

LCE Accomplishments

LCE 2013-2014

Parent & Community Involvement Committee

Eddie Whack.....Principal
Amy Evatt.....Assistant Principal
Eleta McCray.....School/Home/ Parenting Liaison
Renota Washington....Chairperson
Anna Washington....Parent
Pamela Jenkins.....Secretary
Danielle Washington....Parent
Terry Burgess....Teacher
Terese Patterson.....Mentor Teacher/21st CC
Thressa Wilder.....Parent
Mary K Jordan.....Teacher

- Palmetto Gold– Improvement Rating 2013-14
- Palmetto Silver-Decreasing the GAP
- TAP School Value-Added 5 Score
- Raised over \$1500 for the March of Dimes
- Over 220 students met their 14 point MAP goal
- Quarterly Awards Day Program
- 4 Artist in Residence
- Increase the number of parents
- Weekly school messenger to keep parents inform
- 21st Century and Save the Children Grant
- ABC Grant
- Incentive Days
- Career Day

Lake City Elementary School Improvement Council Report to Parents 2013-2014

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**Building Excellence; Every child,
Every chance, Every day to ensure 100%
of our students college and career ready.**

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to present to you our Annual School Summary Report. Along with our SIC we would like to formally share with you the progress being made at Lake City Elementary School. Our success is the result of our dedication, hard work and partnerships with home, school and community. We especially would like to thank the parents that volunteer at our school on a daily/weekly basis for their continued support.

Sincerely,

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Families and Community Involvement

- Parent Academy
- Curriculum Family Nights
- United Way
- Jump Rope for Heart
- School Improvement Council Meeting
- Father Daughter Dance
- Mother Son Dance
- Candy Land Ball
- Thanksgiving Feast
- Black History Program
- Fall Festival
- Christmas Concert
- Book Fairs
- Parent Teacher Conference



Eddie J. Whack, Principal

What is School Improvement Council?

The School Improvement Council (SIC) serves as an advisory committee to the school's principal and faculty. SIC plays a key role in the education of our children, bringing together parents, educators, and community stakeholders to work collectively to improve student achievement.

What is the School Improvement Council's Role?

1. Assist the 5 year School Improvement Plan
2. Assist with the writing of the Annual Report to Parents
3. Provide advice on the use of school incentive award expenditures that come from awards such as the Palmetto Gold and Silver Award
4. Serve as a liaison between the school, the community, and the local school board to get pertinent information distributed to the parents.
5. Devise plans to obtain funding for school projects.

2013-14 School Ratings

Absolute Ratings.....Below Average

Growth Ratings.....Excellent

Value Added 5– Highest Score Possible

Teacher Advancement Program (TAP)

For more details on our school report card, visit: www.ed.sc.gov/data/report-cards/ You will then select the year, select Florence 3, and select Lake City Elementary School.

Parent Involvement Goals

Parenting

To promote and support parenting skills.

Communicating

To improve regular, two-way and meaningful communications between home and school.

Volunteering

To increase volunteer support and assistance.

Student Learning

To increase parent involvement with their child's learning at home.

Decision Making

To make parents full partners in the decisions that affect children and families.

Collaborating

To identify and increase community resources in order to strengthen schools, families, and student learning.

Instructional Implementations for 2013-2014

- Professional Development Weekly for Teachers –Cluster
- Reduction in classroom size
- Monthly Staff Development Meetings
- Small Groups/Small Group Facilitators
- 2 Administrators/1 Administrator Assistant
- 2 Master Teachers/ 4 Mentor Teachers
- Academic Interventionist
- Computer Assisted Instruction Program—Study Island, Class work, Fast Forward, Reading A-2, Reading Renaissance, etc...
- Monthly Grade Level Leader Meetings.
- 6+1 Traits of Writing/ Common Core State Standards
- Gifted and Talented
- Promethean Boards in 1-5 classrooms
- 21st Century/Save the Children After

Special Recognitions

Helen Gardner—Teacher of the Year (TOY)

