McBee Elementary School 2018-2019 "Report to the People"



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Mission Statement:

McBee Elementary is a small rural school where parents, teachers, and the community partner together to provide a safe, challenging environment to ensure that all students can reach their greatest potential.

Chesterfield County School District

School Improvement Council:

- Leslie Smith, Chairperson
- Wendy Langjahr, Teacher
- Susan Sullivan, Teacher
- Tiffany Besch, Parent
- Cynthia McCormick, Parent
- Geneva King, Community member
- Jamie Wayne, Community member
- Missy Grif-

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We Believe....

- All students can learn in a nurturing and compassionate environment.
- In high expectations for all students and staff.
- Quality education prepares students to become 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 quality, research-based instruction .

About MES

- Student Enrollment—442
- Number of Certified Staff—36
- Staff with Advanced Degrees—67%
- Percentage of Parents attending Conferences—100%

Student Activities & Opportunities

- ◆ ALPHA (Art, Music, & Academics)
- Computer Lab
- ♦ Junior Beta Club
- ♦ Character Education Classes
- Variety of Enriching Field Trips
- Parenting Workshops & Family Day
- Book Fairs
- Literacy Intervention
- Kindergarten Connections
- ◆ Fall Festival
- Literacy Celebrations
- Spelling Bee
- Reading Recovery Services
- Chorus
- Read Across America
- Field Day
- Dinner Theater
- Black History Celebration
- Battle of the Books—Fifth Grade

Community Outreach

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

McBee Elementary School

Celebrate With Us

- State Junior Beta Club Convention Winners
- Winner of Multiple Grants
- Author's Visit from Jerry Pallotta
- Two National Board Certified Teachers
- Winner of 4th Grade Field Trip Grant





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.



Goal: The percentage of parents participating in parent/ teacher activities that support home/school relations as measured by participation data will increase.

Strategies:

- Provide information to parents and community through effective use of the parenting newsletter, website, School Messenger, Remind App, 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 conduct parent/teacher conferences
- ◆ Continue to hold Family Nights

Teacher/Administrator Quality

Goal: The percentage of teachers receiving high quality, scientifically based professional development will remain at 100%. **Strategies:**

- Provide ongoing researched based professional development for teachers.
- Use common grade-level planning, Professional Learning Labs, and afterschool professional development 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 purchased Christmas gifts for Angel Tree & collected cleaning supplies for hurricane victims.
- Several students advanced to National Junior
 Beta Competition
- Chorus Members traveled to Biltmore Estate, local nursing homes, and even Disney World to perform!
- Chorus Members held an annual Dinner Theater to raise money for the arts and athletics
- Several teachers have received grants to fund books for classroom libraries, field trips and even a visit from a famous author!
- Second grade students raised money to maintain their garden.
- Members of Jr Beta Club held a bake sale to raise money to purchase dolls and games for local nursing homes.

