

## School Renewal Goals

1. Faculty, parent, and student satisfaction on the social, physical and learning environments will improve to 96.9% on the School Climate Survey.
2. MFE will improve home/school relations satisfaction to 75.4% for faculty, 92.4% for students and 85.1% for parents as measured by the School Climate Survey.
3. The school will increase the student attendance rate to 97%.
4. 97% of all third grade, 91 % of all fourth grade and 84% of all fifth grade students will achieve Ready or above on the SC Ready tests in Reading.
5. 77 % of third grade 87% of fourth grade and 89% of fifth grade students will meet state standards in writing.
6. 86% of third grade, 89% of fourth grade and 77% of fifth grade students will score Ready or above on the SC Ready test in Mathematics.

## Mission

Working in partnership with students' families and the community to ensure that all students receive a high quality education , which prepares them to succeed in a complex and competitive world.

## Student Belief Statement

We, the students of Mary Ford Elementary, believe we should always be responsible for our own actions, treat others with respect and dignity, and strive daily to be the best we can be.

## College-Bound Creed

Our futures are bright, we keep our goals in sight, Mary Ford helps us to see all that we can be! We will go to college, we will succeed, this is our promise, and this is our creed!



Mary Ford Elementary School

Title I School

2015-16

School Improvement Council

Report to Parents

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## Current Fourth/Fifth Grade Scores

### School Information

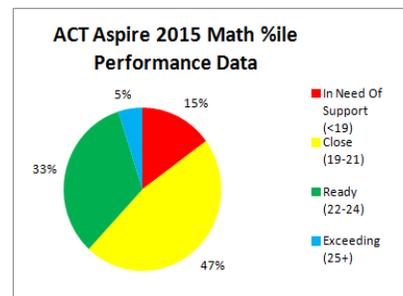
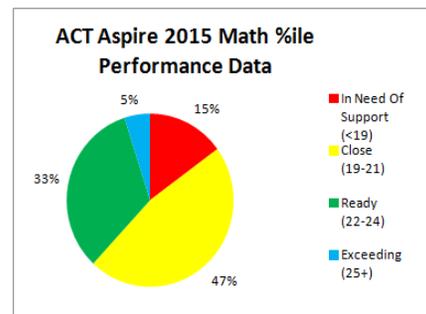
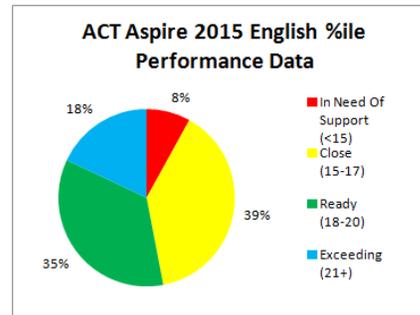
- Number of Classroom Teachers: 30
- Pupil—teacher ratio: 17.6 to 1
- All teachers highly qualified
- Students receiving mental health services 7%
- African-American students 98.8%
- White students 0.6%
- Other students 0.6%
- Gifted Academic 1.1%
- Gifted Artistic 0.0%
- 100% receive free/reduced lunch
- Homeless 0.4%

### Mary Ford's Teacher of the Year

Willette Ash

### Mary Ford's Rookie Teacher of the Year

Jennifer Tuten



### Mary Ford's

### Rewards & Initiatives

- PBIS School-wide Behavior System
- Proud Panther Awards
- Received Fruit & Vegetable Grant
- Received Wellness Grant
- Winner of CPN's Social Studies Bowl
- Selected students attended Camp Blackbaud
- Several classrooms received Donors Choose Grants
- Student Council
- Intervention in Reading & Math
- Communities in Schools
- Backpack Buddies
- Full-time Parent Advocate
- Gardening Programs
- Foster Grandparent Program
- Healthy Kids Medical & Dental