



**Office Staff:**

- Donna Goodwin: Principal
- Dawn Blaum: Assistant Principal
- Linda Kirkland: Secretary
- Janice Jones: Receptionist
- Catherine MacIlwain: School Counselor
- Rachel Cain: School Nurse

**School Hours:**

- Doors Open: 7:15 a.m.
- Tardy Bell: 7:50
- Dismissal 2:35

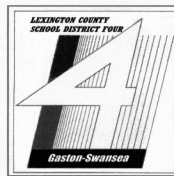
**PAW PROMISE**

- We Care About Ourselves
- We Care About Others
- We Care About Our Things
- We Care About Learning

**Cubby Cubs Care**



**Our Teacher of the Year!  
Ms. Angela Williams**



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Sandhills Primary School



Cubby Cub Cares!

**Home of the  
Cubs**

**Welcome to  
our School!**

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VISION

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**It's all about students,  
families and teachers  
working together!**

**Lexington School District Four**

## THE Summer Reading SLIDE!!



Based on research, we know that student who do not read over the summer can lose at least 3 months reading progress!

As a strategy to help prevent the Summer SLIDE, we are planning a Family Literacy night for our May PTO. Students will receive a selection of books to take home to read over the summer. Parents will be provided strategies to promote successful summer reading.

*"The more you read, the more things you will know.  
The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."*

- Dr. Seuss,  
I Can Read With My Eyes Shut!



## Sandhills Primary... Strong on Parent Choice

Parents are offered a choice of two methods of instruction.

👉 High Progress Literacy Classrooms in 1st & 2nd Grades

👉 Montessori Method Multi-age curriculum

### Student Support Services

We have embedded a system for teachers to provide support for students not meeting grade level expectations.

**Classroom-Based Intervention**  
Teachers work with small groups of students based on their individual needs.

**Academic Interventionist**  
A staff member who works with small groups of students on very specific skill needs.

**Computer Assistance**  
Software in the classroom for instructional support.

**School Counselors**  
Ms. MacIlwinen, our school counselor, meets with both individuals and small groups of students as needs arise.



## Sandhills Primary 2011-2012 Goals

MAP Measures of Academic Progress	2010-2011 Scores Met & Above		2011-2012 Goals Met & Above
	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Reading	51%	56%
Criterion Referenced Assessment	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade math	39%	45%
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Reading	42%	48%
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Math	40%	46%



### We need your help!!

If you have some time that you could spend helping students, let us know.

Please contact us at (803) 568-1250 and we will get with you to develop a schedule that will work for you.



As a parent or guardian, your involvement in your child's education is the most important factor in your child's success in school.