

School Organizations and Contacts

School Improvement Council Members

Robyn Owens - Chair
Cassandra Bosier - Vice Chair
Jennifer Roof - Secretary
Marcus Brailsford - Parent
Desdemona Franklin -Parent
Laural McLean - Parent
Stacey Wilson - Parent
Sheena Boles - Teacher
Cassandra Portee - Teacher
Kenya Bryant—Community Member
Sharon Corley - Community Member
Celeste Eure - Community Member
Carol Ann Garifalon - Community Member
Katie Rummel - PTO President
Lynne Shrader - Asst. Principal
Tracy Footman - Principal

Parent/Teacher Organization

Katie Rummel - President
Lynne Massey - Vice President
Shannon Benson/Gretchen Dalrymple - Treasurer
Rebekah Guzzi - Secretary

Bethel-Hanberry Educational Foundation

Martha McCoy - President
Lexanne Graves - Vice President
Chuck Mayfield - Treasurer

Extracurricular Activities

Ambassadors

Archery

Art Club

Bear Trotters

Chorus

Flag Patrol

Girl Power

Post Office

Recycling

Student Council

WBHE News

Special Programs

Accelerated Reader

After-School and Summer Programs

ALEKS

Character Kids Celebrations

Cheer

Dance

Golf

Lexia

Mad Science

Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports

Power Reading

Project L.I.F.T.

Sports Fundamentals

Stride Academy

Students of the Week

Study Island



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*Bethel-Hanberry Elementary School:
Nurturing Learners to Lead and Succeed!*

School Highlights & Awards

Bethel-Hanberry Elementary was awarded the Palmetto Gold Award for our general performance and the Palmetto Silver Award for closing the achievement gap. This marks the sixth consecutive year we were recognized as a Palmetto Gold School as well as being awarded for our progress in closing the achievement gap. We are most grateful for the support of our entire learning community. Our long-standing history of being a community school guarantees support from a variety of resources. Under the leadership of our PTO, our students, parents and supporters raised almost \$20,000 for our school. We were able to purchase instruments to enhance our school's music program. Our School Improvement Council has provided guidance and leadership in our pursuit of excellence. Three teachers have completed or started an advanced degree program within the last year—proof that we are always willing to grow.

Awards

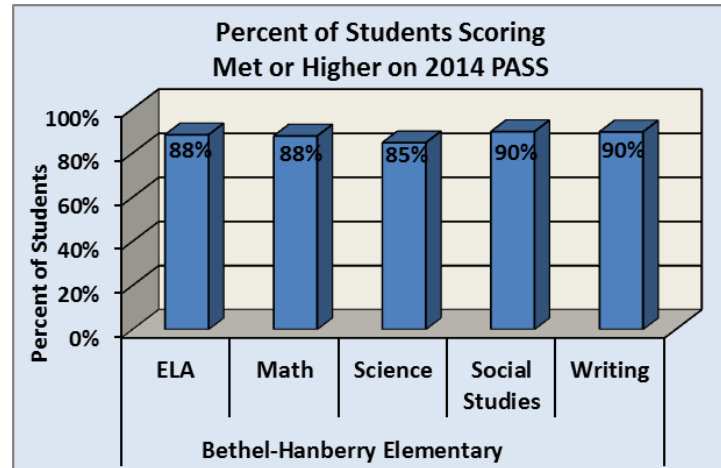
SC Palmetto Gold and Silver Awards
Silver Partner Safe Routes to School South Carolina

Student Information

Enrollment Pre-K—5th—696 students
49% White
38% African American
7% Other
6% Hispanic

33 Homeroom Teachers
(13 National Board Certified)

Test Scores



Technology

- All rooms have wireless internet & smart boards
- One-to-One Technology for 3rd-5th grades
- Average of 10 devices per K-2 classroom including IPADS, Chromebooks and desktop computers
 - One computer lab
 - E-Books and Flip Cameras
 - Blended Learning Initiative

Major Grants Received

Jacob Javits Grant—Purdue University

Goals for the next school year

- ◆ Successful implementation of the new South Carolina College-and-Career Ready Standards for English Language Arts and Mathematics as well as the revised South Carolina Science Standards.
- ◆ Maintain a school culture which cultivates learning, character, community, and joy.
- ◆ Continue developing partnerships with community stakeholders.
- ◆ Foster student-centered technology-rich classroom environments in which technology is used to redefine learning through the creation of imperceptibly new tasks.
- ◆ Continue the use of Positive Behavior Interventions and Support for the entire school community.
- ◆ Create rigorous and authentic learning opportunities which result in students interacting with content in more depth.
- ◆ Raise achievement for all students through the school-wide implementation of applied gifted pedagogy and effectively differentiated curricular practices.

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