Our Mission, Vision, & Beliefs:

LME is Anchored in Leadership and Anchored in Learning

21st Century Skills

Leadership Model

We engage in high quality 21st century teaching and learning. We practice leadership and citizenship in a global context.

Vision:

Through a culture of collaboration, LME students will be self-directed, global citizens who lead and learn with excellence in the 21st century.

Rigor & Relevance

We aspire to the highest level of excellence in learning and in teaching by making decisions based on what is best for each child.

Professional Learning Community We invest in relationships, support collaboration, and celebrate success.

What a wonderful year at Lake Murray Elementary School! We have had many exciting things taking place including having two schools on one campus until January 2011. Through this realignment of our school, we have revised our mission, vision, and beliefs. We have also rededicated ourselves the best practices that will encourage students to be self-directed learners. We are developing a leadership model that will prepare students with the basic principles to carry them through their educational journey and prepare them to be 21st Century Global Citizens.

LME Highlights

2001-2011 Red Carpet Winner

2010 Palmetto Gold Winner

Foreign Language • ABC Garden • Safety Leaders • Recycling • Change Agents • Wetlands Area • Peer Helpers • Leadership Model Based on 7 Habits • Nature Trail • Student Council • LMES Live

Administration:

Devona Price, Principal

Denise McCray, Administrative Assistant

Tim Livingston, Assistant Principal



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SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO THE PARENTS 2010-2011

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LMES School Improvement Council 2010-2011

The purpose of the LMES School Improvement Council is to serve as an advisory committee to our school. School Improvement Councils are mandated by law to exist in every public school in South Carolina. Our council plays a key role in the education of our children, bringing together parents, educators and community stakeholders to work together to improve Lake Murray.

Our 2010-2011 School Improvement Council Members are:

Ed Pearce	Debbra Capko		
SIC Chairperson	Parent Elected		
Janice Putman	Steve Booth		
Parent Elected	Community Member		
Keith Dooley	Devona Price		
Community Member	Principal, Ex-Officio		
Tim Livingston	Denise McCray		
Assistant Principal, Ex-Officio	Administrative Assistant, Ex-Officio		
Mark Garner	Debbie Carroll		

Teacher Representative

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A BUSY YEAR

Salute the Troops Care Packages – created care packages to send to our troops

PattyPacks— created special packages for families of children with congestive heart failure.

Relay for Life– raised money for the American Cancer Society through various events

American Education Week Food Drive-

Students collected canned food items to donate to our local food bank.

Jump Rope for Heart– Students promoted healthy lifestyles while raising money for the American Heart Association.

Family Reading Night— celebration of reading throughout the school with a "Heroic" theme

Family Math Night– Families participated in Math Games to extend our new Everyday math program



Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)

Aligned to the state academic standards, these assessments include writing, English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies. The table below shows the percentage of Lake Murray Elementary students who scored Met or Exemplary for the 2009-2010 school year.

	ELA	Writing	Math	Social Studies	Science
3rd grade	95.4%	86.9%	84.1%	92.8%	82.7%
4th grade	90%	88.8%	95.3%	95.3%	92.9%
5th grade	88.1%	87.6%	85.8%	85.4%	83.9%

Our Goals

- ⇒ Increase student achievement
- \Rightarrow Develop self-directed student leaders
- ⇒ Provide high-quality instruction that is rigorous and has real-world application
- \Rightarrow Foster a community of collaboration
- \Rightarrow Develop a leadership model to challenge students to be 21st Century Global Learners