



State Accreditation
 SC Department of Education
 2011-2012 Palmetto Silver
 Award Winner in the area of
 general performance

Highly qualified teachers and staff

United Way's Caring Cup winner for
 charitable donations 2011-2012

"Talkin' Trash" Recycling Program

Gifted & Talented Program as well as
 In-school Tutoring

MAP Testing administered three times per
 year to help measure students general
 knowledge and progress

Mentoring Program through Coastal
 Carolina University for several students

PBIS School

School Safety & Crisis Management Plan

Numerous Title One and Family
 Resource Workshops and many Special
 Events, for example: Homewood in the
 Community, Butterfly Kisses Dance,
 Preschool Story Time, Title I Information/
 VIP, and more!

Title One Sponsored Reading Events such
 as: Snowflakes, Poetry Café, Teddy
 Bear Tea, Family Reading Night

Title One Community Health, Safety and
 Awareness Fair

After school tutoring—3rd grade

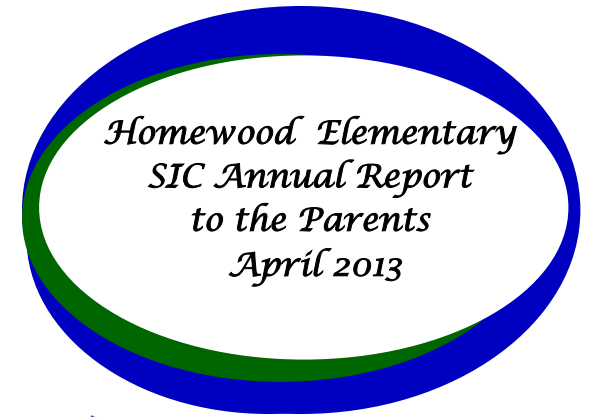
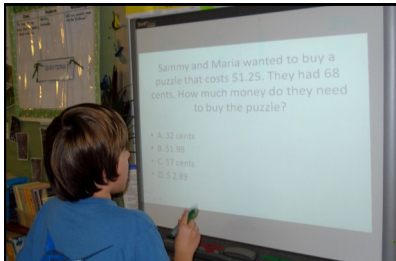
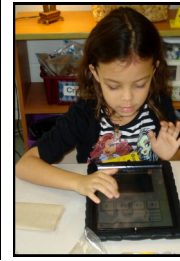
After school care program (Kid Power)
 2:25-6:00pm

CCU Athletes Kindergarten Reading
 Program

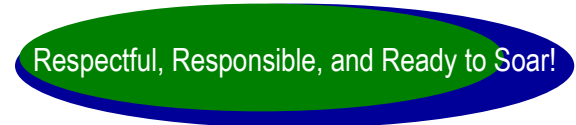
K-Kids Club (a Kiwanis Civic Service
 Organization), Robotics Team, News
 Crew, Drama Club,
 Chorus, Selectones

Good News Club (a
 Bible Study Club) 2:30 -
 3:00 pm each Thursday

Special Library Events:
 Reading Rodeo, Book
 Fairs, and more!



*Homewood Elementary
 SIC Annual Report
 to the Parents
 April 2013*



Respectful, Responsible, and Ready to Soar!

School Mascot: Eagle ~ School Colors: Blue & Green

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Our School Mission

The mission of Homewood Elementary School, in partnership with its children, families and educational stakeholders, is to ensure our children receive personalized learning experiences by providing quality instruction to prepare them to meet the challenges in life in a safe, orderly and nurturing learning environment.



Dear Parents,

The School Improvement Council (SIC) serves as an advisory committee to the school principal and faculty. Unlike PTO and other voluntary organizations, SICs are mandated by law to exist in every public school in South Carolina. SICs play a key role in the education of children, bringing together parents, educators and community stakeholders to consider avenues and methods of improvement in local schools. SICs work collaboratively with the school to develop the five-year Strategic Plan.

Homewood Elementary's SIC is pleased to present to you our 2011-2012 School Summary Report. This report highlights our grades 3 - 5 students' progress on PASS, as well as the academic achievement of students in grades K - 2. We have gathered MAP test and other data, studied results, consulted with teachers, parents, and students, and monitored progress throughout the year in order to determine areas in need of improvement. Parental involvement is strongly encouraged and viewed as a significant factor in the success of our students. We welcome you to join us and become active in your child's education and school!

Sincerely,

Penny Foye - Principal

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| Jessica Loudin, Chairman | Jeannine Penn |
| LaTanya Bellamy | Adrian Robertson |
| Aaron Butler | Marsha Smith |
| Larry Deeds | Colleen Stalvey |
| Cassandra Johnson | Lasheka Walker |
| Julia Long | Brandy Watts |
| Sherry McCracken | Wendy Wilson |
| Regina Mertens | |

PASS Results 2011-2012

PASS ELA

3rd grade— 65.7% met & above, 36.4% exemplary

4th grade— 63.4% met & above, 22.3% exemplary

5th grade— 63.2% met & above, 19.2% exemplary

PASS MATH

3rd grade— 60.6% met & above, 31.3% exemplary

4th grade— 72.2% met & above, 24.4% exemplary

5th grade— 62.4% met & above, 20.2% exemplary

PASS Science

3rd grade— 46.9% met & above, 12.2% exemplary

4th grade— 57.7% met & above, 5.6% exemplary

5th grade— 58.5% met & above, 13.2% exemplary

PASS Social Studies

3rd grade— 57.5% met & above, 21.3% exemplary

4th grade— 73.3% met & above, 19.1% exemplary

5th grade— 44.3% met & above, 13.5% exemplary

PASS Writing

5th grade 50% met & above, 14% exemplary

K- 2 TEST DATA

K – 91% of students met reading standards

1st – 70% met reading standards

2nd – 85%met reading standards for the school year

HWE's Twitter - www.twitter.com/Homewood_Elem
Homewood Elementary is on Facebook

Eagle Pride!

Homewood received a 73.2% with an overall grade of C on the Federal Accountability Rating System for the 2011-12 school year.

Our annual Veteran's Day Celebration was very special and well attended by the Homewood community.

Our Thanksgiving, Spanish Heritage and Multi-Cultural Day Luncheons were a great success and enjoyed tremendously by all.

Mrs. Wendy Wilson, 2nd grade teacher, was honored as Homewood's Teacher of the Year.

Mrs. Kathy O'Connor, secretary, was honored as Homewood's Support Staff of the Year.

Zavion Johnson was selected as Homewood's HTC Reel Kids winner.

Emily Williams was HWE's Spelling Bee Winner, and Jayla Dewitt was first runner-up.

Our Canned Food Drive for C.A.P.S. and Helping Hands netted 1800+ non-perishable items!

Our Angel Tree helped many students and families have a much brighter Christmas.

The Compassion Project benefitted many residents of a community nursing home.

Students and staff raised money for the United Way with a Biggest Baby contest. Fourth grade teacher, Lisa Lilly, won this honor.

Students and staff also participated in community service projects: Jump Rope for Heart, Pennies for Patients, Pop Tabs for Shriners, Cards for Agape Senior Center, Shepard's Table, Mercy Hospice Animal Program, Reindeer Run, and others.

The "Selectones Band" performed at events and are truly outstanding young musicians.

Our robotics team participated in HCS District's Technology Fair.