

## School Achievements

- Nationally recognized Federal Blue Ribbon School, 2008-2009
- Met AYP, 2004-2011
- “A” Rating on the Federal ESEA Waiver 2012-2014
- Palmetto Silver Winner 2019
- Red Carpet School
- Florence One Schools Foundation Grant Winner
- SC Healthy School
- Physical Fitness Award
- School of Promise
- National Network of Partnership Schools (NNPS) grant winner
- Three National Board Certified Teachers
- AdvancED STEM certified school
- Blue Ribbon Schools of Excellence Beacon School

## Mission Statement

The mission of Carver Elementary Magnet School is to provide our students with engaging, challenging, and authentic real-world learning experiences.

## Carver SIC Members

Chair: Mrs. Courtney Williams, Parent  
Principal: Mrs. Josie Little  
Assistant Principal: Mrs. Mary Smith  
5K Teacher: Ms. Elms  
1<sup>st</sup> Grade Teacher: Ms. Barrineau  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teacher: Mrs. Walker  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher: Mrs. Abram  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher: Mrs. Korb  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher: Mrs. Snipes  
Music Teacher: Mrs. Bolt  
Speech Teacher: Mrs. Hylton  
Media Specialist: Mrs. Copp  
Guidance: Mrs. Sprenger  
Parent: Mrs. Joy McKnight  
Parent: Mrs. Tara Dell’Armo

## Purpose of the Report

This report is issued by the Carver Elementary Magnet School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

## Carver Elementary Magnet School

## Annual School Improvement Council “Report to the Parents” 2021-22



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# Carver's School Renewal Plan Goals

**Student Achievement Goal:** By 2023-24, the percentage of African American students scoring “Does Not Meet” on the third grade SC Ready Math assessment will be reduced from the current percentage of 45.3%, according to 2018 data reports, to a percentage of 35%, according to data reports in 2023.

- Hired a third grade teacher to help reduce class size
- Hired two part time interventionists to work with students performing below grade level according to STAR and Linkit
- Provided a parent training on the Big Ideas math curriculum
- Provided a professional development for teachers on DreamBox Learning
- Purchased flashcards, flashmasters, and calculators
- Conducted data meetings with teachers with a focus on math Linkit and math STAR results.

**School Climate Goal:** By 2023-24, 90% of fourth grade students will be satisfied with the learning environment on the student survey as measured by the SC Report Card.

- Purchased incentives as positive reinforcement for academics and behavior
- Celebrated students as Terrific Kids, PrinciPALs, and Star Students

- Selected 5<sup>th</sup> grade students run the daily Carver Morning Show and assist younger students as Safety Patrol
- 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders are able to participate in clubs before school.
- Reward students each nine weeks for good citizenship, attendance, and grades

**Teacher/Administrator Quality Goal:** By 2023-24, teachers in grades K-5 will successfully attend 20 STEM-related professional development sessions.

- Provided professional development on PLTW, PBL units, Big Ideas, Lexia, Dreambox, Edpuzzle, AR, SMART, and Linkit

## Student Achievement

### Spring (April 2022) Reading & Math Data

#### LinkIt – Form C (Reading)

3<sup>rd</sup> grade - 10/89 (11%) Students (Does Not Meet)

4<sup>th</sup> grade – 14/104 (13%) Students (Does Not Meet)

5<sup>th</sup> grade – 18/104 (17%) Students (Does Not Meet)

#### LinkIt – Form C (Math)

3<sup>rd</sup> grade - 27/88 (31%) Students (Does Not Meet)

4<sup>th</sup> grade – 20/104 (19%) Students (Does Not Meet)

5<sup>th</sup> grade – 31/104 (30%) Students (Does Not Meet)

For more information, you may view Carver's “S.C. School Report Card” for the previous school year online at <https://screportcards.com/overview/?q=eT0yMDIxJnQ9RSZzaWQ9MjEwMTAwOQ>

## 2021-2022 Recognitions

- We are proud to recognize Mrs. Cynthia Watson for being elected as the Teacher of the Year for the 2021-2022 school year. She is also an Honor Roll Teacher for the district.
- Mrs. Devlin is a Google Certified Trainer.
- Carver is a gold sponsor for the 2022 CAPES for Kids Run.
- Stella Price is the Florence One Schools elementary Vocal Star winner.
- Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Korb are Seesaw Ambassadors and certified Seesaw Educators.
- Awarded 50 DonorsChoose Grants
- National Blue Ribbon Schools of Excellence Beacon School
- Elise Wilson, 5<sup>th</sup> grader, completed all instructional materials through 8<sup>th</sup> in Lexia Core 5 and PowerUp.