

# **Pocomoke Middle School**

## **AWARDS**

### **PMS Featured on NBC Today Show, September 29, 2010!**

#### **PMS IS FULLY ACCREDITED BY THE MIDDLE STATES ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES ACADEMIC AWARDS**

PMS has been selected as a 2011 International Model School.

PMS has received the 2011 John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts School of Excellence in Arts Education Award

PMS has been selected to appear on the U.S. Department of Education's new website Doing What Works.

PMS has been selected as a National Reference sites for Scientific Learning Corporation.

PMS was selected as a 2008 MetLife-NASSP Breakthrough School.

Southern University of Georgia recognized PMS as a 2004 and 2005 National High Flying School.

The Maryland Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (MASCD) selected PMS's Pocomoke Pride Academies as a 2003, 2005, and 2011 Program of Excellence.

PMS was selected as one of nine high achieving/high poverty middle schools to participate in a national study in 2002, which was sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education and conducted by the University of Texas.

#### **CHARACTER EDUCATION AWARDS**

MSDE recognized PMS as a 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, & 2009 PBIS Exemplary School.

The Maryland Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (MASCD) selected PMS's Character Education Program as a 2006 Program of Excellence.

CEP recognized PMS as a 2003 & 2006 Semi-Finalist National Schools of Character.

The National Character Education Partnership (CEP) recognized PMS with a 2002 & 2005 Promising Practices Citation.

The Maryland Center for Character Education recognized PMS as a 2001 Maryland Character Education School of the Year.

#### **ENVIRONMENT AWARDS**

PMS was recognized as a 2003 Governor's Green School and given recertification in 2007.

PMS received a 2003, 2004, & 2005 Silver Award from the Maryland Community Forest Council and the Maryland Forest Service.

#### **COMMUNITY and FACULTY AWARDS**

Jane Chisholm, Extended School Administrator, received the 2010 State's Lights On Award.

April Adams was named a Comcast Parent Involvement Matters Award finalist.

Tamara Krauch, art teacher, was named the 2007 Worcester County Teacher of the Year.

MSDE recognized Pocomoke Middle School's Ministers Gatherings with a 2007 Community Excellence Award.

MSDE recognized PMS and the YMCA in 2005-06 for their after-school partnership.

PMS has received Awards for Excellence in Education from the Community Foundation every year since 2006.

Edna Wright, FAC teacher, received the 2005 State Excellence Chair Award for outstanding support and assistance to minority students.

The Pocomoke Police Department presented PMS with a 2003 Pacesetter Award, which acknowledges those institutions exhibiting high levels of compliance with regard to seatbelt laws.

#### **STUDENT ACTIVITY AWARDS**

The PMS middle level MESA team was awarded the State Championship in 2010.

The PMS elementary and middle level MESA teams were awarded the best overall teams in the region in 2005 and 2010.

In spring 2002 and spring 2003, PMS Destination Imagination teams won at the regional level.

In fall 2001, fall 2002, spring 2003, and fall 2006, PMS students placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the Eastern Region of Maryland in the Stock Market Game.

In fall 2001, the PMS MathCounts Team earned 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the regional MathCounts competition.

PMS received the Governor's School and Family Fitness Awards Gold Certificate of Achievement for the 2001-02 SY.