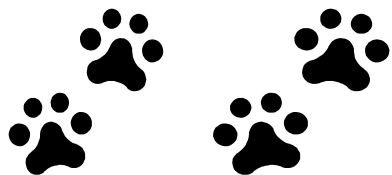


Beliefs

We believe that ...

- School should provide a safe, healthful and nurturing environment.
- Children should be taught to accept responsibility for their decisions and actions.
- Teaching styles should provide a challenging atmosphere for all students and special assistance for those with academic, social, physical and emotional difficulties.
- Successful school-related experiences, including academics, athletics, intra-curricular activities and the arts are critical to the formations of positive self-concepts.
- School should teach children to apply their knowledge and skills to solve real-world problems.
- Knowledge and understanding of individual and cultural differences aid in the development of good citizenship.
- School should teach and model mutual respect.
- School should challenge students to develop critical thinking skills and communicate effectively.



At Clearwater Elementary, we are proud of our students, teachers, staff, and parents for their outstanding commitment to excellence. We were named a "School of Choice," made AYP for the fourth year in a row, and was awarded a Palmetto Silver Award for General Performance.

School / Faculty Awards

AYP 2008-2009 AYP 2009-2010
AYP 2010-2011 AYP 2011-2012
Palmetto Silver Award 2008
Palmetto Silver Award 2009
Palmetto Silver Award 2010
Palmetto Silver Award 2011
United Way School of the Year Award 2010
Westinghouse Mini-Grant Awards

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Clearwater Elementary School is to work in collaboration with students, home and community, while implementing researched-based, data-driven best practices in daily instruction in an effort to foster personal and academic development in a safe, nurturing environment that provides opportunities for students to become productive members of an ever-changing, global society.



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*"Where small paws make
big impressions"*

2011-2012

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*"Building for a better tomorrow
~ one child at a time"*

**Trey Laube, Principal
Sherry McIver, Asst. Principal**

Statistics

Student Enrollment	407
Number of Certified Teachers	28
Number of Advanced Degrees	60.7%

PASS Test Scores

PASS % Met or Exemplary

	3rd	4th	5th
Writing	N/A	N/A	85.4%
ELA	74.6%	91.3%	78.7%
Math	59.3%	91.3%	70.2%
Science	35.7%	73.9%	77.3%
Social Studies	75%	78.3%	48%



The School Improvement Council (SIC) at Clearwater Elementary has prepared this pamphlet. More information can be accessed at our website listed on the front of this brochure. Any parents or community members interested in joining the SIC team or attending a meeting are more than welcome to participate. Below, you will find a listing of the current SIC team members at CES.

Mr. Trey Laube - Principal
 Mrs. Sherry McIver - Assistant Principal
 Mrs. Tara Buffett - Teacher
 Mrs. Denise Dickey - Teacher
 Mrs. Jayme Wilson - Teacher
 Mrs. Amanda Hall - Parent
 Mrs. Amy Johnson - Parent (Chair)
 Mr. Mark Hooks - Community Member
 Mr. Kevin Hunt - Community Member

MAP DATA

	Math			Reading		
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring
1st	162	170	176	162	170	175
District	161	170	178	162	170	179
Norm	163	172	179	160	171	177

2nd	179	185	190	175	181	186
District	179	184	190	178	182	189
Norm	178	186	191	176	184	190

3rd	191	197	203	189	194	200
District	192	197	202	191	195	199
Norm	192	198	203	190	195	199

4th	199	204	208	196	201	205
District	203	207	211	200	203	207
Norm	204	209	212	200	203	207

5th	212	216	224	207	211	212
District	211	215	220	207	210	213
Norm	213	218	221	207	210	212



Outstanding Programs

- Apples of Our Eye (Students of the Nine Weeks)
- Shoot for the Stars (Most Improved Students of the Nine Weeks)
- MAP Incentive Parties
- Best Effort Train (monthly)
- Caught Being Good
- Treasure Chest for no tardies
- Quarterly Awards Programs
- Study Island
- Reading Eggs
- Fall Carnival
- Veteran's Day Program
- Black History Program
- Talent Show
- Santa Shop
- Augusta Symphony
- Cat in the Hat
- ID Concepts
- American Education Week
- Donuts for Dads & Muffins for Moms
- Cultures Around the World Program
- Morgan's Toys
- Laces 4 Love
- Book Fair
- Dental Screenings
- Red Ribbon Week
- ESOL Nights
- Box Tops
- Book Parade
- Author's Tea
- Family Movie Nights

