School Organization and Contact

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Extra-Curricular Activities

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES:

Logan Leopard Singers
Logan Leopard Cubs
Young Artists
Dancing Paws
Dancing Cubs
Logan Drama Club
Logan Leopard Steel Band
Archery Team
Good News Club

SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

Montessori Program

Arts in the Basic Curriculum (ABC) Site

DISTRICT MISSION STATEMENT:

We are Richland One, a leader in transforming lives through education, empowering all students to achieve their potential and dreams.



Logan Elementary School



2014-2015 SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

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School Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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"LEOPARDS RULE!"

ABOUT THIS REPORT.....

The School Improvement Council of Logan Elementary School has prepared the annual school report for you and the community. The report reviews the progress and growth made last year, reviews last year's test scores, and describes plans for improvement this year. Enclosed you will find an account of the progress we made toward accomplishing targeted goals in 2014-15, as well as the desired results for student learning that have been made a priority for the coming school year. If you have any questions about the information summarized here, please contact Dr. Richard Moore, Principal, (803) 343-2917, e-mail rmoore@richlandone.org. or visit the school website at logan.richlandone.org.

School Highlights & Awards

We entered our second century with a great year! This was a year of new partnerships! A group of our teachers worked with USC to design outdoor classroom areas and planting beds for all our classes. We worked with the PTO, the SIC and the Logan Foundation to make plans and secure support, both financial and otherwise, to complete those projects and to move forward with grading and irrigating our back playing field. In addition, we worked with the district to make plans for new playground equipment and we partnered with the Junior League to work to renovate Roy Lynch Park in the school community. Logan partnered with Reading Matters and the district to bring volunteers in to work with identified students on their reading skills. Our Foundation partnered with the City of Columbia and the district to bring in a special week-long program for fifth grade students to work with the girls on designing websites and with the boys on entrepreneurship (engenuity SC™ 's Webgyrlz Code Camp and BEST Carolina. We continued our community service with food drives, our Mitten & Sock Tree, Jump Rope for Heart (\$2500.00 +) and recycling activities. Students provided leadership with WLGN News Daily Broadcast, the School Store and Safety Patrol. We had winners in the district Visual Literacy Festival Technology/Video, Puppetry and Book Production Contests. Eighteen students qualified for the Duke TIP Program. Logan received a C rating under the new state rating system for their 2013 PASS scores. A designated ABC site, Logan was again the recipient of several arts grants. Our Steel Band received a "Superior" rating as the only elementary steel band participating in the 2015 Day of Percussion and both of our choruses won "superior" ratings in the sixth annual Logan Elementary Choral Festival which we sponsored again this year, the only adjudicated elementary choral festival in the central part of the state. We also added a Drama Club and ended the year with a special performance featuring all of our ensembles and most of our students. Another great year!

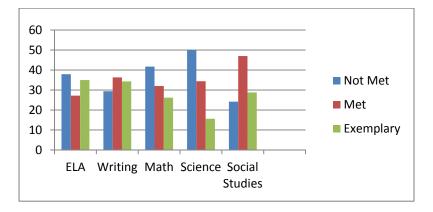
School Demographics

248 Total Enrollment 18 % White 75 % African American 3 % Hispanic 4 % Other

15 Homeroom Teachers 6 National Board Certified Teachers

Test Information

2014 PASS Results



TECHNOLOGY

Students at Logan have access to a variety of technological support. There is a computer lab, a broadcast network and video-conferencing equipment available. Every teacher has a mini-iPad to use for planning and instruction, there are two portable iPod labs for teachers to check-out, and every classroom is equipped with at least three computers and a SmartBoard.

MAJOR GRANTS RECEIVED

SC Arts Commission Arts In Education Advancement
Grant
SC Department of Education Distinguished Arts Program
Grant
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Community Grant

Goals for 2015-16

These goals are taken from the 2014-2019 School Renewal Plan

- To evaluate assessment results from all core subject areas to guide instructional decisions
- To continue to provide intervention strategies and additional instruction as needed in all core subject areas
- To identify and purchase non-fiction literature in all core subject areas to support literacy across the curriculum
- To provide teachers with professional development activities in best practices including assessment, state standards, art integration and collaborative planning
- To continue efforts designed to have all students reading on grade level by the end of third grade (continuous assessment, tutoring, small group instruction, etc.)
- To improve writing instruction through the use of Empowering Writers®, writing portfolios and writing across the curriculum
- To continue to provide an environment conducive to learning through character education activities, student goal setting and teacher training in classroom team building activities
- To take steps to better align instructional strategies and assessment practices with expectations for all groups of learners
- To provide activities for families that garner parental support of school programs and bring parents more into the culture of the school

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