

Extra-Curricular Activities

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

Archery Club
Art Club
Basketball Club
Chorus
Disc Golf Club
DREAMS*
Fitness Team*
GEMS*
Good News Club*
Mustang Milers
Mustang News Crew
Orchestra
Safety Patrol
Student Council*
*suspended due to COVID

SPECIAL PROGRAMS/COMMUNITY SERVICE & FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

Breast Cancer Awareness Walk
D.A.R.E. Program
First Grade Gift of Giving St Lawrence Place Supply Drive
Family Math and Literacy Nights– suspended due to COVID
March of Dimes March for Babies Walk
MeadowFEED – Food bank for needy families
Midlands Reading Consortium – Reading tutors
Mustang Trot Food Drive
Red Ribbon Week – Drug prevention
Souper Bowl Food Drive for Harvest Hope Food Bank
Shandon Baptist Church Service Project



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

School Organization and Contacts

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

Ms. Alexis Wright - Chair
Ms. Nancy Stoudenmire - Vice Chair
Ms. Jessamine Grice – Secretary
Ms. Lisa Davis - Principal

COUNCIL MEMBERS

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About this report...

The School Improvement Council of Meadowfield Elementary has prepared the annual school report for you and the community. The report reviews the previous year's progress and growth, reviews the previous 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 2019-2024 School Renewal Plan, as well as, the desired results for student learning that have been made a priority for this school year. If you have any questions about the information summarized here, please contact Ms. Alexis Wright or Ms. Lisa Davis at (803) 783-5549.

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MEADOWFIELD
NATIONAL PAIDEIA CENTER
MODEL SCHOOL

MEADOWFIELD MISSION STATEMENT

We are Meadowfield, a National Paideia Model School leader in transforming lives through project-based learning, Socratic seminar, and student leadership.

Meadowfield is the only certified National Paideia Model School in South Carolina.

Our vision is:

Preparing
All
Individuals for productive citizenship within a
Democratic
Engaging
Inclusive
Active learning environment

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School Highlights

Meadowfield has a large student body with an attendance zone encompassing several diverse communities. Meadowfield fosters independence, creativity and problem solving skills. It is the only school certified as a National Paideia Model School in South Carolina.

Paideia makes us unique through:

Student-led Conferences Students meet with their parents to review their personal achievements & develop goals for the next nine weeks.

Coached Projects Students work collaboratively on projects and present their learning at a school event like a play or festival.

Seminars Students sit in a circle to have conversations about something they have read, listened to, or watched. They learn how to ask each other questions, constructively debate, and improve their communication skills.

Awards:

Grants Teachers and staff earned approximately \$5,000 from multiple grant sources for instructional materials and innovative classroom design.

Literacy Meadowfield piloting the United Pony Express letter writing opportunity. UofSC Reading with the Gamecocks program. Online tutors worked with several early childhood children in need.

Related Arts Musical Mustang Chorus students participated in the Virtual singing. Clubs returned to in person participation.

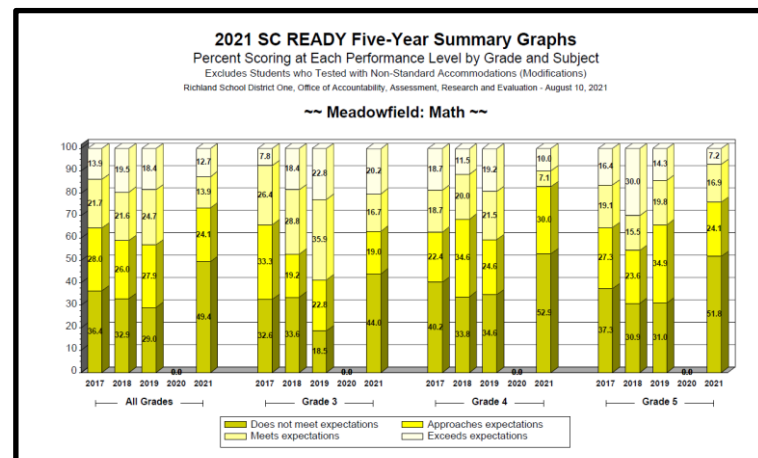
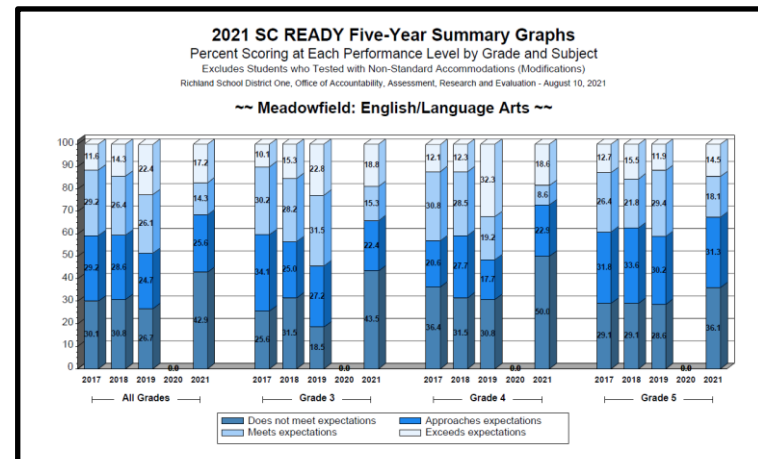
Teacher Leaders Jennifer Cardenas and Juliane Stensland were accepted into the Doctrate in Education Degree Program. Seven teachers began the process toward National Board Certification and two teachers renewed the National Board Certification.

School Demographics

- 648 Students in Pre-Kindergarten through 5th Grade
- 65% African American, 8% Hispanic, 24% White, 3% Other
- 70% of our teachers hold a Master degree or higher.
- There is a wide range of income levels among our families.
- The student attendance rate is 93.5%.

Test Information

The SC READY Reading, Writing and Mathematics Test was suspended in the 2020 school year. The same tests were administered to those students who opted in to testing in 2021. Students in grades 4 also took the SC PASS Test for Science. Students in Pre-Kindergarten through fifth grade are also assessed throughout the year to determine mastery of curriculum standards and to guide instruction.



Achievements & Goals

Our goals are to:

- Increase the academic achievement of all students in all academic areas.
- Ensure that staff is knowledgeable, competent, productive, and highly qualified.
- Improve clarity and communication of opportunities for school involvement and advance parent and public understanding and support of our National Paideia Model School.

Strategies to achieve these goals are:

Professional Development School

This partnership promotes a collaborative school environment with pre-service teachers, Meadowfield staff, and University of South Carolina professors. USC courses are taught on Meadowfield's campus where interns practice research-based strategies in our classrooms.

Professional Development focused on Literacy

Our Professional Learning Community provides instructional rounds, analysis of data, Multi-Tiered Systems of Supports (MTSS), and team lesson planning. Each component addresses effective literacy and numeracy instructional practices. Local and National experts with reading, writing, and math workshop continue to enhance our instruction.

Community Support and Partnerships

Shandon Baptist and Shandon Methodist churches provide significant voluntary and financial support. The Parent Teacher Organization sponsors neighborhood activities. The United Way's Midlands Reading Consortium provided community volunteers to read and mentor students. The University of South Carolina provided mentors for students to share their portfolios.

Student Leadership

All students are encouraged to improve their school experience through representation on Student Council, Safety Patrol, and Mustang Morning News anchors. Students practice democratic ideals learned within the Paideia model by leading service learning experiences. Current projects include: a food drive for Harvest Hope Food Bank, March of Dimes Walk, and a Red Cross Blood Drive. Special Education students initiated a school-wide, year-long recycling project to make the world a better place.