Kelly Mill establishes an enriched learning environment that promotes academic, personal, and social growth for all students. In alliance with students, parents, and community, we will continue to focus on academic excellence, student achievement, parent and community involvement and preparing our students for the 21st century. It is our desire to work with our students, community, and staff to provide relevant and meaningful learning experiences. We invite you to visit our world-class learning environment.

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School Hours
7:30 a.m. - 2:25 p.m.
Building on the district’s belief of being premier, Kelly Mill Middle School strives to be the PREMIER middle school of excellence in academics and character development. Due to our vision of excellence in academics, we are very proud of our students’ accomplishments this year. Kelly Mill had 20 Junior Scholars, as well as award-winning music programs. We also have competitive teams for Math Counts, Step Team, and Quiz Whiz. Our parent and community volunteers play a major role in the success of our school. They have contributed over 1600 hours of their time, and are steadfast in helping make our organization more dynamic and effective. The staff at Kelly Mill strives to provide our students with innovative, challenging work that inspires and encourages them to reach their passions. The AVID Program (Nationally recognized) accelerates student-learning and encourages inquiry-based teaching methods. We also use technology as an integral component of instruction. We offer one-to-one computing for all students. Each classroom has a Promethean Board, and all students have access to iPads, TI-Inspire calculators, and Chromebooks to ignite their curiosity. Honors classes are available in all four core content areas: English, Math, Science, and Social Studies, and we have a business and economics magnet school, Kelly Mill INC., which is a competitive nationally certified demo magnet for the academically gifted student. Teachers are provided with resources and professional development to enhance their ability to promote student success.

Available Technology
All classroom Internet accessible
Wireless Access
1:1 Computing Classrooms
Google Apps for Education
iPADs
Google Chromebooks
Computer Keyboarding Lab
Computer Module Classroom (TEAMS)
Automated Media Center Circulation System

Major Grants Received
MSAP Grant-STEAMM, Environmental Grant, Math Grant, Holocaust Grant, Physical Fitness Grant

Awards and Special Recognitions
AVID National Demonstration Site
INC. National Certified Demonstration Magnet INC. 2015 National Magnet School of Excellence
SC Finance Challenge Repeat Champions
Red Carpet School
Palmetto Silver Award
Honor Band Straight Superior Ratings at the SCBDA

Goals for the next school year
◊ Focus on developing measurable, attainable goals using data
◊ Focus on full implementation of the Med Pro 21 Grant, STEAMM
◊ Support initiatives to support addressing the achievement gap
◊ Promote character development efforts by the school
◊ Promote initiatives to support teacher retention
◊ Encourage, monitor, and support parent and community involvement in school activities and programs
◊ Effectively promote public relations with parents and the community

AVID Goals
◊ To Increase the percentage of prospective minority students for higher level math courses by 50%
◊ To increase the amount of “Culturally Relevant Teaching” specific PD offered to teachers by 50%
◊ To increase the number of teachers utilizing interactive notebooks.