

FLORENCE 3 SCHOOL DISTRICT

A PREMIER DISTRICT OF CHOICE

Instructional Updates



KEEPING YOU CONNECTED
To What Matters Most

Ensuring Our Students Are College and/or Career Ready & Are Productive and Responsible Members of Society

Celebrations

- Arbor Day Celebration- “Treemendous Possibilities” Nov. 30th our guest speaker was Ms. Katie Ford, education coordinator at Moore Farms Botanical Garden. We celebrated and awarded over \$1,000 to 36 students in the following categories: 4K-5K -class book; 1st- 12th categories: Literacy and Art Media.



SESA's Academic Growth- 151 students met BOTH their ELA and Math MAP Goals for the Winter testing period. They will participate in a movie day with their own personalized snack box.



Service Learning at SESA- Our Blessing Box is up and running and our Student Lighthouse Team will be monitoring this initiative. We also just finished our Clemson/Carolina food drive (Go Tigers) and we were able to donate 1,000 cans of food to local food pantries.



SESA was selected to present at the Leader In Me Symposium in Charlotte NC- the team will present on how Action Teams have Transformed Leadership Roles Within the School.



DREM: Mrs. Cullars-White and Mr. Manning were both awarded a Bright Ideas grant through Santee Electric Cooperative.



In the Spotlight

Main Street Elementary School of Arts and Leadership



The awards day program held a unique twist that added an extra layer of significance to the celebration. Instead of the traditional certificates, students were awarded lapel pins for their achievements and recognitions. These special lapel pins were not merely tokens of accomplishment, they represented a memorable journey of hard work, dedication and growth. What made this awards day truly distinctive was the heartwarming tradition that accompanied it..



MSE embarked on a colorful and culturally enriching journey as they celebrated Hispanic Heritage Week. What made this celebration truly special was that it was entirely student-led with the creative and passionate members of the Hispanic Heritage Club at the helm. From what we wore to what music we listened to, these students were in control, ensuring a week filled with learning, sharing, and fun.

Young Lady Club Induction Ceremony on Wednesday, October 25th. The event was attended by community leaders, including Lake City Mayor Yamekia Robinson along with Council Member Wilhelmena Scott, Mayor Pro Tem Nicole Singletary and Alexzondrea Harrison, director of the Greater Lake City Resource Center.

MSE's Original Six afterschool program took an educational field trip to Segra Park in Columbia, SC for the SC Afterschool Alliance's STEAM After Dark program. Students participated in several hands-on learning events from partners around the state of South Carolina.





- 90th Day- Dec. 15th
- Dec. 18th- Jan. 3rd- Winter Break
- Jan. 2nd- Professional Development
- Jan. 3rd- Work Day
- Jan. 4th- Students Return

- Dr. Ronald E. McNair Day- January 26th- 9:30 am- Bean Market

- District Spelling Bee- Feb. 1st – 9:00 am Blanding St. Auditorium



Happy Holidays

