### Achievements & Awards

- 1999 Palmetto's Finest
- 2001 & 2006 National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- 14 National Board Certified Teachers
- Accredited by AdvancED
- 2002 & 2007 National PTA School of Excellence
- 2001-2016 Palmetto Gold Award
- 2010 & 2012 Palmetto Silver Award for Closing the Achievement Gap
- 2013 Palmetto Gold Award for Closing the Achievement Gap
- 2001 S.C. Red Carpet School
- 2006-2016 Safe Kids School
- 2003-2009 S.C. Showcase School Award
- 2004 State FLL Robotics Championship
- 2006 State FLL Robotics Championship
- 2005/2006 S.C. Recycling School of the Year
- 2009 Champions of the Environment
- Sea World/Busch Gardens/Fuji Film Environmental School of Excellence
- South Carolina School of Promise
- 2007 & 2015 S.C. PTA Volunteer of the Year
- 2007-2010 Webmaster's Choice Gold Award
- 2011, 2013, 2014 S.C. PTA Award of Excellence in Family & Community Involvement
- 2013-2016 S.C. PTA Award of Excellence in Enrichment Programs
- 2013 GCS Safety Award
- 2013 Outstanding School Recycling Program
- 2013 2016 LiveWell Greenville Healthy School Award
- 2008-2014 Green Steps School
- 2014 S.C. PTA Outstanding Service by Local Unit
- 2016 S.C. PTA Teacher of the Year





# Oakview Elementary School Improvement Council Members

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#### **Purpose of the Report**

This Report is issued by the Oakview Elementary School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives in the school's Strategic Plan.



Oakview Elementary School "A Habitat for Learning"



# Annual Report to the Community 2015-2016



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### Greenville County Schools Education Plan Goals:

- 1. Raise the academic challenge and performance of each student.
- 2. Ensure quality personnel in all positions.
- 3. Provide a school environment supportive of learning.
- 4. Effectively manage/further develop necessary financial resources.
- 5. Improve public understanding and support of public school.

## **Mission Statement**

The mission of Oakview Elementary School, in cooperation with the home and the community, is to prepare students for responsible citizenship, lifelong learning, and productive employment by:

Opening opportunities for all students, Accepting individual differences, Keeping a smile on our faces, Varying teaching techniques, Identifying and addressing strengths/weaknesses, and Engaging students in meaningful learning activities while Working as a team.



# \*Student Achievement

Absolute Rating: Excellent Improvement Rating: Good Federal Accountability Grade: A

\*Ratings reflect the 2013-2014 school year as South Carolina transitions to a new accountability system. For more information, view Oakview Elementary School's S.C. School Report Card online at <u>www.ed.sc.gov</u>."



# Outstanding Features & Programs

- African Drum Club
- Archery Instruction
- Artists in Residence
- Author Visits
- Barrier Island Overnight Field Trip
- Basketball Club
- Biltmore House Field Trip
- Charleston Historical Field Trip
- Chess Club
- Chorus
- Columbia State House and Museum Field Trip
- Cultural Arts Festival
- Drama Team "Oakview Players"
- Earth Savers Club
- Extended Day Program
- "Family Math, Science, and Technology Night"
- "First Tee" Golf Instruction
- "Footsteps to First Grade" Summer Readiness
- "Fossil Fun Day"
- Garden Club
- Gifted Education Program
- Girls on the Run
- "Grandparents Day"
- Greenville Tech Architectural Partnership
- Healthy Cafeteria Menu
- "Hootenanny" Fall Festival
- International Club
- Lego Robotics
- Library Cadets
- "Life Is a Highway" Character Education
- Morning Computer Club
- Morning Mentors
- National Geography Bee
- "Owl News Network" (ONN) Show
- "Owlet" Online Student Newspaper
- Reading Intervention (K5-2nd)
- Safety Patrols
- Science Fair
- Sculpture Club
- Sign Language Club
- Student Council
- Ukulele Club
- Virtual Field Trips Around the World
- Volleyball Club