

State Rating

The South Carolina Department of Education changed the school rating system in 2012. The new rating system grades schools with a letter grade of an A, B, C, D, or F. The grade index score is as follows: 90-100=A, 80-89=B, 70-79=C, 60-69=D, and less than 60=F.

Moore Intermediate received a **“B”** on the 2014 School Report Card with an absolute rating of Good, and a growth rating of Average.

For more information on the school’s rating history you may log on to <http://ed.sc.gov/>.

Student Clubs

Chorus	S.A.V.E. *
Lego	Robotics
Drama	Beta Club
Academic Bowl	Horizons
Morning Show	Sports Club
Art Club	Dance Club
Cheerleading	Math Club
Environmental Club	Band Club
Good News Club	Strings
Cheerleading	
BOB (Battle of the Books)	

*Students Against Violence
Everywhere*

Special Recognitions

- ❖ August 2013, John W. Moore opened in a new facility and remains the only Intermediate school in FSD1
- ❖ Green Steps School for the environment
- ❖ National Network of Partnership Schools Grant Recipient (2011, 2012, 2013 & 2014)
- ❖ NNPS Promising Practices Award Recipient 2013 & 2014
- ❖ Champions of the Environment
- ❖ District winner nine of eleven years for the Lt. Governor’s Writing Essay contest
- ❖ 14 students with perfect score on PASS testing
- ❖ 2014 National Award winner; Promising Practice in Character Education (CEP)
- ❖ Lowes Grant Recipient
- ❖ South Carolina State Red Carpet Award
- ❖ South Carolina Palmetto Silver Award winner for six years
- ❖ Report Card Rating of **“B”**
- ❖ Our RoboLions won First Place for Project at the Regional First LEGO League Robotics Competition in Florence, S.C.
- ❖ JW Moore cheerleaders won 1st place at the Masquerade Classic Cheer & Dance competition in Greenville, SC. They were also Gold Medal winners.
- ❖ Seven National Board Certified Teachers
- ❖ Character Education Program: ROAR, character coupons, character word of the month, and Chic-fil-A character lessons
- ❖ Community Service Project Participation: Parking Lot Food Drive, Adopt a Child holiday gift project in conjunction with the (DSS) Pasta for Pennies (South Carolina Leukemia and Lymphoma Society) Hoops/ Jump Rope for Heart (American Heart Association), Clean Up Park Days, “You Are Our Life Savior” support our military project, Relay for Life

Responsibility, Opportunity, Accountability,
Respect

John W. Moore Intermediate School

Florence School District 1



School Improvement Council Annual Report to Parents 2014-2015

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A Red Carpet School/Palmetto Silver Award Winner

“Where Lions R.O.A.R.”

Moore Intermediate School Improvement Council **Annual Report to Parents**

School Improvement Council Members 2014—2015

- ❖ Thomas Snyder, Parent (Chair)
- ❖ Karen Clemson, Parent
- ❖ Suzette Watson, Parent
- ❖ Makesha Jackson, Parent
- ❖ Patti Makosky, Teacher
- ❖ Clifford Parr, Teacher
- ❖ Jennifer Taylor, Teacher
- ❖ Anne Adams, Parent
- ❖ Winnie King, Community Member
- ❖ David Morgan, Community Member
- ❖ Alicia Vilarchao, Community Member
- ❖ Linda Dowling, Community Member
- ❖ Carol Schweitz, Principal, Ex-Officio
- ❖ Ann Valrie, Assistant Principal, Ex-Officio
- ❖ Shand Josey, Curriculum Coordinator, Ex-Officio

❖ **Annual Report**

The annual report is sent out to parents each year to summarize our goals, our progress towards those goals, and the school's achievements.

Identified Goals:

1. Additional technology equipment and training to enhance instruction

How We Are Meeting This Goal:

- ❖ School Technology Coach
- ❖ Technology tools available: iPods, iPads, Nooks, Flash-masters, Student Response Systems, document cameras, digital cameras, laptops, digital video equipment, Apple TV, Smart Audio, Chrome Books
- ❖ Four computer labs
- ❖ Certified computer lab teacher
- ❖ School/District technology courses for teachers
- ❖ Instructional software; Brain Pop, Compass

2. Increase in academic achievement in all curriculum areas

How We Are Meeting This Goal:

- ❖ Implementation of College and Career Ready Standards
- ❖ Smart Start instruction before school
- ❖ Extended Day Program
- ❖ Title I funds used to reduce class size
- ❖ Technology Integration/Instructional software
- ❖ On and off-campus field trips/guest speakers
- ❖ MAP Assessment and Benchmark Testing
- ❖ Reading Renaissance Program
- ❖ Academic Competitions
- ❖ Small group instruction in math with a certified teacher
- ❖ Part-time Literacy Coach

3. Increase Parental Involvement

How We Are Meeting This Goal:

- ❖ Title I sponsored parent workshops and family events offered throughout the year
- ❖ Title I Parent Resource Center (instructional materials, games, videos, etc.)
- ❖ Active Parent participation in APT and SIC
- ❖ Parents serve as club sponsors, volunteers, chaperones, room parents, tutors

4. Increase Principles of Character Education and Citizenship in our Students

How We Are Meeting This Goal:

- ❖ Implementation of Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports
- ❖ Implementation of Chick-fil-A Core Essentials Character Education Program
- ❖ Steps to Respect and Stop, Walk & Talk: Anti-bullying programs
- ❖ Guest Speakers on Bullying and Character Development
- ❖ Student Recognition Programs: Student of the Month, Bus of the Month, Character Coupons, Academic Awards, Pep Rallies, Invitation to student events for no referrals
- ❖ Participation in Numerous Service Learning Projects
- ❖ Faith Based Mentors
- ❖ DARE
- ❖ GREAT Curriculum

**The Mission of Moore Intermediate is to
Educate! Prepare! Inspire!**