

Achievements and Awards

2010-2011	Carolina First Palmetto's Finest Award
2010-2011	Palmetto Gold Award
2010-2011	Safe Kids Award
2010-2011	100% PTA Membership, 30 Years
2010-2013	South Carolina Red Carpet Award
2009-2010	Palmetto Gold Award
2009-2010	Greenville County Attendance Blitz Award
2009-2010	Safe Kids Award
2009-2010	Greenville County <i>Best of the Web</i> Silver Award
2007-2010	National PTA School of Excellence for Parent Involvement Award
2005-2006	Palmetto Silver Award
2005-2008	South Carolina Red Carpet Award



SIC Members 2010-2011

Elected	Holly Betsill, <i>teacher</i> Barbara Douglas, <i>teacher</i> Kristy Harmon, <i>teacher</i> Guy Furay, <i>parent</i> Mary Kuiper, <i>parent</i> Jenny Schuliger, <i>parent</i> Kerrie Soncrant, <i>parent</i>
Appointed	Jill Blume, <i>SIC Chair</i> Christy Breazeale, <i>community</i> Eddie Teodosio, <i>community</i>
Ex-Officio	Brenda Byrd, <i>Principal</i> Susan Skelton, <i>Asst. Principal</i> Dr. Molly Smith, <i>Asst. Principal</i> Cindy Stier, <i>Instruct. Coach</i> Kara Wheeler, <i>PTA Rep.</i> Kristen Ambrose, <i>PTA Rep.</i> Wendy Pavia, <i>past SIC chair</i>



Purpose

"This Report is issued by the Bethel Elementary 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."

BETHEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



ANNUAL S.I.C. REPORT TO THE PARENTS 2010-2011

CAROLINA FIRST PALMETTO'S FINEST Award Winner



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2010 PASS Scores

MATH

	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
3 rd	22.4	29.1	48.5
4 th	11	34	55
5 th	13	35.9	51

ENGLISH / LANGUAGE ARTS

	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
3 rd	9.7	20	70.3
4 th	7.7	34.4	57.9
5 th	13	32.3	54.7

WRITING

	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
3 rd	16	30.1	54
4 th	17.9	34.8	47.3
5 th	14.8	24.9	60.3

SCIENCE

	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
3 rd	28.4	35.8	35.8
4 th	10	52.6	37.3
5 th	14.7	53.7	31.6

SOCIAL STUDIES

	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
3 rd	13.4	42.7	43.9
4 th	9.1	44.5	46.4
5 th	20.2	52.1	27.7

* PASS scores shown in percentages.

Bethel Profile

Principal	Brenda Byrd
Asst. Principals	Susan Skelton Dr. Molly Smith
Grades	K5 – 5th grade
Enrollment	1,032 students
Teachers	65
School Colors	Red and White
Mascot	Cardinal
Motto	Bethel . . . Alive with Learning

Our Mission

The mission of Bethel Elementary School is to educate children in a nurturing environment, which encourages them to be productive citizens.



Outstanding Features of Bethel

- Auditioned Chorus (4th, 5th)
- *Bethel Bulletin* Quarterly Publication
- Bethel Carnival and Silent Auction
- *Calendar News* Monthly Publication
- Cardinal News TV Broadcast
- Challenge Program (Gifted & Talented)
- Character Education Program
- Clubs (all 3rd, 4th, 5th grade students)
- Computer Aided Instruction, *CompassLearning*
- Continuous Quality Improvement
- Grade Level Fieldtrips
 - 3rd – Columbia, SC
 - 4th – Camp Greenville, Charleston
 - 5th – Washington, D.C.
- Immigration Day
- Junior Achievement
- Junior Beta Club
- Lunch & Learn Parenting Programs
- Meet the Teacher Night
- Multiage Classes
 - Primary – 1st-2nd
 - Intermediate – 3rd-4th
- Nationally Board Certified Teachers (7)
- Response to Intervention Program – Rtl (K5, 1st)
- Spring Picnic
- Sunshine Math
- Wee Deliver Mail System
- Weekly E-Newsletter Update (upcoming week's news)