

Staff & Student Accomplishments

Mrs. Cheryl Zimmerman,
2015-16 OWES Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Debbie Lindburg,
2015-16 OWES Staff Member of the Year

Kaitlyn Siciliano,
2015-16 School Spelling Bee Winner

**Damaris Guillen, Gabriel Negrete
& Megan Simmons**
2015-16 Character First of Aiken 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	Green Team
Honor Roll Celebrations	Award's Day
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
Run Like a Girl Club	Boo Bash
Knowledge College	Choir

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.
- STEM lab for all 2nd-5th grade students on a weekly basis.
- High achieving/GT full day classrooms 3rd-5th.
- Keyboarding instruction, Waterford in 4k-1st, System 44/Read 180 intervention programs.

Oakwood Windsor Elementary

2015-2016 Report to Parents

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Learning

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Power

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Student & School Achievements

2014 School Report Card Data

Absolute Rating : Average
Growth Rating : Average

2014 ACT Aspire Testing:
Reading OWES 24.6% ready / Aiken 33.5% ready
English OWES 59.5% ready/ Aiken 66.6% ready
Math OWES 50% ready/ Aiken 40.3% ready

For more information regarding report card ratings and data for Oakwood Windsor Elementary please visit www.ed.sc.gov

2015-16 SRI Data

Third grade:
35% reading on grade level in fall
50% reading on grade level in winter

Fourth grade:
46% reading on grade level in fall
60% reading on grade level in winter

Fifth grade:
53% reading on grade level in fall
70% reading on grade level in winter

2015-16 Fountas & Pinnell Data

First grade: 65% reading on grade level in winter testing

Second grade: 79% reading on grade level in winter testing

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
- 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
- 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 standards related field trips for all K-5th grade classes
- 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
- 4K Parenting Education Program
- System 44 as an intervention program for third grade readers
- Read 180 as an intervention program for fourth and fifth grade readers

2014 School Improvement Members

Chair: John Ross, teacher
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Principal: Debra McCord
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Teacher Representatives:

Kimberly Dennis	Julie Stapleton
Emile Crenshaw	Jennifer Randall
GINNA VEDDER	Kristen Buice

Parent Representatives:

Joseph Wheeler	Swanzetta Johnson
Barbara Stone	Melissa Skipper

Community Representatives:

Dr. Gehazel Williams
Frank Williams

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