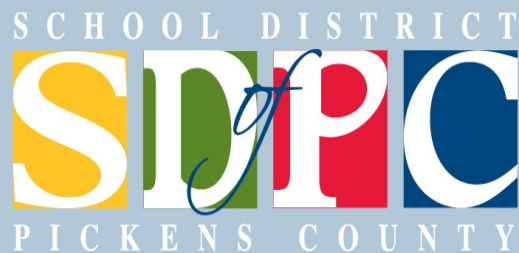


MCKISSICK

ELEMENTARY AWARDS

- **Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Grant**
- **Academy Sports and Outdoors Bike Donation**
- **2013 Title One Achievement Award**
- **Safe Kids School Awards**
- **RED CARPET AWARD**
Family Friendly Environment
- **PALMETTO SILVER AWARD**
Improvement in Test Scores
- **TROUT IN THE CLASSROOM**
Environmental Education Program
- **BUTTERFLY GARDEN PROJECT**
Outdoor Learning Lab and Memorial to the U.S. Armed Forces
- **SPROUTING WINGS PROGRAM**
Partnership with Clemson University in educating students in organic gardening
National Endowment for the Humanities



Building success beyond the classroom

Community Outreach

- **Open House/Meet & Greet the Teacher**
- **United Way**
- **Family Movie Nights**
- **Good News Program**
- **Family Literacy and Math Nights**
- **Rising Kindergarten Parent Night**
- **Parenting Classes from Parenting Center**
- **Muffins for Moms/ Doughnuts for Dads**

Curriculum

- **Accelerated Reader program increased reading scores.**
- **Bring Your Own Device introduced in classrooms**
- **MAP/PASS data analysis and training, data was used in classrooms (K-5) to guide instruction**
- **TE21 data used in classroom (1-5) to guide instruction**
- **Bring Your Own Device introduced in classrooms**
- **STEM lessons**
- **SC Common Core Standards trainings as we continue implementation this year.**

School Environment

- **New security equipment was installed and safety procedures implemented.**
- **Technology in the classroom was expanded with the use of Title 1 funds to purchase additional iPads and the introduction of BYOD.**
- **Faculty members received training on Best Practices in education pedagogy in the strategy to increase student MAP and PASS scores.**

McKissick Elementary School



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School Summary Report

2013-14

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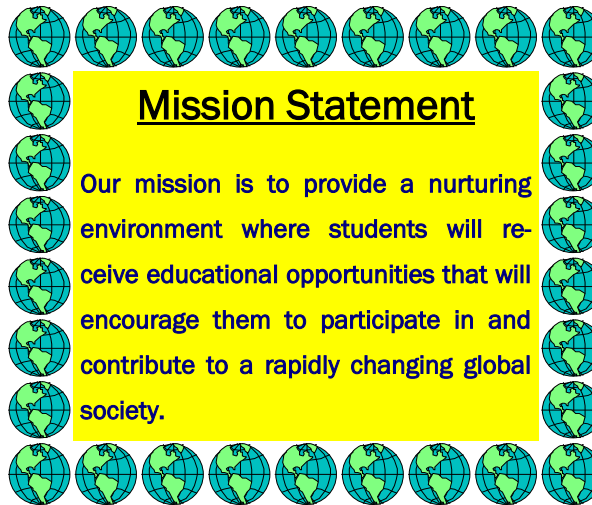
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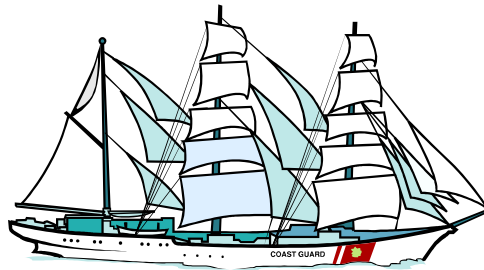
Special Programs

- Gifted and Talented
- Reading Recovery
- Accelerated Reader Program
- Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports
- Pickens County Library Summer Reading Program
- Greenville Drive Reading Program
- BARK Reading Program
- Jump Rope for Heart
- Chorus Program
- Life Long Skills and Guidelines-Character Education Program
- Recycling Program
- Fall Family Night
- Spring Family Night
- MAP incentive program
- Parent Education Workshops



Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide a nurturing environment where students will receive educational opportunities that will encourage them to participate in and contribute to a rapidly changing global society.



Vision Statement

Our vision is to form partnerships with families and the community in order to become a "Lighthouse of Learning" and provide quality educational experiences that prepare all students to be successful beyond the classroom.

Technology Goals for 2013-2014

- Install new laptops in main lab
- Increase number of iPads in each class to incorporate with BYOD
- Include technology in student research projects.
- Increase size of and utilize iPad lab for use in all classes.
- Utilize technology throughout curriculum including STEM projects.



- Ms. Jennifer Anderson (Parent)
- Ms. Jeannie Hommerding, (Parent)
- Mrs. Heather Appenheiner (Community Member)
- Mrs. Kim Bryson (Community Member)
- Mrs. Wendy McClellan (Teacher)
- Mr. Gary Mohr (Principal)
- Mrs. Anita Richardson (Assistant Principal)
- Mrs. Fain Kapeluck (Guidance)
- Mr. Kevin Gilstrap (Teacher)