

GREENBRIER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

Mission Statement: We are seekers of learning, models of excellence, and builders of character.



This report is issued by the SC School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals, the work of the SIC, and accomplishments during the 2010-2011 school year.

Greenbrier Elementary School

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STRATEGIC PLAN

Goals:

PERFORMANCE GOAL 1: Increase the percentage of all students (grades 3-5) scoring Met/Exemplary on PASS English/Language Arts, from 79.1% to 83%.

PERFORMANCE GOAL 2: Increase the percentage of all students (grades 3-5) scoring Met/Exemplary on PASS Mathematics, from 66.7% to 70.7%.

PERFORMANCE GOAL 3: Faculty, staff, and students strive to promote a positive climate.

PERFORMANCE GOAL 4: Faculty, staff, and students will strive to build and support partnerships with community businesses.

Strategies:

- Early Reading Intervention
- Write From the Beginning
- Everyday Counts Calendar Math
- Reading Counts
- Math SuperStars
- Quality Tools/Thinking Maps
- Compass Learning Labs
- School-wide Kindness Theme
- Student Clubs
- Murals in Cafeteria and Hallways
- Student Artwork Framed and Displayed
- Beautification and Expansion of School Grounds

GREENBRIER PROFILE

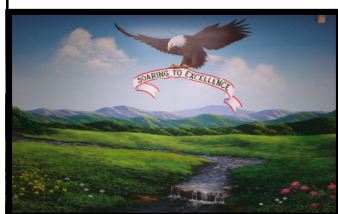
Principal– Nicky Andrews
Assistant Principal– Vivian Lane
SIC Chair– Nichole Colby
Grades– K4-5th
Enrollment– 847
Student Attendance– 96.8%
Subsidized Meals– 47%
Teachers– 51
Absolute Rating– Average
Improvement Rating– Average
Met AYP– Met 27 out of 27 objectives

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Met Annual Yearly Progress (AYP)
- Donors Choose Grant Winner
- Four National Board Certified Teachers
- Red Carpet School
- Safe Kids School
- School Improvement Council Honor Roll School
- SC School Counselors Association's Counselor of the Year
- Silver Award Website Winner
- United Way Award Winner

FACILITIES & GROUNDS

- Beautiful Murals
- Butterfly and Vegetable Gardens
- Cafetorium
- Computer Lab
- Gymnasium
- Library/Media Center
- Outdoor Learning Patio
- Playground Fields (3)
- Promethean Boards (50)
- Wireless Laptop Carts (4)
- Two-Story Facility – 111,000 sq. feet



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PALMETTO ASSESSMENT OF STATE STANDARDS (PASS) DATA

	Exemplary		Met		Not Met	
	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009
ELA	35.7	36.1	43.4	40.0	20.9	23.9
MATH	20.9	16.4	45.8	51.5	33.2	32.1
SCIENCE	13.8	11.8	52.4	57.5	33.7	30.7
SOCIAL STUDIES	14.6	23.1	53.4	53.4	32.0	23.5
WRITING	30.2	27.9	44.1	44.1	25.7	27.9

Percentage of students scoring Exemplary, Met, or Not Met on the PASS Test in each subject area.

OUTSTANDING FEATURES

- After School/Extend Day Program
- CAN Club/CAN Role Models
- HW Club Program
- Scholastic Book Fair
- Artist in Residence Program
- Junior Beta Club
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Character Education Program
- Fall Carnival
- Fuss Busters (student peer mediation)
- Greenbrier Morning News Show (student led)
- Greenbrier Chorus
- Kindness Patrol
- Learning Focused Strategies
- PTA and Sponsored Programs
- Quality Tools
- Reading Counts
- Reading Intervention Program
- Red Ribbon Week
- Safety Patrols
- Science Fair
- Science Lab/Guest Scientist
- Small group Guidance Programs
- Smarties Summer Reading Program
- SOAR Positive Behavior Program
- Star Math & Star Reading
- SOARing Students
- Stevi B's & Chick-fil-A Family Nights
- Student Garden (maintained by Garden Club)
- Successful community service drives (March of Dimes Reading Champs, American Heart Association Jump Rope for Heart, Japan Relief Fund)
- SWAT (Students Working to Assist Technology Team)
- Talent Show
- Terrific Kids
- Write From The Beginning

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Chair-Nichole Colby
 Secretary-Laura Dickason
 Principal-Nicky Andrews
 Assistant Principal-Vivian Lane
 Guidance Counselors-
 Kristin Krinock & Lydia Pettigrew
 Instructional Coach-Cindy Mobley
 Community/Parents-
 Brenda Clark
 Scott Dodenhoff
 David Griffith
 Melissa Lark-Chandler
 Mary Jo McInerney
 Michael Miller
 Barbara Nemeth

PTA

President-Laurie Weaver
 Vice-President-Angela Vance
 Secretary-Jeanecia Meaux-Branch
 Treasurer-Katherine Jernigan
 Volunteer Coordinators-Shauna Brink & Tia Moore



BUSINESS PARTNERS

- American Heart Association
- Chick-fil-A
- Greenville Drive
- Greenville Federal Credit Union
- Greenville Mental Health
- March of Dimes
- Mauldin High School
- Mimi's Café
- Publix
- Roper Mountain Science Center
- Scholastic
- Stevi B's Pizza