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iLEAD

This school year, scholars attending Kenneth Gardner Leadership Academy will continue to participate in the iLead leadership framework. This leadership framework features values-based roundtables designed by Dr. John C. Maxwell to allow the next generation of leaders to develop their values and leadership skills. The iLead format allows students to get experience leading as they take turns facilitating the roundtables. Each lesson contains a short teaching segment on a value or leadership characteristic, asks students to rate how well they practice this characteristic; and asks them to commit to one action step for the week that will allow them to improve their score in this area.



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"We love! We learn! We lead!"

Mission Statement:

The mission of Kenneth Gardner Leadership Academy is to empower our scholars to lead as they prepare for college, careers, and the workforce.

Vision Statement:

To empower our students to love, learn, and lead.

Beliefs:

We believe that...

- Every child deserves a quality education.
- Provided the opportunity, all children can learn.
- Every child is unique in his or her learning ability.
- The creativity of a child can enhance learning.
- A positive relationship between parent and teacher can enhance a child's success.



GOAL #1: INCREASE PARENT ENGAGEMENT BY 30%.

We continue to offer Title I Parent workshops to engage parents and the community through our parent academy. Attendance at performance rich events is high but attendance at academic sessions are lower than 10%. We've had epic parent and community attendance during our Family Math Night, Literacy Night, and Duke Energy Science Night events. Now, we must work on parent involvement beyond the fun activities.



GOAL #2: AT LEAST 55% OF SCHOLARS WILL MEET THEIR IREADY MATH & ELA GROWTH GOALS

iReady diagnostic assessments are given 3 times a year. This data allows us to specifically design tiered interventions to support closing achievement gaps. Students meeting their iReady growth targets from Fall to Spring will participate in an iReady celebration. Incentives are funded by donations & fundraisers.

STUDENT ACHEIVEMENT

SC READY DATA

Reading	2023-2024	2024-2025
Grade	Met or Exceed	Met or Exceed
3rd	34.5%	37.1%
4th	38.9%	51.3%
5th	42.2%	46.7%
Math	2023-2024	2024-2025
Grade	Met or Exceed	Met or Exceed
3rd	31.9%	34.5%
4th	22.1%	38.7%
5th	46.8%	27.1%

