# Redcliffe Elementary School Funds

Redcliffe Elementary School receives funds from federal and state agencies as well as through the Parent-Teacher Organization. After reviewing PTO parent surveys, the Title I Parent Survey, the State Department of Education Report Card Survey, and assessment data, the SIC in conjunction with the PTO and Title I Committee focused the spending of the funds on the following items.

#### Title I Funds:

- Child development teacher & aide (.5)
- Parent Involvement Activities
- Guidance Services
- Math lab instructor
- Interventionist
- Technology Supplies
- Staff Development
- Class size reduction
- Fifth Grade Etiquette Luncheon

#### PTO Funds:

- Fall Family Festival
- Red Ribbon Week Supplies
- Teacher Luncheons
- Landscaping
- Laminating film & Copier Expenses
- Mass Communication Phone System
- Student Incentives
- Supplies for Art, Maintenance and Nursing Depts.
- Parental Involvement Activities

## School Improvement Council Members

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**SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL** 

# Redcliffe Elementary School



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## **General Information**

The School Improvement Council (SIC) works in conjunction with the Title I committee and PTO executive board to develop goals and plan activities to make Redcliffe Elementary School a place where opportunities are provided for parents, educators, and community members to achieve academically, socially, and professionally. Redciffe was recognized this year for closing the achievement gap by winning the South Carolina Palmetto Silver Award.

The overall goal for Redcliffe is to improve student achievement. The SIC/PTO/Title 1 Committee believe that parent involvement, character education for students, and professional development for teachers are essential to improving student achievement.

This year's goals have been addressed by providing funding for student incentives such as the Bear Den, parent involvement activities which include the Family Fun Festival, Daddy/Daughter & Mother/Son dances, 5th grade's etiquette luncheon, and Good Citizen Awards. To help increase student achievement, a math lab was added to provide extra support to all students in first through fifth grades.

Assistance in reaching these goals has also been provided by using Title 1 funds to hire teachers in order to maintain small class sizes, providing professional development for teachers through conferences, workshops, and literature, and enhancing parent involvement through such activities.

### **Report Card Information**

The Absolute Rating and Improvement rating for Redcliffe Elementary School compared to elementary schools with students like ours is AVERAGE.

Redcliffe Elementary School received 81.6 overall weighted points which results in a grade conversion of a B with the new matrix used in South Carolina. Redcliffe's performance based on this information exceeded the state's expectations on PASS.

### What Redcliffe is doing to Improve academic achievement:

- Fully implementing the Common Core State Standards in reading and math
- Before and after school tutoring
- Staff development on early release days
- Compass Learning Software Program
- Reading Interventionist to address student weaknesses
- Vertical and horizontal team planning
- Leadership Team Meetings
- Planning Data-Driven Instruction using MAP and Dominie data

## Redcliffe Elementary

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### Title 1 School

...Where grade level teams have daily common planning which promotes a collegial environment

...Where at-risk students benefit from individual or small group intensive reading instruction from our team of reading interventionists

...Where at-risk students are supported in math through the Compass Learning program and small group math instruction provided by teachers

#### **Mission Statement**

Redcliffe Elementary School, in partnership with students, parents, and community members, is dedicated to building a solid foundation while developing responsible citizens to function and successfully contribute to others in today's society.