



MEADOW GLEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Report to the Parents

Mission: Learn by Doing, Lead and be the Example

Motto: Bring Your Best Self, Find the Best in Others



25-26 SIC MEMBERS

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The Purpose of this report: This report is issued by the Meadow Glen's School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information with parents and constituents; and will provide information on the school's progress on meeting school and district objectives.



MGMS BY THE NUMBERS

We currently have ~790 students in Grades 6-8. Our students speak 25 different languages.

Our School Demographics:

10.5 % Asian
11.9% African American
64.7% Caucasian
8.7% Hispanic
4.5% Other (2 or more Races)

WORK PLAN GOALS

ELA K-8: The percentage of students improving placement in reading will increase. **46% → 48% - Met**

ELA K-8: For students identified in iReady as striving for typical growth in reading, the median progress toward typical growth will be greater than 100%. **EOY 24-25: 115% → EOY 25-26: 175% - Met**

Math K-8: The percentage of students improving placement in math will increase. **54% → 46% - Not Met**

Math K-8: For students identified in iReady as striving for typical growth in reading, the median progress toward typical growth will be greater than 100%. **EOY 24-25: 75% → EOY 25-26: 77% - Increased, Not Met**

Below are Links to District and School Report Cards

[Lexington One School Report Card](#)

[Meadow Glen Middle School Report Card](#)

6th, 7th, 8th GRADE EXPEDITIONS

8th *The Stories*
Grade *of Us*

7th *The Ripple*
Grade *Effect*

6th *Empathy*
Grade *Emporium*

ACHIEVEMENTS & SERVICE

- Art –
 - Over 40 student artworks were accepted for display into the SC State Fair
- Band: 14 students made Lexington One District Honor Band, 6 students made the South Carolina Band Director's Association Region Two Band, 1 student made All State Band, 7 students received a superior rating at Solo and Ensemble Festival and 2 students received an excellent rating at Solo and Ensemble Festival, the 8th grade band received an Excellent rating at the South Carolina Band Director's Association Concert Performance Assessment
- Partner with Mission Lexington
- iCivics Chick-fil-A Gator Apprentice, Partnership w/MGES to place 8th grade mentors with elementary students (Gator Aides), Students helping teachers (Gator Service)
- 100% of 8th Graders completed Individual Graduation Plans
- Orchestra:
 - Combined 7th and 8th Grade Orchestra earned a Superior Rating at the SCMEA Region 3 Concert Performance Assessment
 - 16 out of 21 MGMS events at the SCMEA Region 3 Orchestra Solo and Ensemble Festival earned superior ratings with two getting perfect scores (Superior with Distinction). The remaining 5 events earned Excellent Ratings.
- 100% 8th Grade Students completed Passages
- Relay for Life
- Science: 6th grade class participated in SCDNR's Trout in the Classroom program. They raised 68 baby trout and released them into the Saluda River.
- Special Olympics Sponsor
- Theater: Participation and success at the South Carolina Speech and Theatre Association's Middle School Theatre Festival
- 6th grade partnership with Special Education Department at MGMS and Oak Grove and Midway Elementary
- Unified PE – 2 time Special Olympics National Banner School
- 8th grade Social Studies: Debates used cross-curricular studies to build communication skills and mastery of content, Revolution Runway American Revolution project, My Origin Story Family History assignment
- Zen at the Glen – Mental Health Awareness Week (Fall & Spring)
- 25–26 Teacher of the Year – Susan Myrick
- 25–26 Support Staff of the Year – Hirma Torres de Rodriguez

HOME OF THE GATORS

Athletics

- Football
- Basketball (boys and girls)
- Track
- Volleyball – Lex 10 Championship Winners
- Archery
- Cheer – Undefeated Cheer Season, Debbie Rogers Co-Ed Champions
- Dance – Undefeated this season, won 1st in their jazz routine, 1st in their lyrical routine all season at regional competitions as well as the State Dance Team Championship.

Clubs

- Competitive Robotics
 - All four MGM teams made it to the State Championships in robotics. The Gator Gears qualified for an international tournament at WPI University in Worcester, MA to represent South Carolina. The Swamp Bots qualified for an international tournament in Niagara, Canada to represent South Carolina.
- Chess Club
- Chinese Club
 - 20 Years of Excellence: Represented MGMS at the Lexington One district-wide 20th-anniversary celebration of the Language Immersion Program.
 - Cultural Leadership: Successfully directed the Chinese New Year Showcase, highlighting student language proficiency and artistic talents.
 - Collaborated with MGES for a joint Lunar New Year celebration, strengthening the K-8 immersion community.
- Reading Club
- Writing Club: started the MGM Quarterly Newsletter this year
- Anime Club
- MathCounts Club
 - 3rd at the Chapter Competition
- LOCC Club
 - Created a puzzle wall with the Red Ribbon Week Theme: Life is a Puzzle, Solve it Drug Free!
 - Participated in the Youth Leadership Summit
- Jr. Beta Club Service Projects
- RunHard: Students placed in different categories based on their age group