

Parent & Community Outreach

- Power Announcement Message System
- School Interactive Website
- Monthly Calendar of Events
- Open House
- Curriculum Nights (ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies)
- Blast the PASS Night
- Community Fun Day
- PTA
- Monthly Parenting Workshops
- District-wide Parenting Day
- Black History Program
- Veteran's Day Program
- Read Across America Day
- Adopt-a-Class Church Partnership
- Home Visits
- Weekend Warriors Mentoring Program

Career & Character Education

- Career Day
- Job Shadowing
- 7th and 8th grade visits to Marlboro County High School
- Classroom Guidance lessons
- Anti-bullying
- Pennies for Patients
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Hoops for Heart
- Student Clubs
- Red Ribbon Week

Student Activities & Incentives

- Student Council
- PBIS Incentives
- CAVS Café for Accelerated Reader
- Student Clubs
- Nine Weeks' Awards Programs
- MAP cookout celebration
- PASS ice cream celebration
- Lunch with the Principal



SIC Members

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Clio Elementary Middle School

Report to the People 2012-2013



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Mission Statement:

To educate and enable all students
to achieve their highest potential.

Care, Excel, Motivate, Succeed

About Us.....

Clio Elementary Middle School is a public school serving grades Pre-k through eight. The faculty and staff are highly trained and dedicated to providing the best education to our students. Our focus this school year has been on improving classroom instruction and increasing student achievement. A strong emphasis has been on transitioning from South Carolina State Standards to Common Core Curriculum Standards. We continue to strengthen our instructional program by providing support to our teachers and partnering with parents and community members to assist our students in academics.

In an effort to accelerate the progress of students in reading and math, several programs and initiatives have been implemented. Students are motivated through the use of technology. Our pre-K and kindergarten classes participate in the HATCH program. Grades 3-8 utilize software instructional programs, such as FASTT Math, Fraction Nation, Read 180, and Accelerated Reader. In addition, we have implemented an afterschool tutorial program for all students needing additional assistance.

Teachers recognize the importance of professional growth. This year, our district has initiated early dismissal twice a month to allow teachers to attend professional development in their subject areas. Teachers are afforded the opportunity to engage in collaborative planning during common planning sessions and with other teachers across the school district.

We believe our school prioritizes education and strives to assist all students in reaching their highest potential. It is through the dedication of our teachers, support staff, students, parents and community, that we continuously progress. Although we realize there is still room for improvement, we celebrate the accomplishments we have made and the future successes to come.

Our Beliefs

- **ALL CHILDREN CAN LEARN.**
- **Each individual has unique educational and developmental needs.**
- **All children should be challenged with high expectations.**
- **Every individual needs a safe educational environment.**
- **Developing a sense of responsibility is fundamental.**
- **Mutual respect is essential for productive learning.**
- **Understanding and respecting cultural differences contribute to a better society.**
- **Cultural diversity enriches the educational experience of all students.**
- **Education is the shared responsibility of parents, students, school personnel and community.**
- **Students learn best through a variety of experiences including instruction targeting different ability levels and styles of learning, modeling, hands-on, and real life application.**
- **Children are our greatest resource and are to be valued.**
- **Quality education can prepare students for a global, technologically advancing society.**

Our Accomplishments

- 2011-12 Palmetto Gold and Silver Awards
- Two teachers received advanced degrees
- District Cleanliness Awards—April 2012, May 2012, February 2013
- Food service staff received a two-year rating of 100%
- Two students were recognized for the Fire Prevention Art and Writing Contest

Academics

- Implementation of Common Core Standards in K-2
- Balanced Literacy Instruction
- Differentiated Instruction
- Cooperative Learning
- Technology Integration
- Instructional Software Programs
- Academic Challenge Team
- Academic Field Trips
- Nine Weeks Awards Programs
- Spelling Bee



Supplemental Instruction

Full –time Interventionist
Scholastic FASTT Math
Scholastic Fraction Nation
Scholastic Read 180
Accelerated Reader

Assessments

- Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)
- Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)
- Dominic Assessment (Kindergarten - 2nd grade)
- ThinkGate Benchmark Assessments
- STAR Reading Assessment
- Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI)