McBee Elementary School 2017-2018 "Report to the People"



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**Mission Statement:** 

McBee Elementary School, a small school with a dedicated staff, through a partnership with parents and community, is committed to enabling our children to achieve their full potential through monitoring and adjusting the educational process that will foster a positive attitude toward learning and adapting to an everchanging environment.

Carey Rhodes, Chairperson • Wendy Langjahr, Teacher • Susan Sullivan, Teacher •

- Tiffany Besch, Parent •
- Elizabeth Andrews, Parent •

**School Improvement Council:** 

- Geneva King, Community member •
- Jamie Wayne, Community member •
- Missy Griffin, Ex Officio •

# We Believe....

- All students can learn in a nurturing and • compassionate environment
- High expectations should be set for all students and staff.
- Quality education prepares students to be-• come productive members of society
- All students and teachers are responsible and accountable for their actions
- Effective leadership facilitates learning
- Academic growth is facilitated by effective • teaching strategies
- School, home, and community share in the responsibility for providing a supportive learning environment
- Each student is a valued individual with unique abilities and learning styles
- Teachers are responsible for providing high guality, research-based instruction

• Student Enrollment—415

Degrees—67%

• Percentage of parents

attending conferences-100%

#### About • Number of Certified Staff—30 • Staff with Advanced

## McBee Elementary

School

## **Student Activities & Opportunities**

- ALPHA (Art, Music, & Academics)
- Computer Lab ٠
- Junior Beta Club
- **Character Education Classes**
- Variety of Enriching Field Trips
- Parenting Workshops & Family Day
- **Book Fairs**
- Literacy Intervention ۲
- **Kindergarten Connections**
- Fall Festival
- Literacy Celebrations
- Spelling Bee
- Girls Night In
- Boys Night In
- Read Across America
- Field Day
- Talent Show
- Staff vs. Students Volleyball Game
- Staff vs. Students Softball Game
- 5th vs. 6th grade Football Game ٠

## **Community Outreach**

- Relay for Life
- United Way
- Lions Club Partnership
- March of Dimes
- Pack the Bag Program

Chesterfield County School District

#### McBee Elementary School

# Celebrate With Us.

- ESEA Federal Accountability Rating: A
- State Recognition Based on PASS Scores:
- Palmetto Silver Award for General Performance
- Palmetto Silver Award for Closing the Achievement Gap
- National Beta School of Distinction
- National Beta Club Convention Winners
- Three National Board Certified Teachers



# Goals

## **Student Achievement**

**Goal:** The percentage of students scoring met and above in mathematics and ELA will increase.

#### Strategies:

- Continue to analyze MAP, Fountas & Pinnell, and SCREADY data to analyze learning gaps and drive instruction.
- Use resources and instructional materials to incorporate differentiated learning.
- Improve student and teacher attendance.



## Climate

**Goal:** The percentage of parents participating in parent/ teacher activities that support home/school relations as measured by participation data will continue to remain at 100%. **Strategies:** 

- Provide information to parents and community through effective use of the parenting newsletter, website, School Messenger and local media.
- Continue to hold Open House at beginning of school year.
- Continue to use school surveys to gather information from parents, students, and teachers.
- Continue to increase parent/teacher conference
- attendance.

### Teacher/Administrator Quality

**Goal:** The percentage of teachers receiving high quality, research based professional development will increase to 100%. **Strategies:** 

- Provide ongoing researched based professional development for teachers.
- Use common grade-level planning and/or afterschool to promote curriculum development and evaluate assessments.
- Maintain highly qualified teachers in all areas.



## Additional Information:

- 100% of teachers are highly-qualified in their teaching areas
- Jr. Beta Club worked on a year-long service project to create sleeping mats for homeless people in our local community
- Several students advanced to National Junior Beta Competition
- Chorus Members traveled to Biltmore Estate, local nursing homes, and even New York to perform!
- Chorus Members held an annual Dinner Theater to raise money for the arts
- Several teachers have received grants to fund books for classroom libraries, field trips and even a student-created garden

