

# Meadow Glen Elementary

*Home of the Explorers*



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*Together is Better Than One*

## Lexington County School District One's Vision



## Lexington County School District One's Mission

Our mission is to cultivate a caring community where ALL learners are extraordinary communicators, collaborators, creators and critical thinkers.

### Important Dates:

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| October 4    | ESOL Family Drop-In, 5:30 pm-6:30 pm<br>(English as a Second/Other Language) |
| October 5    | PTO Family Game Night, 6:30 – 8:00 pm  |
| October 5-10 | Scholastic Book Fair, 7:30 am - 3:00 pm                                      |
| October 11   | PTO Restaurant Night at Salsarita's, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm                       |
| October 11   | Scholastic LATE NIGHT, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm                                    |
| October 11   | Parent Teacher Conferences, 3:00 pm - 6:30 pm                                |
| October 12   | NO SCHOOL for students<br>Parent Teacher Conferences, 7:30 am - 12:00 pm     |

### Looking Ahead:

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| November 2 | Make up pictures         |
| November 6 | Election Day – NO SCHOOL |



Preorder your MGES Yearbook and take advantage of the EARLY BIRD pricing!!! Order by November 6, 2018 and pay ONLY \$32. Go to [jostens.com](http://jostens.com), choose Meadow Glen Elementary School and order today!

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## Congratulations!!!!

The following MGES students will have artwork displayed at the South Carolina State Fair  
October 10<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>

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Lola Carroll - 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
Keelyn Davis - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade  
Aubrey Herod 5<sup>th</sup> grade

Raleigh Hoffman - 5<sup>th</sup> grade  
Christopher Kelly - 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
Kelly McRoberts 5<sup>th</sup> grade

Grier Nickles - 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
Phoenix Wright - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade



Decluttering or cleaning out closets? Our health room could use some donations of boys and girls elastic waist pants or leggings. Sizes needed are 5-12. Thank you in advance for your help!

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## News from the Media Center

Mrs. Bumgarner, School Librarian  
Mrs. Weaver, Library Assistant

### Author Visit with Henry Cole



Meadow Glen Elementary students will welcome author and illustrator, Henry Cole, to our school on October 11th! Students will attend a fun and educational presentation by Mr. Cole that morning with their classes. Students may also purchase his books at our book fair, and have it signed after the event.

Titles available for purchase are:

- *A Nest for Celeste*
- *Another Quest for Celeste*
- *Try a Little Kindness*
- *Unspoken*

Please go to the Media Center website at [www.mgeslearningcommons.weebly.com](http://www.mgeslearningcommons.weebly.com), to view the Scholastic flyer for prices and more information.



The Media Center will be growing a Storybook Character Pumpkin Patch this October, and we will need your help! Students can decorate a (real or foam) pumpkin and bring it in **the week of October 29<sup>th</sup>** to display in our library. Information packets for the Pumpkin Patch can be picked up in the Media Center or the front office starting **October 16<sup>th</sup>**.

### Library Calendar of Events:

**October is National Cyber Security Month.** Go to <https://staysafeonline.org> this month to learn more about how you and your family can stay safe online.

**10/5-10/11 - Scholastic Book Fair (see hours below)**  
**10/11 - Author Visit with Henry Cole (for students)**  
**10/29-11/2 - Storybook Character Pumpkin Patch Display**

**Special Book Displays and Research Spotlight:**  
Fall Celebrations and Spooky Stories; Online Safety

### FALL (Rescheduled) BOOK FAIR HOURS:

**Thur. (10/4)**

**Preview Day for Students - No Sales**

**Fri. (10/5) & Mon. to Wed. (10/8-10)**

**7:30AM - 3:00PM**

**Thur. (10/11)**

**10:00AM - 6:00PM (Late Night!)**

*Flyers went out earlier this year, but if you need another please ask your student to pick one up from the Media Center.*

*If you would like to volunteer for the Fall Book Fair, please contact the Media Center or go to the PTO website at [MGESPTO.org](http://MGESPTO.org)*

Students can use the MGES Media Center website to find teacher-approved websites, online learning games, databases, and more! Students can also read eBooks at home on a tablet or computer through the Destiny Discover or MackinVIA links on the site. Pick up a flyer at the Media Center to learn more.

Would you like to donate a book to the Media Center in honor of your student? We have a Birthday Book Club just for this purpose! To learn more, go to our website, hover or click on "Parents", and select "Explorers Birthday Book Club" from the drop down menu.

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# Family Game Night

**FREE** Family night!  
Friday, October 5th

6:30 –8:00 pm:  
Bingo at 7:25pm

We will be collecting new  
or gently used board  
games for Morning  
Clubs.

**Sponsored by:**

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Elementary School  
Parent Teacher Organization

**ALL NEW**

**MGESPTO.ORG**

Look for upcoming events and  
volunteer opportunities all in ONE place...

**FREE!**

NO MEMBERSHIP FEE



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