

Staff & Student Accomplishments

Mrs. Ginna Vedder,
2014-15 OWES Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Sarah Dutton,
2014-15 OWES First Year Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Tracy Green,
2014-15 OWES Staff Member of the Year

Jasmine Hadsall,
2014-15 School Spelling Bee Winner

Caleb Lord, Kristen Simmons
2014-15 American Legion Character Award

Vision Statement

Oakwood Windsor Elementary School:
Developing Readers, Thinkers, and
Creators...One Child at a Time

Oakwood Windsor Elementary Administration and Faculty strive to develop readers, thinkers and creators beginning with early childhood education. We aim to promote academic excellence in our curriculum through hands-on and differentiated instruction for every child.

Mission Statement

The mission of Oakwood Windsor Elementary is to create in students a passion for learning and achievement that will serve them as they compete and contribute in a global society.

Activities for Parents and Students

Title I Open House	Grandparent's Day
SMART Night	Book Fairs
Veteran's Day Program	Holiday Programs
Doughnuts for Dads	Muffins for Moms
Literacy Night	Night of the Arts
Family Night	Spring Carnival
Field Day	Career Day
Honor Roll Celebrations	Award's Day
Guitar Club	Art Club
Jump Rope for Heart	Red Ribbon Week
American Education Week	Santa Shop
Volunteer Appreciation	Fire Safety Week
Fall Parent Conferences	Dr. Seuss Week
Parent/Student Meet & Greet	Book Club

Plans for the Future

- Continue to provide differentiated instruction in all K-5 reading and math classes through daily small group instruction.
- Provide rigorous and meaningful lessons centered around South Carolina standards.
- Promote writing across all subjects, including special areas.
- Promote a variety of enrichment activities.
- Promote science achievement through hands-on, real life experiences.

Oakwood Windsor Elementary

2014-2015 Report to Parents

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Learning

is

Power

Debra McCord, Principal

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Student & School Achievements

2013 School Report Card Data

Absolute Rating : Average

Growth Rating : Average

70% met/exemplary on Reading

67% met/exemplary on Math

73% met/exemplary on Writing

82% of teachers satisfied with the learning environment

88% of students satisfied with the learning environment

92% of parents satisfied with the learning environment

For more information regarding report card ratings and data for Oakwood Windsor Elementary please visit

www.ed.sc.gov

2015 Spring MAP Data

3rd math: 54% at forty percentile

3rd reading: 57% at forty percentile

4th math: 50% at forty percentile

4th reading: 50% at forty percentile

5th math: 62% at forty percentile

5th reading: 63% at forty percentile

We are proud to offer a loving and encouraging atmosphere for our students to learn and grow as individuals!

Our faculty and staff recognize every child as being able to achieve success and offer support and guidance in both academics and social development.

Instructional Highlights

- 4K full day classes serving 40 children
- Reading Intervention for 5K, 1st and 2nd
- Intervention teacher to serve 3rd-5th math
- Certified tutors to serve 3rd-5th reading
- Compass Computer Lab to assist with individualized classroom instruction
- Buddy reading between kindergarten and upper grades
- Classroom guidance sessions through activity
- Character awareness on a weekly basis
- Reading Coach to support teachers in reading best practice instruction
- iPads, iPods and netbooks in all 1st-5th grade reading and math classes
- Smartboards in every classroom to encourage interactive learning
- Small group, differentiated instruction in all K-5th grade reading and math classes
- Relevant and Common Core related field trips for all K-5th grade classes
- Partnership with USC-Aiken Education Dept.
- Reading Recovery for 1st grade students at risk
- Instructional Aide to provide intervention for K, 1st, and 2nd grade
- Knowledge College week that fosters career and life skills for 3rd-5th grade
- Partnership with Cumbee Center to implement "Building Healthy Relationships" small group sessions focused on relationships and bullying
- Implementation of Wise Guys and Girls Circle for 5th grade students to prepare for middle school and beyond

2014 School Improvement Members

Chair: John Ross, teacher
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GINNA VEDDER

Kristen Buice

Parent Representatives:

Kelly Gartman

Shirley Flippen

Stacie Evans

Teresa Dail

Community Representatives:

Dr. Gehazel Williams

Frank Williams

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