

# Goose Creek Primary School

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## Vision

To challenge and empower our students to be  
successful in a highly competitive world.



**Kathy Sullivan, Principal**

**Theodore Prioleau, Assistant Principal**

**Christi Furrow, Assistant Principal**

**Marcus McLean, Administrative Assistant**

**Lori Ann Griffin, Title I Facilitator**

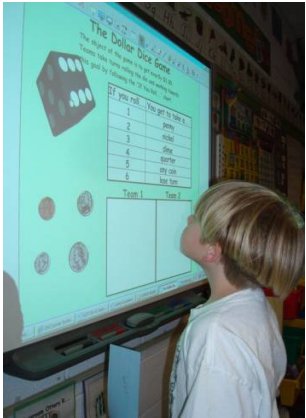
## MISSION STATEMENT

Building upon our rich *Lowcountry traditions*, we will  
ignite, in every student, a passion for life-long  
learning. Through dynamic instruction, creative  
partnerships an exceptional support, we will  
foster opportunities for each student  
to build a *legacy of success*.



## GCP Highlights

- ✓ Four Full Day Child Development (CD-4) Classes
- ✓ Literacy and Math Family events
- ✓ Character Education Program
- ✓ SMART Board Technology in All Classes
- ✓ 13 1:1 IPAD classrooms
- ✓ Girls STEM club – Google grant funded
- ✓ Otter Landing Book Store for Student Incentives
- ✓ Semester Awards Day Ceremonies
- ✓ All County Chorus Participant
- ✓ Annual Principal's Pajama Party
- ✓ Comprehensive School Safety Program
- ✓ Red Ribbon Week
- ✓ Career Day
- ✓ Grandparent's Day Breakfast
- ✓ Twenty-Two Reading Incentive Program
- ✓ Northwoods Mall Art Exhibitors
- ✓ Otters Den After School Care & Summer Camp
- ✓ School Wide Positive Behavior Intervention (PBIS)
- ✓ 3 Full time Reading Interventionists
- ✓ 2 Full time Math interventionists
- ✓ Second grade Math Intervention
- ✓ Instructional Coaches to provide support for teachers



Goose Creek Primary  
*A Great Place for Learning*  
Students enjoy hands-on learning  
using Smartboards, computer assisted  
instruction, and many arts-infused  
lessons supported through our  
Distinguished Arts Program Grant.  
We have been awarded the DAP  
Grant for the past three years!



## Honors and Awards

### 2014-2015 Teacher of the Year

Sally Allard , First Grade

### 2014-2015 Rookie Teacher of the Year

Lacy Hoffman, Guidance Counselor

### National Board Certified Teachers:

Debbie Mills, Second Grade

Terry Roberts, Reading Interventionist

Brooke McCants, Reading Interventionist

Iris Lewis, Kindergarten

Sara Peterson, Kindergarten

Jane Schuler, Kindergarten

Brenda Stedman, CDEP

Terri Lawler, Speech

Amy Sklar, Guidance Counselor

## School Awards

Red Carpet Award 2010-2013

RAMP Award 2011-2012

Lowe's Toolbox for Education Grant  
2011-2012

PBIS Ribbon School 2010

Google Grant 10,000 for Girls' STEM CLUB

## Accreditation

Goose Creek Primary is accredited by the  
AdvancEd accreditation commission.



## GOALS

1. Our school will provide a safe, orderly, and healthy environment in 100% of classrooms.
2. We will implement the South Carolina State Standards with fidelity.
3. Our school will increase the percentage of parent partnerships that are satisfied with our school's efforts and partnerships.
4. Our school will recruit, retain, and develop quality teachers and staff members.
5. Our school will be responsible stewards of our resources and insure that we provide quality education for 100% of our students.

### School Improvement Council

Chairperson and PTO Presidents: Aileen Towry , Kathy Sullivan- Principal, Assistant Principal -Christi Furrow- Assistant Principal- Theodore Prioleau, Marcus McLean – Assistant Administrator, Lori Ann Griffin - Title I Facilitator, Dayna Berenyi -Curriculum Coach, Deanne Martin – Curriculum Coach, Susan Hill - Special Area Chair, Bethany Stevens - Special Education Chair, Sarah Peterson - Kindergarten Chair, Ali Little- 1st Grade Chair, Christine Schoem- 2nd Grade Chair, Jane Harrelson - Title I Parent Advisory Council Rep., Priscilla Calcutt - District Programs Evaluation Coordinator, Amy Smith Sklar - Guidance Counselor.

SIC members can be contacted by mail at:

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## Goose Creek Primary Report Card Summary

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2014	Good	At Risk
2013	Excellent	Good
2012	Excellent	Good

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### AYP – Adequate Yearly Progress

\*Based on 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade ASPIRE Results at  
Sedgefield Intermediate  
2014-2015 – *Not Met*

## Measuring Growth and Learning



To monitor each student's academic growth we utilize comprehensive data gathered from a variety of sources that will help us make informed decisions that will lead to increased results for every student. Multiple pieces of data give us a picture of the whole child to prepare for college and career readiness. Berkeley County utilizes universal screeners such as Pathdriver, DRA II and PALS. Goose Creek Primary will progress monitor our students utilizing Pathdriver and Benchmark Assessments from Fountas and Pinnell in order to make informed decisions for our students. We also utilize quick cycle assessments and manage data through an online management data base called Mastery Connect. Our teachers are knowledgeable with administering these tests and how to analyze the results to make informed decisions. Goose Creek Primary teachers participate in Professional Learning Communities weekly during which they collaborate on data analysis.



Our Mascot – BOB the Otter

