

School Achievements

- Sixth year for OES Robotics Team. Team presented at our annual Math/Science and Technology Night.
- OES Robotics Team received the Professional Compassion award
- Be a Mentor program-community members volunteered to mentor K-2nd grade students in reading
- Students received lanyards, buttons, and pins for academic and attendance excellence.
- Tenth year for Bears on the Run, students in 3rd, 4th and 5th grades participated and received lessons on nutrition, bullying, good decision making, and goal setting.
- OES students and staff participated in Jump Rope for Heart to raise money for the American Heart Association.
- OES Singers, a group of 3rd, 4th and 5th graders practiced and performed throughout the school year.
- Fourth year partnership with Boeing and MUSC for Health and Wellness Initiative.
- Year 3 of Distinguished Arts Program Grant
- Dottie McGrady awarded a Dorchester District Two Innovation Grant for the school to purchase a 3D printer
- Drama Club for third through fifth grade students performed twice during the year
- 2nd Annual Oakie 5K partnership between OES and OMS
- Fourth year Boosterthon focusing on health and wellness along with teambuilding. Raised enough monies to purchase a Star Lab for the school
- Dottie McGrady named OES Teacher of the Year.
- Brea Cummings named OES Rookie Teacher of the Year.
- Donna Stevenson named OES Classified Employee of the Year.

Oakbrook Elementary SIC Members

Monica O'Dea, Principal
Kim Boutin, Assistant Principal
Cat Watson, Title One Facilitator
Angel Harris, Instructional
Technology Specialist
Amber Pomranky, Chair/Parent
Kelli VanPinxteren, Co-Chair/Parent
Pam Tanton, Teacher
Jacquelyn Williams, Counselor
Laura Coates, Counselor
Nancy Stice, Community Member



Purpose of the Report

“This Report is issued by the Oakbrook 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.”

Oakbrook Elementary School

Annual School Improvement Council

“Report to the Parents” 2016-2017



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“Planting the Seeds of Excellence”

SIC Annual Goals

GOAL 1: Academic

Implementation of Read to Succeed Plan; Student Growth Measures; Academic Rigor

Strategies: Research programs/curriculums; Pilot Lucy Calkins Reading; Professional Development

GOAL 2: Culture

Build a cooperative, social and kinesthetic environment through Focus 5; PBIS

Strategies: Revisit Focus 5 expectations; Increase goals for receiving bronze, silver and gold medals

GOAL 3: Technology

Technology Enhanced classrooms; STEM initiative

Strategies: PLC of Technology Enhanced classrooms; Book study; STEM kits for Kindergarten and 1st Grade classes

~The School Improvement Council provides valuable suggestions and input to assist OES in meeting these goals.

Student Achievement

SC School Report Card Rating		
Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2014	Excellent	Good
2013	Excellent	Good
2012	Excellent	Excellent
2011	Excellent	Excellent
2010	Excellent	Good

2015 ACT Aspire Results Percentage of Students Exceeding and Ready	
Grade 3 ELA	73.8%
Grade 4 ELA	82.7%
Grade 5 ELA	70.4%
Grade 3 Math	65.4%
Grade 4 Math	64.8%
Grade 5 Math	60.5%



“For more information, you may view Oakbrook’s “S.C. School Report Card” for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.”

OES School Environment

- Tenth Year of Positive Behavioral Initiatives and Strategies (PBIS)
- Safety Patrol consisting of chosen fifth grade students
- Student council consisting of elected fifth grade students
- WOES-student led morning show
- Battle of the Books Competition for all students in grades 4 and 5
- Real Men Read monthly program for all students 4K-5th grades
- Parent trainings/workshops before PTA performances
- Communicated to parents through Remind and Blackboard
- School-wide Wednesday folders sent home
- Math/Science and Technology Family Night
- RAZ Kids online guided reading program for all 3rd Grade Students
- Get FIT (Families involved in Technology)
- Be A Mentor program for kindergarten, first graders and second graders
- Lessons using Legos and technology
- STEM kits purchased for all Kindergarten and first grade classes
- Implementation of South Carolina Read to Succeed Plan