

Administration

Cheryl Fralick, Principal
Todd Wade, Assistant Principal
Nancy Lind, Assistant Principal

PTO in Action at MGES

Programs Supported: Box Tops for Education, EL Education Conferences, Teacher Professional Development, Mandarin Immersion, 2nd Grade Writer Program, Mentoring Program, Playground Improvements

Events Sponsored: Hoot n' Holler Spring Festival, Grade Level Field Studies, Family Nights, Parent Academic Nights, Field Day, 5th Grade Graduation

Services & Supplies: School Spirit Merchandise, Fundraisers (Boosterthon & Innisbrook), Monthly Staff Appreciation Luncheons, Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast

PTO Executive Board

Melissa Brannen (President)
Melanie Valdez (President Elect)
Yvette Smoak (Vice President I)
Carey Perdicho (Vice President II)
Angie Doua (Secretary)
Colleen Rooney, Michelle Black (Treasurers)

MGES Teacher of the Year

Bert Williams, PE Teacher

MGES Support Staff of the Year

Cindy Cavalear, Kindergarten Assistant

AWARDS

2015 Palmetto Gold Award Winner
(General Achievement)
2015 Silver Award Winner
(Closing Achievement Gaps)
Five Grant Awards

MGES STEM team won 1st place in the 2016 SC 4-H Engineering Challenge for their display of an energy efficient home
LEED Silver Certification

School Improvement Council Topics

Playground Updates & Improvements
Grounds Beautification
New State Testing: SC Ready
School Nutrition & Healthy Snacks
School Safety
Parent Academic Nights (Growth Mindsets, Strategies for Success, EL Education)
Lexington One Parent Ambassador Updates
School Test Data
Growth in the Lexington Area
Current Legislative Information
EL Education (Expeditionary Learning Model)

Ongoing SIC & PTO Goals

School Ground Beautification
Playground Improvements (Based on student survey results)
Outside Art Tables for Art Patio
Implementation of Expeditionary Learning through EL Education
Support of Artists in Residency Programs
Create a Parent Resource Library

School Improvement Council Members

PARENT REPRESENTATIVES

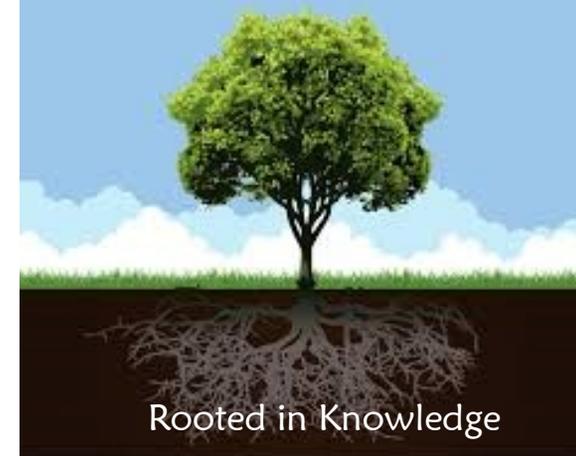
Michael Boone (SIC Chair), Tasha Boone, Jacinta Clark, Joshua Cruca, Rick Green, Kathy Hutto, Shinika Lambert, Lee Long, Amy McWatty, Lauren Morris, Brent Petersen, Paul Street, Robert Zeigler

TEACHER REPRESENTATIVES

Emily Addison, Savanna Blackwell, Rongzhi Li, Lori Russell, Amanda Storch, Deni Titcomb, Perry Troutman, Jeremy Woods

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Growing in Wisdom



Rooted in Knowledge



**MEADOW GLEN
ELEMENTARY**

**School Improvement Council
Annual Report to Parents
2015-2016**

**510 Ginny Lane
Lexington, SC 29072**

mges.lexington1.net:8042/

**803-821-0400
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Former MGES Parent

Mission Statement

The mission of Meadow Glen Elementary is to create a high performing school which effectively motivates everyone to be self-directed learners, to serve others, and to become leaders in a global society.

Vision

As Meadow Glen Explorers, our vision is to see, hear, and experience life from various angles allowing us a limitless future as we explore the world.

Motto

*Growing What We Know by
Motivating minds
Growing leaders
Exploring as thinkers
Serving others*

School Facts

Current Student Enrollment: 985
2016-2017 Projected Enrollment: 1026
Current Staff: 113
School Colors: Earth Tones
School Mascot: Glen the Explorer



Faculty Book Study:

Leaders of Their Own Learning

By: Ron Berger

Teacher Professional Development:

This was our pilot year for EL Education. Our learning focused on Crew, Learning Targets, Checking for Understanding, and Leadership. We will continue to partner with EL Education to work towards becoming a credentialed EL School.

www.elschools.org

State Ratings History of School

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating	AYP
2014	Excellent	Good	Met
2013	Excellent	Good	Met
2012	Excellent	Average	Met
2011	N/A	N/A	N/A

Based on state law, schools will not be rated for state accountability purposes until Fall 2017.

For more information, you may view the entire Meadow Glen Elementary Report Card online at www.ed.sc.gov

New State Assessment:

SC READY

SC READY Assessment items measure student performance on the South Carolina College-and Career-Ready Standards. ELA and mathematics standards and supporting documents are available on the SC Website.

<http://ed.sc.gov/instruction/standards-learning/>

The SC READY test items are aligned to the standards for each subject and grade level. Standards outline what schools are expected to teach and what students are expected to learn. Academic standards also include indicators that are statements of the specific cognitive processes and the content knowledge and skills that students must demonstrate to meet the grade-level standards. SC READY test items are written to assess the content knowledge and skills described in the academic standards and indicators.

Challenges for MGES

Continued Growth in Enrollment
Space for Additional Classrooms
Need for more Electronic Devices

New District Superintendent Named

Lexington County School District One's Board of Trustees selected Gregory D. Little, Ed.D as the district's new superintendent. Dr. Greg Little replaces Dr. Karen Woodward. More information about Dr. Little can be found on the Lexington School District One website.

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