrophy
Spelling Bee
Yearbook
Junior Achievement
Canned Food Drive for Hope Food Pantry
Talent Show
Student Dress Code
4th Grade Earthshine Field Trip
Early Childhood Special Needs Program
School and District Science Fair Competition
Reading Counts
Science Enrichment Course (K-5)
Spanish Classes (K-5)
Student Council
Reading Recovery
Biweekly Parent Newsletter
Arbor Day Celebration
Earth Day Celebration
Girls on the Run Program
Warrior Way Fun Run
F.I.T. Kids Program
Boys and Girls Flag Football
Boys Basketball Camp

NEW PROGRAMS ADDED EACH YEAR

Overview of ILES

Student Enrollment: 1,231
(Largest Elementary & 2nd Largest School in LCSD)

Number of Teachers: 68

Classified: 31

Administrators: 3

Counselors: 2

**Media Specialist, Elementary Science
Specialist, Nurse, Reading Recovery**

Percent of Free/Reduced Lunch: 30%

**75 Classrooms, 1 Science Lab, 4 Computer
Labs, Gym, and 6 Portable Classrooms**

Student Average Daily Attendance: 95.5%

Teacher Average Daily Attendance: 94.3%

National Board Certification

Hilda Chasnoff, Leigh Hardin, Lori Griffin,
Gwen Hendry, Cathy Lansburg, Dr. Gayle Lee
Amy Sizemore, Carrie Smith, Pam Waldenmayer

A Note from the SIC Chairperson:

As the school year draws to a close, please help me thank Mrs. Blum and the ILES Staff for their achievements this past year, including:

1. Both PASS Absolute and Growth ratings improved by one category for the school year.
2. Received Silver Award from the S.C. Department of Education for PASS improvement.
3. ILES students won seven of the nine place awards at the LCSD Science Fair.
4. Twenty-one fifth graders honored at the Celebration of Excellence for academics.
5. Achievement of an Excellent rating by the Honor Choir at the Carowinds Music Festival.

Thank you for your support and your ideas as we continue efforts to ensure ILES is the school of choice in the surrounding area.

Bryan Johnson, SIC Chairperson,



*Spearheading Success
Every Day!*

SIC Annual Report 2010-2011

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Our Mission:

The mission of Indian Land Elementary School, in partnership with the students, parents, and community, is to develop responsible and productive lifelong learners by providing a challenging curriculum in a safe and supportive environment.



Our Beliefs:

We believe learning is the priority for our school.

We believe a variety of instructional strategies should be used to encourage students to reach their potential.

We believe learning is a lifelong process that enables students to become contributing members of society.

We believe in a partnership between the home, school, and community.

We believe all children have the right to a safe and nurturing environment.



Indian Land Elementary SIC

We would like to recognize the 2010-2011 members of the School Improvement Council: Beth Blum, Bryan Johnson, Kevin Sexton, Trish Douglas, Leslie Jacobs, Mat Mayhew, Joy Duncan, Stan Rhodes, and Satish Shetty.

Our goals that were set 5 years ago are coming to an end, and the SIC is hard at work building a 5 year strategic plan to be delivered early next fall. The focus of the plan will be on best practices in the following areas:

1. Child Development
 - a) Academic
 - b) Health
 - c) Character
2. Environment
 - a) School
 - b) Home
 - c) Political
3. Involvement
 - a) Parents
 - b) Teachers and Staff
 - c) Community Members

In October 2011 LCSD and ILES will have accreditation visits by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).



Indian Land Elementary PTA

We have a very active PTA Board here at Indian Land Elementary School that works hard each year to raise money for various areas.

The PTA achieved a major goal this year by placing an Interactive Smart Board in every ILES classroom.

The PTA has also added equipment for the school's playgrounds and provided our staff and students with many needed items. The PTA publishes a biweekly newsletter to keep parents and students aware of upcoming events.



Our focus for Indian Land Elementary School is to be a start to each child's future — to guide each to become a strong, caring, well-educated, motivated individual.

Here at ILES, we are ...

SPEARHEADING SUCCESS

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