# Simpsonville Elementary School Test Results 2015

### **ACT Performance**

Math	Reading	English	Writing
61%	42%	77%	13%

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages reflect the total number of students meeting or exceeding proficient status on the ACT assessment. Students in grades 3-5 were tested on ACT.

#### **PASS Performance**

Science	Social Studies
73%	88%

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages reflect the total number of students meeting or exceeding proficient status on the PASS assessment. Students in grades 4 & 5 were tested on PASS.

## **MAP Performance**

Math	Reading
57%	62%



# 2014\* Report Card Ratings:

\*Based on state law, schools will not be rated for state accountability purposes until Fall 2017.

**Absolute Rating: Excellent** 

Improvement Rating: Good

Federal Rating: A

## **Palmetto Gold Award Winning School**

# SIMPSONVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROFILE

# of Students 805

Teachers with Advanced Degrees: 51%

Student/Teacher Ratio: 21.3 to 1



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SC Department of Education:

http://ed.sc.gov/

# Simpsonville Elementary School at Morton Place

Academics + Fitness "Seal" Our Success



# Report to the Community 2015-2016 Summary Report

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## **OUR VISION**

The vision of Simpsonville Elementary stems from a child-centered focus on improving the curriculum, instruction, assessment and environmental factors that support effective learning for our students.

## **OUR MISSION**

The mission of Simpsonville Elementary is to prepare students to be productive, respectful and responsible.

**Look inside** for details about our Goals, Accomplishments, Activities, and Achievements.

# Simpsonville Goals for 2015–2016 Goal #1:

Raise the academic challenge and performance of each student. Increase the percentage of students scoring proficient and above on PASS by 5% each year in English/Language Arts and Mathematics Goal#2:

Provide core content teachers with professional development activities so that our ELA and Mathematics goals for student achievement will be reached by 2013.

#### Goal #3:

Improve public understanding and support of our school.

#### Achievements/ Awards

2013 SC Overall Performance Award
2010 South Carolina Red Carpet School
Alliance for Quality Education Grants
CATCH School (Coordinated Approach to Child Health)
District & State School Nurse of the Year 2012
Donors Choose Grants
First school in South Carolina to raise over \$100,000
for Jump Rope for Heart (24-year total over \$189,000)
National Board Certified Teachers
Milken National Educator
Palmetto Gold & Silver Award Winner
Project Fit America Grant Recipient
Safe Kids School Award
Top Ten District Teacher of the Year 2009-2010



#### Activities/Features/Programs

Academic Awards Celebrations After School Day Care Program

Book Fair

Computers in each classroom

Challenge Program (Gifted and Talented)

Chorus

Community Service Projects

Computer Lab (plus two laptop carts)

Culinary Lunch Program

Early Intervention Reading for 5K and 2nd grade

Excellent Volunteer Program

Excellent Business and Community Support

Family Reading Night

Fountas & Pinnell Reading Program

Good News Club

Great Math Race (School-wide Math Facts Contest)

**Guidance Services** 

Hispanic Family Nights

Internet Access in all rooms (wireless)

Jump Rope for Heart

Junior Achievement

Larson's Morning Math

Mentoring and Tutoring

Multi-media Technology Center

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Pre-School Speech Program

Project Fit America Program

Promethean Boards in each classroom

Reading Counts Incentive Program

Safe Kids Night

Safety Patrol

Science Lab

SEAL-O-GRAM, school newsletter

SEEDS, Literature Enrichment

SES News -Morning News Show

Special Education: Resource, Speech, LD & ED

Spring Carnival

Student Council

# SIMPSONVILLE ELEMENTARY: WHERE ARE WE GOING FROM HERE

The PTA and SIC (School Improvement Council), as well as parent and community volunteers have contributed to the school, meeting many goals as it has expanded its programs over the last few years. Volunteers contribute their time in the classroom, in before-school programs, and at special events.

Raising student academic achievement is a top priority. We identify students needing extra assistance in reading in the early grades and provide a small group tutorial program, called RTI. We also provide a before-school computer based math program, called Larson's Math, for older students. This program is supported by our local volunteers who faithfully run the lab each morning.

Our school will continue to identify educational needs and work constantly toward improving the educational opportunities offered. Through the dedication and high expectations of the administration, faculty, staff, and families, the Simpsonville Elementary School community can expect continued academic and instructional growth of students. Students have shown growth each year for the past 5 years on state-wide testing. Members of the community are invited to take an active role in our educational program.

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