

School Achievements

Mrs. Berg received a grant from the North Augusta Cultural Arts Council; **Mrs. Spieker** received an SRNS Innovative Teaching Mini Grant; and a SRR STAR Grant. **Mr. Holcomb** was Mossy Creek's Teacher of the Year **Mrs. Bush** was Mossy Creek's Employee of the Year.

Katie Beth Cannon, Andrew Towner, and Shelby Watkins scored a perfect score on one component of the PASS 2014 Test. Celebration of Character Winners is **Lillie Parrish, Mason Trent, ShAliyah Bell, Hayden Owen, Reagan Harley, Blake Dominey, Miranda Tamlyn and Andrew Towner.**

Students **Katie Beth Cannon, Cara Allen, Avari Walker and Zoey Owens**, qualified for the Gateway Program; **Joseph Puetz** won 1st place in the Mossy Creek Spelling Bee. **28 students** qualified for Duke TIP program.

We are proud of our staff and our students for these outstanding accomplishments!

Mossy Creek Elementary School SIC Members

Chair: Theresa Spieker, Teacher
Vice Chair: Richard Jackson, Teacher
Secretary: Heather Curry, Teacher

Lisa Hill, Parent
Nathan Parks, Parent
Joe Pack, Community
Heath Hill, Parent
Amy Duvall, Teacher
Stephanie Hammond, Principal

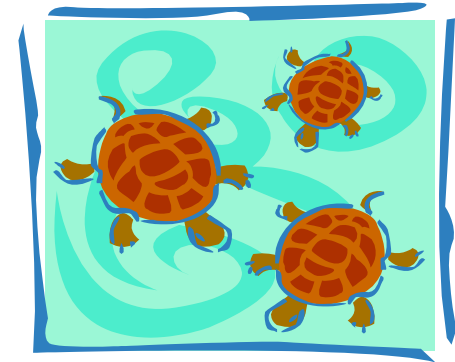
Purpose of the Report

This Report is issued by the Mossy Creek School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

Mossy Creek Elementary School Title I School

Motivating Children Every Day

Annual School Improvement Council Report to the Parents 2014-2015



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The mission of Mossy Creek Elementary School is to give all students a quality education by focusing on student learning and standards based activities to prepare them to become productive citizens and lifelong learners.

SIC Annual Goals

1. By Spring 2015, 88.6% of students in ELA and 74.4% of students in Math will score at Met or Exemplary level on state testing.

Data Teams continue to analyze student data and best practices teaching to improve student achievement. A morning Compass Learning program and a Math Intervention program were implemented. Improvement was shown in MAPS tests and some progress was made in achieving PASS goals.

2. By Spring 2015, 100% of Mossy Creek teachers will maintain highly qualified status.

Staff development was provided for full implementation of Common Core and ACPS standard. One hundred percent of Mossy Creek’s teachers are highly qualified.

3. By Spring 2015, 89% of stakeholders will indicate satisfaction with the learning environment, social and physical environment, and school-home relations as measured by the state report card.

School wide surveys were sent home to parents in the spring of 2014 to measure progress. Teachers, students, and parents indicated satisfaction at the rate of 85.6%.

Student Achievement

Mossy Creek received a B Rating on the Federal Accountability Report for 2014.

Mossy Creek was rated Average both in the Absolute Rating and in the Improvement Growth Categories on the South Carolina School Report Card.

Mossy Creek students continue to show gains in all administrations of the MAPS tests. Every grade experienced a score gain in the Winter Administration.

Mossy Creek 2014 PASS Data:

<u>ELA</u>	<u>Mossy Creek</u>	<u>District</u>
3 rd	77	78.7
4 th	77.2	74.5
5 th	78.9	76.8

<u>Math</u>	<u>Mossy Creek</u>	<u>District</u>
3 rd	76.1	69.9
4 th	67.3	73.2
5 th	77.8	71.2

<u>Science</u>	<u>Mossy Creek</u>	<u>District</u>
3 rd	50.9	55
4 th	54.5	62.6
5 th	56.8	58.3

<u>Social Studies</u>	<u>Mossy Creek</u>	<u>District</u>
3 rd	63	77
4 th	78.2	79.5
5 th	56.8	62.9

<u>Writing</u>	<u>Mossy Creek</u>	<u>District</u>
3 rd	77.5	78.2
4 th	78.6	74.7
5 th	78	78.2

Additional Information

The Mossy Creek Turtles have been very busy this year. Focusing around the school theme of *Dream More, Learn More, Become More*, and our students have participated in a variety of activities including but not limited to Kindness Week, Character Education, Bridge Builders, Student Protection Committee, Student of the Month, Weekly Star Turtle Postcards, Nine Week Ribbon Ceremony, Brag Time Bulletin Board and Timely Turtles. They have also been involved in a variety of clubs such as Chorus, Student Council, Safety Patrol, Prime Time, WCRK News, Running Club, Art Club, Jr. Jazzercise, Good News Club, and Pep Squad and Tidy Turtles. They have served our community through Toys for Tots, Jump Rope for Heart, Red Ribbon Week, Canned Food Drives, Relay for Life, the Be a Bunny Program, March on for Veterans, the Veterans Day Program, and the Black History Program. They have expanded their knowledge through programs such as the Spelling Bee, Science Day, DARE, the Principal’s Writing Wall of Fame, the incentive Wall for MAPS, the Reading Challenge, and Multiplication Masters for 3rd through 5th grades, and Grade Level Field Trips. Mossy Creek’s SIC established a Parent Writing Wall. Guidance has implemented Two Hour Power Volunteer Program in order for parents to become involved in all of our activities as well. A Morale Booster program was implemented for faculty and Staff.

These activities, along with so many more opportunities, help our students to satisfy the vision of Mossy Creek Elementary, a school that:

- Motivates students to become lifelong learners.
- Challenges students to reach their highest potential.
- Engages all students.
- Serves as a center of excellence.

We believe in our students and each other, a combination for success and achievement inside and outside of the classroom!