



## McBean Elementary School



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Hephzibah, GA 30815



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*The mission of McBean Elementary School is building success and preparing for the future—one child at a time.*

### Quick Reference

**Grades:** Pre-K – 5

**Principal:** Dr. Janina Dallas

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**School Hours:** 8:15 - 3:15

**Area Asst. Superintendent:** Dr. Malinda Cobb

**Superintendent:** Dr. Angela Pringle

### Grading System

- A (90-100)
- B (89-80)
- C (79-75)
- D (74-70)
- F (below 70)

### Student Enrollment

**419**

### Average Daily Attendance

**94.88**

### Special Programs\Fine Arts

Music  
Orchestra  
Writing Labs  
Computer Lab  
Science Lab  
Social Studies Lab

### Points of Pride

- We collected over 1000 items for the Golden Harvest "Its Spooky to be Hungry" and the Salvation Army Can Food Drive campaigns
- We collected \$336.00 for the "Pennies for Patients" Leukemia and Lymphoma Society to find cures for blood cancer
- #1 in the county for Kids Helping Kids Raiders of the Loose Change fundraiser for the Children's Miracle Children's Hospital since 1999. We have raised over \$40,000.00
- Jump Rope for Heart raises around \$600.00 each year for the American Heart Association
- Mr. Neely won a Junior League of Augusta, Georgia Field Trip Fund grant in the amount of \$686.40
- Mr. Neely and our 4th and 5th grade teachers received a \$15,000.00 grant from Jefferson Electric. The monies will purchase a greenhouse which will enrich student growth through the use of Science Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) in the area of Horticulture.
- Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl placing 2<sup>nd</sup> in the System and 4<sup>th</sup> in the State competitions

### School and Community

The McBean community is located in the southern part of Richmond county approximately twenty miles from downtown Augusta. In 1735, groups of immigrants from the Scottish Highlands near Inverness, Scotland were sent by the trustees of the colonies to areas near Savannah and Augusta. Provisions and a land grant were presented to each man willing to fight the Spanish, and later the Indians, in defense of the colony. One of these frontiersmen was Locklan McBean, who was awarded a town lot in Augusta and 500 acres of "choice land" outside Augusta. Our community is named after Locklan McBean who came here from Scotland in 1796. Land was cleared on Hephzibah-McBean Road and our school was built at a cost of \$5.9 million. McBean Elementary replaced for Floyd Graham Elementary School. Furniture equipment, and materials were moved over the Christmas holidays. The staff and 326 students relocated to the new McBean Elementary School on January 12, 1998.

### School Honors & Awards

- 2007 School of Excellence
- Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl
- CCRPI Score 80
- Community Partnerships & Service:
  - Miracle Baptist Church and Berlin United Methodist Church
  - Jefferson Electric
  - Chick-Fil-A
  - Its Spooky to be Hungry Canned Food Drive
  - Golden Harvest Food Bank
  - Salvation Army
  - United Way
  - Fall Carnival
- Student Organizations & Support
  - Student Council
  - Safety Patrol
  - Weekly Tutoring 7:30-8:00
  - Monthly PTO Programs & Socials
  - Georgia-Carolina Fair
  - Pop Tarts and Ronald McDonald House Holiday Porch
  - Weekly Readers Book Club
  - Flag Patrol
  - Morning News Crew
  - 4-H Club
  - Chess Club
  - Math Team
  - Horticulture Club
  - School Socials
  - PBIS Parties
  - Peer Mediation
  - Teachers As Advisors

## General Information

McBean offers a variety of courses and activities to help our students become productive citizens. Our accredited curriculum offers the basics of Language Arts, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies. Furthermore, we provide our students with many hands-on learning experiences in our Computer Lab, Science Lab and Social Studies Lab as well as through quality learning field trips. We also offer courses in Computer Science, Music, Physical Education and Gifted education. Additionally, our school houses an English as a Second Language program as well as a Special Education program. Our school infuses a variety of technology into daily instruction through the use of desktop computers, 3 wireless Dell laptop computer labs, 3 wireless Lenovo Thinkpad laptop computer labs, 1 wireless Lenovo Chromebook laptop computer lab, 4 wireless Dell Netbook computer labs, Promethean Boards, ActiView Document Cameras, ActiSlates, ActiVotes and ActiExpressions. Finally, our students work hand-in-hand with our community for a variety of special character building activities.

## College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI)

College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) is Georgia's statewide accountability system. The CCRPI assesses how well students are prepared for college and careers and ensures that schools are focused on improving achievement among all students. The index measures progress on indicators such as content mastery, student attendance, and preparation for the next school level. Schools earn CCRPI points based on indicators that vary by grade and school level and align with measures of college- and career-readiness. Schools may earn up to a set number of points in three main categories, for a total of 100 possible points.

