

## School Achievements

Flowertown Elementary School made Adequate Yearly Progress for the sixth consecutive year.

Flowertown Elementary School received an “excellent” rating on the state report card.

Flowertown Elementary School was awarded the Palmetto Gold distinction for having excellent absolute and growth ratings.

Lindsey Hundemer won the school Spelling Bee Champion.

Brian Mageau won the FES Geography Bee and was one of only 100 students statewide to qualify for and represent his school at the state geography bee in Columbia.

Dr. Tonya Tompkins, FES art teacher, earned National Board Certification.

All FES fourth and fifth grade students participated in year-long service learning projects.

FES students participated in a stellar production of “The Wizard of Oz”.

FES received PBIS Banner Recognition.

FES volunteers donated more than 10,000 volunteer hours.

## Flowertown Elementary SIC Members

*Principal: Donna Goodwin*

*Chair/Title I: Debbie Call*

*PTA President: Hillary Jones*

*Parent: Megan Skogland*

*Parent: Philip Fleishman*

*Parent: Tawanna Glover*

*Parent: Chris Nowell*

*Parent: Don & Susan Baus*

*Parent: Scott & Stephanie Nicholson*

*Parent: Teresa Garcia*

*Parent: Natalie Riley*

*Parent: Bob Sherman*

*Parent: Ben Campbell*

*Parent: Ashley Heslop*

*Parent: Lisa Wagner*

*Business Representative: Kenneth Davenport*

*Parent/Business Liaison: Jody Gerhardt*

*Teacher of the Year: Erika Graham*

*Secretary/Math Coach: Mary Puszcz*

*Guidance Counselor: Stephanie Bigman*

*District Representative: Jenny Singletary*

## Purpose of the Report

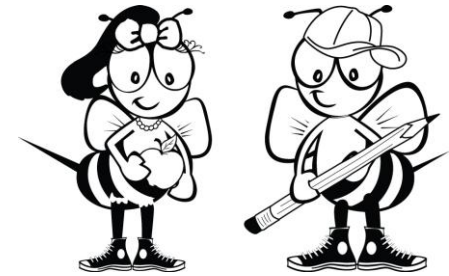
This Report is issued by the Flowertown Elementary School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

*Please do not hesitate to contact the FES SIC Chairperson or school administrators if you have questions regarding information in this report. SIC/Title I meetings are open to the public and dates are published in the monthly FES Flier as well as in the parent calendar.*

## Flowertown Elementary School

### Annual School Improvement Council

## “Report to the Parents” 2011-12



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### Dorchester School District Two

Joe Pye, Superintendent  
Donna Goodwin, Principal  
Rachel Mahaffey, Assistant Principal  
Charlotte Frampton, Assistant Principal  
Debbie Call, Title I Facilitator

*Fostering a love of learning,  
Engaging all students,  
Serving as a center of excellence.*

## SIC Annual Goals

*Mission: Provide a forum for Flowertown parents, school staff, and community members to engage in on-going communication leading to actions that promote the accomplishment of school and district goals.*

1. Develop service learning as a school initiative.
2. Establish and strengthen relationships with the business community.
3. Expand the mentoring program.
4. Develop career awareness among our students.

## Progress Toward Goals

FES students participated in 26 group service learning projects as well as six school-wide service projects.

FES received a Cummings Grant that has funded numerous school improvement projects.

FES has established levels of business partner membership, and many of these partners have been actively involved in school improvement initiatives.

The FES mentoring program served more than 40 students with many hours of time donated by community mentors.

FES teachers established a Green Bee initiative that focuses our students on environmental awareness.

## Student Achievement

### Third Grade PASS Data Percentages 2010-11

Subject	Exemplary	Met	Not Met
ELA	73%	22%	5%
Math	76%	15%	9%
Social St	61%	31%	8%
Science	35%	46%	19%

### Fourth Grade PASS Data Percentages 2010-11

Subject	Exemplary	Met	Not Met
ELA	58%	32%	10%
Math	57%	30%	13%
Social St	41%	40%	19%
Science	24%	58%	18%

### Fifth Grade PASS Data Percentages 2010-11

Subject	Exemplary	Met	Not Met
ELA	48%	37%	15%
Math	51%	32%	17%
Social St	40%	48%	12%
Science	26%	46%	28%
Writing	52%	36%	12%

*For more information, you may view Myschool's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at [www.ed.sc.gov](http://www.ed.sc.gov).*

## Additional Information

### FES Demographics

Enrollment: 1089  
 Caucasian: 71%  
 African-American: 23%  
 Hispanic: 4%  
 Other: 2%  
 Subsidized Meals: 49%

### Opportunities for Student and Family Involvement

Grade Level Orientations and Parent Nights  
 Kick-off to Kindergarten  
 Grandparent's Day  
 Service Learning Projects  
 Green Bees and Earth Day  
 Veteran's Day Activities  
 Career Awareness Activities  
 "Fieldtrips" to Educational Attractions  
 DUDES, GENTS, and Sweet Magnolias  
 Kid's Art Fair  
 Grade Level and FES Singer Performances  
 Drama Productions  
 Beach Bash, Field Day, and Book Fairs  
 Wax Museum  
 Cowboy Jamboree  
 Mentoring Program  
 PTA Volunteer Program  
 PTA Sponsored Projects  
 Relay for Life activities  
 Jump Rope for Heart Activities  
 Talent Show  
 Academic Competitions  
 Terrific Kids  
 WBEE News Show, Student Jobs  
 Student Council Projects  
 PTA Reflections  
 Tennis Camp

