

Millbrook's Purpose

Millbrook Elementary School's purpose is to promote a rigorous curriculum with high academic goals, creativity, critical thinking, problem solving, and communication and collaboration skills within a safe, nurturing environment.

Review of 2013 - 2014 School Renewal

Goals Accomplished: Curriculum

- *Map and Dominion data was used to analyze students' needs and plan instruction.
- *Individualized instruction was implemented through the reading initiative and MAP score analysis. Tutoring sessions were held by the Instructional Coach on a daily basis.
- *Software was purchased to provide additional instructional support.
- *An after school program for at risk students was established to provide additional academic support.
- *One Instructional Coach and a CAI proctor was funded by Title I funds.
- *Fourteen SRNS grants were received and used to enhance Science and Math instruction.
- *Teachers participated in staff development with a focus on common core standards during early release days and various times throughout the year.
- *Provided teachers with relevant professional staff development and professional reading opportunities to enhance instruction.
- *Dominie testing data was used to guide reading instruction.

Home-School Connection

- *A successful Career Day was planned and implemented.
- *A family enrichment night was planned and implemented.
- *Positive communication was sent home
Via: positive office referrals,
Positive notes home, clip chart discipline method, and Alert Now.
- *The Student Council and the Gifted and Talented students planned community learning projects and successfully implemented them throughout the year.

School Renewal Plan Goals

2014 – 2015 Curriculum

- *Implement the use of Common Core Standards and the ACPS curriculum guide.
- *Purchase materials and resources necessary to assist teachers in preparing assessments that reflect common core standards.

Teacher Quality

- *Provide extensive professional development on the implementation and use of common core standards based on district and state guidelines.
- *Provide professional development on the use of the Aiken County Public Schools curriculum and pacing guide.
- *Provide relevant staff development focusing on Math and Reading.



Student Achievement

Absolute rating – Good
ESEA rating - A

PASS Data 2012 – 2013

<u>Grade 3</u>	<u>Met Standard</u>
ELA	84.4%
Math	74.4%
Science	84.2%
Social Studies	87.5%
Writing	71.8%

<u>Grade 4</u>	<u>Met Standard</u>
ELA	80.9%
Math	83.1%
Science	77.5%
Social Studies	86.5%
Writing	78.4%

<u>Grade 5</u>	<u>Met Standard</u>
ELA	86.1%
Math	78.3%
Science	89.3%
Social Studies	78.0%
Writing	86.2%

Millbrook's Vision

Our vision at Millbrook Elementary is to empower all students for a lifetime of personal success in a rapidly changing world through an academic curriculum that provides consistent, clear understanding of twenty first century skills allowing them to compete in a global economy.

School Sponsored/Student Activities and Opportunities

- Star Fall Reader
- After School Tutoring Grades Three to Five
- Birthday Book Club
- Book Buddies
- Career Awareness Day
- Character Education
- Chorus
- Drama Club
- Early Intervention Reading Program
- Field Day
- Fitness Club
- Gifted and Talented Program
- International Reading Day Celebrations
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Kindergarten Reading Round-up
- PAWS for Reading
- Safety Patrol
- Student Council
- Veterans Day Activities
- Spark Program with USC-A



Recognitions

- Silver Award Winner 2003 - 2004
2011 - 2012
- Gold Award Winner 2004 - 2005
2005 - 2006
2010 - 2011
2012 - 2013
- SRNS Grants Recipient 2010, 2011,
2012, 2013 & 2014
- \$5,000 Lowe's Grant
- Red Carpet Award 2010 - 2013
- Excellent report card rating/AYP 2010,
2011, & 2012
- STAR Grant Recipient
- Five Regional Science Fair winners 2014
- ESEA- Grade of A
- Absolute rating – Good
- Two “Partners in Education” grants
- Two “Donors Choice” grants

Our History

Millbrook Elementary was built in 1954. Since then, a new first grade wing and administrative office has been built to accommodate an increase in the student population. In 2008, a new fourth/fifth grade building and new cafeteria was completed.

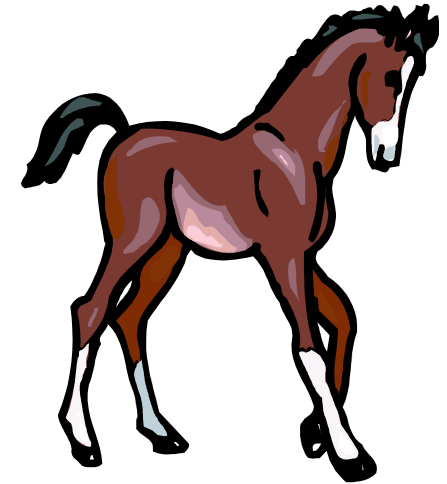
Our School Today

- Currently, 640 students are enrolled.
- The average daily student attendance for the 2013 -2014 was 635

School Improvement Council Members

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Racing to Success

School Summary Report 2013 - 2014

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