



Opportunities for Students

- Chorus for 4th and 5th grade students
- Community Musical Performances
- Safety Patrol Team
- Morning Show News Crew
- Super Reader Awards
- Kaleidoscope After-School Program
- Math Bee Competitions
- Spelling Bee
- Terrific Kids
- PBIS Incentive Club
- High Five Store for Incentives
- Dress Pass Mondays
- Family Curriculum Nights
- Red Ribbon Week
- Reading Buddies/Mentor Program
- Library Helpers
- Reading interventions
- Mentors with Check-in Check-out
- Positive Referrals

PEPPERHILL POINTS OF PRIDE

Met 100% of AYP Goals

2009
2008
2007
2006
2005
2004

Palmetto Silver Award Recipient

2009
2008
2007

PBIS Exemplar School

2010
2009
2008
2007
2006

100 % Highly Qualified Teachers

4 National Board Certified Teachers

All teachers trained in Darkness to Light

All teachers trained in guided reading

All classrooms have Smartboard technology

Chorus has been selected to perform at the Charleston Marathon, College graduations, and at the Charleston County Teacher Symposium

Pepperhill Elementary School *A Title I School*

Annual Report to the Parents **2011-2012**



Where the Panthers show their A+ High Fives

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Our Vision

Given the appropriate supports, ALL children can reach high levels of achievement.

Our Mission

We will locate, design and provide appropriate supports to cultivate the growth of ALL students

CCSD "TOP" Teacher Recognition

Pat D'Alessandro
Lindsey Cummings

Pepperhill Teacher of the Year 12-13

Lydia Richey

Pepperhill Reading Teacher of the Year 09-10

Lisa McCloud

Pepperhill Rookie Teacher of the Year 12-13

Kaelley Childs

Letter from your School Administration and SIC

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to present to you our Annual School Summary Report. Along with our SIC we would like to formally share with you the progress being made at Pepperhill Elementary School. Our success is the result of our dedication, hard work and partnerships with home, school and community. We especially would like to thank the parents that volunteer at our school on a daily/weekly basis for their continued support.

Sincerely,

Tanya Underwood,
Principal

Eric Hansen
Assistant Principal

Heidi Jackson
SIC Chairperson

Opportunities for Families and Communities

- PBIS Family Night
- Literacy Family Night
- Numeracy Family Night
- PTA Volunteer Opportunities
- School Improvement Council
- Book Fairs
- Day of Caring
- Terrific Kids
- Annual School Carnival
- Tree planting project
- Yearbook
- School based Mental Health Counselor

Plans for 2013-2014

- Engaging Creative Minds (ECM)
- Staff professional development in Creative Literacy
- First Grade Academy Class
- Reduction in class size
- Continued Smartboard training for staff
- SSIS-Social Skills Improvement System
- Wilson Foundations in Reading program for grades K-3

Pepperhill Statistics

Absolute Rating	Average
Improvement Rating	Average
Student enrollment CD-5	600
Child Development	3 classes
Percent of Free/Reduced Lunch	94.43

State School Survey Results

% Satisfied w/ learning environment

Teachers	96.3%
Parents	90.5%
Students	81.1%

% Satisfied with physical environment

Teachers	92.9%
Parents	78.7%
Students	78.3%

% Satisfied w/ home-school relations

Teachers	60.7%
Parents	88.5%
Students	87.0%

PASS Performance 2012

% of students Met or Exemplary

English/Language Arts

Pepperhill	65.6
Schools like ours in SC	65.2

Math

Pepperhill	53.3
Schools like ours in SC	58.0

Science

Pepperhill	53.2
Schools like ours in SC	49.4

Social Studies

Pepperhill	71.5
Schools like ours in SC	62.9

Writing

Pepperhill	55.1
Schools like ours in SC	58.7