

# FLORENCE SCHOOL DISTRICT 3

A PREMIER DISTRICT OF CHOICE



January 15, 2026

*Ensuring Our Students Are College and/or Career Ready*

# Board Goals

Goal 2: Academic Achievement	Goal 3: Reading Readiness
<b>To improve</b> the academic success of all students.	<b>To increase</b> the number of students reading on grade level in grades K – 3.





# ATSI (Additional Targeted Support and Improvement)

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One or more student subgroups in a school are performing below state expectations over multiple years, even if the school as a whole is not identified for comprehensive support.

- ATSI is **subgroup-specific**, not school-wide.
- Schools may be high-performing overall and still receive an ATSI designation.
- Designations are based on **multiple years of data**, not a single test cycle.
- Schools with ATSI designations for disabled subgroup:
  - JCL, MSE, SESA, JPT





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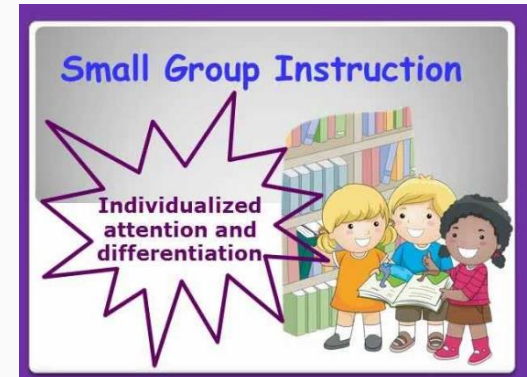
## Action Steps:

- Targeted literacy and math interventions
  - Utilizing the after school program as an extension to the regular school day
  - Maximizing the instructional day (before school skill drills, daily targeted groups)
- Collect and analyze data on student achievement quarterly to identify trends and areas of improvement, as well as help adjust strategies as needed.
- Professional learning aligned to subgroup needs and tier one strategies
- Progress-monitoring improvements



## Professional Development Opportunities: Jan. 5<sup>th</sup>

- Gifted & Talented PD
- **Crisis Prevention Institute Training (CPI)**
- i-Ready PD for Elementary Leadership Teams
- LETRS- (Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling) Cohort 3 and 4





## Mark Your Calendars UPCOMING EVENTS



### 2026 Commemorative Events for the Challenger Crew

1. **January 28, 2026:** Kick-Off at the South Carolina State Capitol in Columbia, SC. State Representative Roger Kirby will present a proclamation to the McNair Family.
2. **January 29, 2026:** Florence School District 3 will hold its annual Dr. Ronald E. McNair Day (9:30–11:00 AM).
3. **January 30, 2026:** STEM Bus Activities at Ronald McNair Park and Life History Center, featuring interactive experiments and dimensional activities for the community.
4. **January 31, 2026:** 40th Anniversary Commemorative Gala. Mrs. Vanessa E. Wyche, acting Associate Administrator of NASA and member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, will be the keynote speaker.



District Spelling Bee-  
January 30th– 9:00 am  
Blanding St. Auditorium

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**2026-2027**

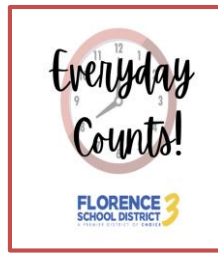
**MAGNET SCHOOL LOTTERY**

**SAVE THE DATE**

Our magnet school lottery  
window will open  
**January 26<sup>th</sup> - February 6<sup>th</sup>**

J. PAUL TRULUCK CREATIVE ARTS AND SCIENCE MAGNET      SERVING GRADES 7-12  
OLANTA CREATIVE ARTS AND SCIENCE MAGNET      SERVING GRADES SK-6

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# 30 for 30 Challenge

students read  
for 30 minutes  
in school  
everyday



they are  
challenged  
to read an  
additional  
30 minutes  
at home

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