

## Palmetto Gold Award

Sheridan Elementary received the Palmetto Gold Award for the 2009-2010 school year. Our school was recognized for having strong overall performance and for closing achievement gaps between groups of students. Jim Rex stated that a school that earns one of these awards is focused on kids and dedicated to their success!

### 2010-2011 School Improvement Council

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### We Have Done Well

2010 Summer Reading Champions for County Library  
National Board Certified Teachers  
County-wide Character Education Program  
2010 Teacher of the Year – Daisy Wolfe  
2010 Support Staff of the Year – Curtis Keller  
Grade 4 Healing Species Program  
Grade 5 G-R-E-A-T Program  
21<sup>st</sup> Century Afterschool Program  
SACS Accreditation  
District/Community Recognized Chorus Program  
Teacher Steal Pan Ensemble  
PTO Kid's Night Out Programs  
Saturday PASS Academy  
Award Winning Drill Team

### We Believe That...

- Every student is a valued stakeholder with unique physical, social, emotional, and intellectual needs.
- A challenging curriculum that accommodates a variety of learning styles will enhance student achievement.
- Self-discipline and a sense of responsibility are essential to good citizenship.
- The celebration and acceptance of cultural diversity to enhance our school, our community, and our world are vital to success.
- Our school's mission is advanced through the shared responsibility of the students, teachers, support staff, administrators, parents and the Orangeburg community.
- ALL students at Sheridan Elementary WILL LEARN!

### Super Star Facts

Grades: PreK – 5  
Average Class Size: 24  
Total Enrollment: 605  
Mascot: Super Stars  
School Colors: Navy Blue and White

**PASS TEST RESULTS  
(Percent Met or Above)**

Grade 3	ELA	MATH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES
2006	80	59	48	80
2007	90	54	35	90
2008	84	34	45	74
2009	73	39	24	71
2010	80	47	43	78

Grade 4	ELA	MATH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES
2006	74	44	45	58
2007	83	60	62	81
2008	75	64	50	72
2009	61	58	37	55
2010	78	64	54	61

Grade 5	ELA	MATH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES
2006	91	79	54	72
2007	79	75	65	42
2008	85	61	81	46
2009	74	65	55	41
2010	82	74	50	75

**Performance Trend Over 5 Year Period  
School Report Card**

Year	ABSOLUTE RATING	IMPROVEMENT RATING	AYP
2006	Below Average	Unsatisfactory	No
2007	Below Average	Below Average	No
2008	Below Average	Excellent	No
2009	Average	Average	No
2010	Below Average	Average	No

**ANNUAL SCHOOL SUMMARY REPORT  
2010-2011**



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The School Improvement Council (SIC) and your school administrators have prepared this School Summary Report for parents and the community. It reviews our 2010-2011 accomplishments, describes our beliefs, and displays current test scores.

If you have any questions, call the school or Mr. BJ Sumpter, SIC President.

**SHERIDAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

It is the mission of Sheridan Elementary School, in partnership with our parents and the Orangeburg community, to provide a safe, nurturing and stimulating environment, enabling students to become productive citizens while ensuring that all children feel special and that no child is left behind.