#### 2012 PASS Data

% Met or Above

#### ELA/Research

3rd—81.6 %

4th—76.1%

5th—72.4%

#### **Math**

3rd—74.6 %

4th—66.4 %

5th—65.5 %

#### **Science**

3rd—66.7%	Only 5th Graders
4th—55.8%	were assessed in
4u1—33.0%	Writing in Spring
5th—55.2%	2012. Our 5th grad-
	ers did very well.
Social Studies	Almost 75% scored
	Met or Exemplary!
3rd—64.9%	
4th—70.8%	
5th—58.6%	

Not all 3rd and 5th Graders are tested in Science and Social Studies.

#### Our Outstanding Features

Character First programs
BEACH (Broad Educational and Creative Happenings)

Red Ribbon Week

Learning Specialist and Curriculum Coach

Computer Technology Lab

Parenting Program

Programs for Children with Special Needs

Kensington Reading Buddies

Caught Being Good Incentive Program

Volunteer Program/PTA

Live Morning Announcements

Mentors

Spring Fling

Language Arts and Math Enrichment Groups

"Touching Lives of Children" Program

5th Grade Leadership Building Program

#### **Extra-Curricular Involvement**

YMCA ~ Academic Fair

Kiwanis K-Kids ~ Good News Club

Student Leadership Council ~ Art Club

Carolina Misses Baton Club

#### **Our Business Partners**

International Paper Co. ~ Georgetown Breakfast Rotary

Wal-Mart Super Center ~ Chick-fil-A

Pawleys Island Kiwanis Club

Georgetown Kraft Credit Union

In 2012-13, the Kensington Staff was awarded over \$22,000 in grants! Way to go!

Message from SIC Chairperson

The School Improvement Council at Kensington Elementary School has been in a transitional period. This year we have maintained our traditional programs and begun to look at data from various sources to develop our next initiatives. With the assistance of the school administration, we have strategically outlined a formal presentation that will be shared with all stakeholders in the Fall of 2013. The SIC believes that fulfilling the school's mission will take the input and involvement of everyone. We are looking forward to sharing our concepts with you as we chart the course for what will be a successful voyage in advancing student achievement.

Mandy Scogin, Chair

#### 2012-13 School Improvement Council

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#### \*BELIEFS\*

All students can learn.

Students need to demonstrate their understanding of essential knowledge and skills, as well as, be actively involved in solving problems and producing quality work.

Students learn in different ways and should be provided with a variety of instructional approaches to support their learning.

High expectations increase individual student performance.

Each student is a valued individual with unique physical, social, emotional and intellectual needs.

Assessments of student learning should provide students with a variety of opportunities to demonstrate their achievement of the expectations for their learning.

Exceptional students (e.g., special education, limited English proficiency, gifted and talented, etc.) require special services and resources.

A safe and physically comfortable environment promotes student learning.

Teachers, administrators, parents, students, and the community share the responsibility for advancing the school's mission.

The commitment to continuous improvement is imperative if our school is going to enable students to become confident, self-directed, lifelong learners.

#### \*MISSION STATEMENT\*

The mission statement of Kensington Elementary School is to help all children achieve their maximum potential within a comprehensive, nurturing, learning environment so that they may become caring, responsible citizens as well as lifelong learners.



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