

Recognitions

**2014 Report Card*

Good (Absolute) At Risk (Growth)

** FSEA Rating*

2012 (A) 2013 (A) 2014(A)

**Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)*

2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011

**SC EOC Achievement Gap*

2004 2005 2006 2007 2008

**Palmetto Silver Award*

2004-2005 2005-2006 2011-2012

**National Board Certified Teachers*

D. Ard, W. Cribb, R. Moore,

D. Owens, T. Port, & J. West

**Teacher of the Year*

Anthony Poston

**PHES Staff Person of the Year*

Linda Marsh

**Volunteer of the Year*

Marsha Williams

MISSION

The mission of Pleasant Hill Elementary School is to develop competent, confident, and responsible students by providing a diverse learning environment where staff, parents, and community work together to ensure success for every child.



Pleasant Hill Elementary



Enrichment

**Spelling Bee *Geography Bee*

**National Science Olympiad * PHES-TV*

**Field Day *Harvest Festival*

**Field Trips *Academic Team * Lego Club*

**Accelerated Reader & Math Program*

**March of Dimes *United Way*

**Volunteer Program *100 Book Challenge*

**Monthly Birthday Celebrations*

**On-Site Tutoring *Parent Involvement Night*

**Grandparent Appreciation Breakfast *NYLC*

**First Tee Character Program * Parenting Room*

** Incentive Program * March of Dimes*

**Family Science & Technology Night*

**Family Literacy Night *Universal Breakfast*

**Honor Roll Celebrations*

**Student Council *Soil Conservation Contest*

**Awards Ceremony * Art Club*

** National Career Development Poster/Poetry*

** DUKE T.I.P. Program * Trunk of Treats*

**Perfect Attendance Recognition*

**JrNYLC * Family Math Night * Technology Fair*

SIC MEMBERS

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Report to the People

This report is to share the challenges and successes of our school, students, parents, and teachers for the current school year.

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"High Expectations For All"

W. Teddy Graham, Principal

SCHOOL RENEWAL GOALS

Goal: Academic Improvement in Math

Supporting Activities:

- Incorporate differentiated instructional strategies and hands-on learning activities
- Continue Aleks Math in grades 3-5.
- Provide MAP testing and MAP focus instruction to identify and meet individual student needs.
- Increase the number of classrooms with Promethean Boards.
- Provide a Tutoring Program to assist struggling students in grades K-5.

Goal: Academic Improvement in Social Studies

Supporting Activities:

- Plan grade level field studies for all students with community resources.
- Integrate in-house field trips in social studies units using technology including the Tanberg System.
- Provide multi-cultural instructional activities.
- Use thematic social studies novels to assist in teaching the curriculum.
- Provide instructional activities to supplement constitutionally mandated days (Constitution Day, Veterans Day, and South Carolina Day).

Goal: Academic improvement in Science

Supporting Activities:

- Continue to use AIMS (Activities Integrating Math and Science) and FOSS Kits.
- Continue to provide educational field studies to supplement science (Hobcaw, S.C. Aquarium, Botanical/Zoological parks, *S.C. Children's Museum, Oceanic Excursions, and High Touch-High Tech).
- Conduct a science fair for grades 3-5.

Goal: Improve School climate

Supporting Activities:

- Provide programs emphasizing self-esteem, character building, and citizenship
- Provide incentives to promote positive student behavior.
- Implement Student Council for grades 3-5.
- Improve Playgrounds
- Improve Safety-Entrance Hardening

Map Scores 2014-2015

The data below represents Fall to Winter Growth

GRADE	Fall Reading ≥50%	Winter Reading ≥50%
K	Did Not Test	30%
1st Grade	54%	45%
2nd Grade	61%	59%
3rd Grade	54%	52%
4th Grade	54%	53%
5th Grade	63%	64%

GRADE	Fall Math ≥50%	Winter ≥50%
K	Did Not Test	37%
1st Grade	43%	42%
2nd Grade	55%	66%
3rd Grade	40%	53%
4th Grade	50%	50%
5th Grade	50%	60%

SCHOOL RENEWAL GOALS

Goal: Academic Improvement in ELA

Supporting Activities:

- Continue the 100 book challenge Reading Program.
- Continue the STAR Reading Program-a computer based reading program.
- Continue to incorporate critical and creative thinking.
- Continue to implement monthly constructive response writings.
- Continue to implement non-fiction writings across content and grade levels.
- Reduce class sizes.
- Continue to utilize the Writing Lab.
- Provide MAP testing and MAP focus instruction to identify and meet individual student needs.
- Provide tutorial services for at-risk students K-5..
- Continue with Daily Oral Language.
- Continue and expand Accelerated Reader Program.
- Continue William and Mary curriculum in Gifted and Talented classes.

Goal: Improve school-home relations

Supporting Activities:

- Provide family oriented learning and social activities (Family Literacy Night, Math & Science Night, Open House, Parent/Grandparents Appreciation Night, etc.).
- Parents will be informed of rules and guidelines, events, and students progress by school newsletters, Friday folders, mandatory report card conferences, agendas, and student handbooks.
- Teachers and administrators will send home notes recognizing positive behavior and achievement.
- Provide a Parenting Room with computer & printer access, project center, listening center, and a poster printer.

Staff Development Focus

- Science with Dee Marshall
- Technology Integration with Marc Frechette
- High Progress Learning Environment with Jennifer Young
- Math-Common Core State Standards with Sandra Goff
- My Math Training
- Running Records Training with Patricia Hyman
- Predictable Structures - The Daily 5
- Safety - Emergency/Crisis Response Training