

## Points of Pride

### Teacher of the Year

Ms. Shrhonda Hemingway, a third grade teacher, was nominated as Marion Intermediate School's Teacher of the Year for the 2017-2018 school year. Ms. Hemingway has been teaching third grade at Marion Intermediate School for six years.

### Leader In Me

Marion Intermediate School has begun the Leader in Me process. The Leader in Me is founded on world-class leadership content, including best practices in education excellence, quality management and The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People. It originated from Dr. Steven R. Covey's research regarding what makes people most effective.

### The 7 Habits Principles

#### Habit 1: Be Proactive

Responsibility, choice, accountability, initiative, resourcefulness

#### Habit 2: Begin With The End In Mind

Vision, commitment, purpose

#### Habit 3: Put First Things First

Focus, integrity, discipline, prioritization

#### Habit 4: Think Win-Win

Mutual benefit, fairness, abundance

#### Habit 5: Seek First To Understand, Then to Be Understood

Respect, mutual understanding, empathy, courage

#### Habit 6: Synergize

Creativity, Cooperation, diversity, humility

#### Habit 7: Sharpen the Saw

Renewal, continuous improvement, balance

### Partners in Education

Many businesses, organizations and individuals in and around Marion County have partnered with MIS to assist with incentives for our students and staff: We greatly appreciate your generosity and commitment.

## Enrichment

- \* Leader in Me Activities
- \* Red Ribbon Week Activities
- \* American Cancer Society Relay for Life
- \* MIS News Program
- \* Nine Weeks Awards Day Program
- \* Veterans' Day Program
- \* Grits for Grandparents
- \* February Reading Rally
- \* Doughnuts for Dad
- \* Muffins for Mom
- \* Anti-Bullying Assembly
- \* Insiders Program—Making Positive Choices
- \* Book Character Pumpkin Contest
- \* Dance Party — PBIS Incentive
- \* Ice Cream Socials — PBIS Incentive
- \* Computer Lab — Learning.com
- \* Computer Lab — Keyboarding
- \* Fall & Spring Book Fairs
- \* Career Visit to ACT — 5th Grade
- \* Field Trips
- \* Student vs. Faculty Basketball Game
- \* Schoolwide Text Dependent Analysis Writing
- \* Clemson vs. Carolina Reading Challenge
- \* Fire Prevention Puppet Show — 3rd Grade
- \* Reading Intervention
- \* Talent Show
- \* South Carolina Aquarium
- \* Pajama Day

## Marion Intermediate School

### Report To The Parents



Marion Intermediate School

Marion School District

**Melanie B. Dozier, Principal**

**Lisa Croshaw, SIC Chairperson**

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#### Direction Statement

Preparing all students to live and work effectively, responsibly and productively within our society.

#### Purpose Statement

Marion Intermediate School educates, prepares and inspires students to be productive citizens in a changing global society.

Marion Intermediate School houses third, fourth, and fifth grades. The total student population is 616.

**School Improvement Council:**

The School Improvement Council is composed of parents who are elected and teachers elected by teachers. The principal may also appoint additional representatives from the community.

**The purposes of the Council are:**

- To gain knowledge concerning the purpose and goals of the school.
- To disseminate information to other parents and citizens within the community to clarify information concerning the school programs.
- To offer for consideration to the school principal suggestions concerning program improvements with respect to students' needs and program operations within the individual school, area, or district.

**School Improvement Council Members:**

- Chairman, Lisa Croshaw (Parent)
- Vice Chairperson, Chanda Parsley (Parent)
- Secretary, Micah Redding (Teacher)
- Nikki Coleman (Parent)
- Brian Wallace (Community Member)
- Rodrick McRae (Community Member)
- Tanisha Tennie (Community Member)
- Shrhonda Hemingway (Teacher)
- Corea White (Guidance Counselor)
- Adrienne Johnson (Teacher)
- Tanya Bailey (Reading Coach)
- Melanie Dozier (Principal)
- Milton Brown (Assistant Principal)

**State Testing Data**

**MATH SCREADY 2017**

Grade Level	Does Not Meet Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations
3 <sup>rd</sup> MIS	50.7%	23.0%	19.8%	6.5%
State	22.2%	25.2%	30.9%	21.6%
4 <sup>th</sup> MIS	38.6%	30.5%	23.2%	7.7%
State	24.1%	29.5%	25.4%	21.0%
5 <sup>th</sup> MIS	44.3%	34.4%	13.5%	7.8%
State	27.9%	32.1%	20.8%	19.2%

**ELA SCREADY 2017**

Grade Level	Does Not Meet Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations
3 <sup>rd</sup> MIS	48.8%	30.0%	17.1%	4.1%
State	26.1%	31.8%	26.5%	15.6%
4 <sup>th</sup> MIS	61.4%	21.8%	14.1%	2.7%
State	29.5%	29.5%	26.8%	14.1%
5 <sup>th</sup> MIS	49.5%	33.9%	13.5%	3.1%
State	28.0%	33.7%	27.2%	11.1%

**SCPASS SCIENCE 2017**

Grade Level	Does Not Meet Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations
4 <sup>th</sup> MIS	40.2%	26.9%	20.5%	12.3%
State	23.8%	27.9%	28.1%	20.2%
5 <sup>th</sup> MIS	46.4%	25.5%	20.3%	7.8%
State	28.3%	28.5%	25.4%	20.7%

**SCPASS SOCIAL STUDIES 2017**

Grade Level	Not Met	Met	Exemplary
4 <sup>th</sup> MIS	34.5%	54.5%	10.9%
State	19.2%	52.7%	28.1%
5 <sup>th</sup> MIS	41.1%	42.2%	16.7%
State	29.1%	40.2%	30.7%

**School Demographics**

African American	Caucasian	Hispanic	Other
76%	17%	3%	3%

**2017 School Survey Results**

TOPICS	Parents	Teachers
Satisfied with learning environment	78.6%	78.5%
Satisfied with social and physical environment	78.8%	90.5%
Satisfied with school-home relations	72.4%	33.3%

**State Accountability\***

	Absolute	Growth
2014	Below Average (2.60)	Average (100.73)
2013	Below Average (2.60)	Excellent (103.05)
2012	Below Average (2.54)	Average (92.61)
2011	Below Average (2.59)	Average (92.78)

\*Based on state law, schools and districts will not be rated for state accountability purposes until Fall 2018

**PTO Officers**

- President: Carlotta Battle
- Vice President: Kathy Hall
- Secretary: Kimberly Edwards