## Lewisville Elementary School 2012-2013 School Term

## School Improvement Council (SIC) Melissa Westbrook (Parent), Chairperson

David Loftin (Parent), Co-Chair
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Joanne Clark (Parent)
Angel Waits (Parent)
Felicia McGowan(Teacher)
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Ann Hicklin (Community Member)
Lesley Stewart (Curriculum), Ex-Officio
Wanda Frederick (Principal), Ex-Officio
Teresa Edwards (Assistant Principal), Ex-Officio

#### **Our School**

Lewisville Elementary School is a rural school located in the Richburg community, which is part of Chester County. We are home to approximately 584 students in grades Pre-K through 5. We have two half-day pre-K classes. Our goal is to promote teaching and learning through engaging, rigorous, and varied instructional strategies.



#### **Mission of LES**

The staff, parents, and community of Lewisville Elementary School will work together to provide all students with educational opportunities in a safe and positive learning environment.

#### We believe:

- Students' learning needs should be the primary focus of all decisions impacting the work of the school.
- Students learn best when they are actively engaged in the learning process.
- Each student is a valued individual with unique physical, social, emotional, and intellectual needs.
- A student's self-esteem is enhanced by positive relationships and mutual respect between students and staff.
- A safe and physically comfortable environment promotes student learning.

# LES is a Net SCOPE Partner School with Winthrop University's Net SCOPE Project!

What does this mean? It means that we help prepare future teachers. In turn, we receive professional development support from Winthrop University. We have a liaison assigned to our school who works with our teachers, and Winthrop interns to meet school and district goals.

#### Activities, Opportunities, and Recognitions

- Student Council
- Flag Patrol
- Safety Patrol
- Standards Based Field Trips
- D.A.R. E. Program
- Honor Roll/Perfect Attendance Recognitions
- Student of the Month Recognition
- Junior Achievement (Grades K-5)
- Founder's Bank Branch for LES students
- Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)
- School Improvement Council / Title I Meetings
- Parent Volunteers
- Teacher Cadets (Lewisville High School)
- Student Interns (Winthrop University)
- Jr. ROTC Classroom Volunteers (Lewisville High School)
- Weekly Parent Communication Folders
- Parent/Teacher Communication Logs
- (2) Open Houses
- Parent Workshops (MAP, PASS, Math, Reading, Computer, Bullying)
- Family Nights at Chic-Fil-A, Golden Wok, Sweet Frog, Charlotte Knights Baseball Game
- Fall Festival
- Sweetheart Dance
- Family Bingo Night
- Principal's Reception
- Parent Resource Center
- School-Parent Compact
- Parent Involvement Policy
- Monthly Parent Newsletter
- Box Tops for Education
- Room Parents
- PPG Teacher Grants
- J.M. Sims Teacher Grants
- WLES School News Show
- Relay for Life Fundraisers
- Career Week
- Bullying Prevention Program
- Curriculum Based-Student Assemblies
- Grade Level Performances
- Musical Performances
- Superintendent's Art Show
- Field Day
- BI-LO Booster Plus
- Computer Labs
- iPADs for Resource Classrooms
- Character Education
- Special Olympics
- Spelling Bee
- Response to Intervention Programs for grades K-5
- W.A.T.C.H. Dog Program
- Parent Facilitator
- Lt. Governor's Writing Contest
- Dr. Doug, USC Scientist (Hands-On Science Programs)

## School Renewal Plan Strategies Performance Goal: Student Achievement

- Intervention programs for grades K-5 are provided to assist struggling students in reading and math. One full time certified teacher works with small groups of students on a daily basis.
- Parent workshops ware held to provide information about MAP and PASS assessments.
- MAP data are analyzed for kindergarten through fifth grade students in reading and math to identify student strengths and weaknesses. The school's Data Team assists with test score analysis.
- Promethean boards are in all regular classrooms, intervention rooms, music and art to support, enhance reading instruction.
- The Junior Great Books program provides reading enrichment to groups of third and fourth graders.
- The technology lab allows for flexible scheduling to assist teachers with research-based projects in ELA, science, and social studies.

#### **Performance Goal: School Climate**

- Opportunities are provided to increase parental involvement and participation. These included Parent-Teacher Organization, School Improvement Council meetings and Parent Dine-Ins.
- PASS and MAP workshops are provided for parents.
- Parents are provided access to the Parent Portal to access student grades on a weekly basis.
- Intervention conferences and celebrations are held to increase student attendance.
- Administration holdsconferences with teachers who were frequently absent from work.

#### Performance Goal: Teacher /Leadership

- Teachers are afforded professional development opportunities by attending conferences, workshops, and seminars.
- The school's Data Team, Common Core State Standards Team, and School Leadership Team promote teacher leadership and teacher led professional development based on needs assessment data.
- School wide GBE research-based goals are established to increase parental involvement and student achievement.

# PASS (Palmetto Assessment of State Standards) Percentage of Met & Above

Year	ELA	Math	Science	Social	Writing
				Studies	
2009	76.4%	69.6%	64.8%	72.3%	70.5%
2010	75.5%	72.8%	64.3%	75.4%	72.8%
2011	73.7%	71.5%	65.1%	78.5%	65.7%
2012	80.3%	75.3%	76.9%	82.9%	68.2%

#### **Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)**

Student achievement in reading and math is measured each year during the fall, winter, and spring for students in grades K-5. Students take these tests in the computer labs. They each have individual goals and targets for each subject.

Students are recognized with a school-wide celebration after the spring assessment.

### **Lewisville Elementary School**

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### **Annual Report to Parents**

**April 30, 2013** 

Palmetto Silver Award Winning School 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012



"Feel the Pride!"

Accredited by Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)

Student Enrollment: 584

#### **Annual School Report Card Ratings**

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2008	Below Average	At-Risk
2009	Average	Good
2010	Average	Good
2011	Average	Average
2012	Good	Good

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