Faculty and Staff Members

Famon V. Whitfield, III, Principal Alford, Lenette-Office Assistant Baker, Rebekah-School Counselor Benjamin, Tim-Teacher Assistant Berry, Shannon-Assistant Principal Bethea, Mary-PEC Assistant Blackmon, Amber - Fifth Grade Teach Braswell, Pam - Fifth Grade Teacher Burgess, Kirsten -Fifth Grade Teacher Campbell, Jamilah - Fourth Grade Teacher Carter, Gail-Media Specialist Dargan, Janice-Fifth Grade Teacher Davis, Paris-Bookkepper Dean, Linda - Teacher Assistant Fox, Brian -Fifth Grade Teacher Foxworth. William-Fourth Grade Teacher Gerald, Ellen-Fourth Grade Teacher Graham, Gave-Resource Teacher Hamer, Terrie-Nurse Hayes, Sherry - ESOL Jackson, Brenda - Cafeteria Manager Lee, Deborah-Fifth Grade Teacher Legette, Patrick - Resource Teacher Lynch, Sarah-Fourth Grade Teacher McCallum, Kathy-Music Teacher McLellan, Geneve-PEC Assistant McRae, Patricia - Fourth Grade Teacher McRae, Wayne-Teacher Assistant Meekins, Brittney- Speech Pathologist Norton, Toni-Fourth Grade Teacher Owens, Terry-Special Area Assistant Padgett, Cristy-Fourth Grade Teacher Page, Lillie-Resource Teacher Page, Patricia-Title 1 Coordinator Platt. Shamada-Fifth Grade Teacher Price, Linda-Fifth Grade Teacher Ray, Tiffany-PowerSchool Secretary Reaves, Steven-P.E. Teacher Rogers, Marsha-P.E. Teacher Smith, Amanda-Fourth Grade Teacher Smith, Michele-PMH Teacher Sowells, Felicia-Teacher Assistant Torres. Sara-Fifth Grade Teacher Townsend, Cora-Resource Room Assistant Wallace. Shea-Fifth Grade Teacher Webster, Sandy-Gifted and Talented Teacher Whitfield III, Famon V. - Principal Williams, Adam-Fifth Grade Teacher Williams, Larry-Fourth Grade Teacher Wright, Brooke - Fourth Grade Teacher



ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System For the 2012-13 School Year Based on Spring 2013 Test Scores

Absolute Rating: Average Growth Rating: Below Average

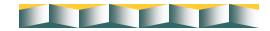
Overall Weighted Point Total — 92.3 ESEA Grade — A

Gordon Elementary School has been designated as a Title 1 Reward School for Progress.



School Improvement Council Members

Felecia Commendo - Chairperson Valerie Graves -Vice Chair Alicia Davis - Secretary Lillie Page - Staff Representative Tommy Hulon - Parent Rebecca Turner - Parent Marsha Rogers - Teacher Janice Dargan - Teacher Tim Faulk - Community Member Jackie Hayes - Community Member Major Hulon - Community Member Frankie Thomas - Community Member Shannon Berry -Assistant Principal Famon V. Whitfield, III - Principal





Gordon Elementary School 2013-2014

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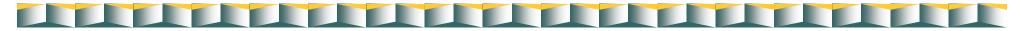


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School Summary Report February 12, 2014





School Mission

The mission of Gordon Elementary School is to develop students who will be responsible citizens by providing a safe and secure environment where the students, staff, family and community work together.

School Goals

- Increase test results in the met and exemplary academic categories.
- Increase community and parental involvement.
- Improve student behavior on school campus and buses.
- Continue to improve test score results in all areas.
- Place greater emphasis on critical thinking skills and higher student expectations.

Beliefs and Values

We believe:

- Achievement comes from effort
- Respect fosters respect
- Family is the foundation of society
- Learning is a life-long process
- People are accountable for the choices they make
- Human beings can achieve excellence
- We are responsible for each other
- Every human has potential
- There is a Supreme Being

All instruction will be on grade level according to South Carolina State Standards and the Common Core State Standards.

Accomplishments

Title 1 Reward School of Progress 2012-2013 Palmetto Silver Award 2012-2013 March of Dimes-1st Place Challenge Award 2013 March of Dimes Top New Team Award 2013 Junior Beta Club Spelling Bee-5th Place 2013 Junior Beta Club Tower of Power-5th Place 2013

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2012-2013 Demographics/ Enrollment Total-515 Asian-1

African American-338

Hispanic-23

American Indian-18 Two or more races-13

White-112

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SCPASS Results 2013 Percent of Students Scoring Met/Exemplary

SCPASS Grade 4

Writing-57.7% ELA-65.1% Math-67.1% Science-42.6% Social Studies-39.9%

SCPASS Grade 5

Writing-39.9% ELA-52.1% Math-46.2% Science-37.2% Social Studies-47.6%



Programs and Activities

- Family Night S.L.A.M.
- Guided Reading
- Shared Reading
- Daily Read Alouds
- Accelerated Reader
- Accelerated Math
- Everyday Math
- MAP-Measures of Academic Progress
- Career Awareness
- Red Ribbon Week
- After School Clubs
- Honor Roll
- Author Visits
- Spirit Days
- Field Day
- School Improvement Council
- Lunch Buddy
- Gifted and Talented
- Grade Level Meetings
- Common Assessments
- Real Men, Real Women Read Week
- Balanced Literacy
- Power School for Parents
- Curricuplan
- Benchmark Tests
- Skills Tutor
- B.E.T.A. Club
- Awareness-The Key to Friendships
- Career Fair
- Bully Prevention Program
- Focus Groups
- Math Standards Training
- Book Study
- Promethean Classroom
- Leadership Day
- Guest Career Speakers
- Rosetta Stone
- Subway Fit Challenge
- Terrific Trojan
- Good News Cards