School Achievements

- KEES increased the number of family engagement activities
- Continual use of small groups in reading and math to focus on the child, academically, socially, and behaviorally
- Continued use of Leveled Literacy Intervention kits (LLI) to assist students at their level in small groups
- Students are one to one in regards to technology
- TOMS shoes distributed to each student
- Geography Bee winner: Dalton Nix
- Spelling Bee Winner: King Brown
- Use of Raz-Kids
- Continuation of USA Test Prep
- Integration of Master of Multiplication for students who master their multiplication facts

Professional Learning

- Use of Data Walks to see best practices and the needs of the students.
- Incorporation of Professional Learning Communities to have the important conversations, analyze data, and deconstruct standards.

Special Highlights

- * Exemplar Arts Programs, which include Music and Art
- * Highlight Students who received Met/Meets or Exemplary/Exceeds on SC READY or SCPASS at our Annual Night with the Stars
- * Cancer Walk with all students and faculty
- * Two National Board Certified Teachers
- * Save the Children Program
- * Good News Club
- * Snack Packs distributed to students
- * Reading Buddies Mentoring Program
- * Pennies for Patients



Administration

Nakeisha Baxley Principal

<u>Teacher of the Year 2017-18</u>

Alyson Collins

<u>Teacher of the Year</u>

<u>2018-19</u>

Keith Augustine

Accreditation Information

Accredited by AdvancEd



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Mission

With the support of our parents and community, the mission of Williston School District 29 is to develop productive and respectful citizens by providing rigorous and enriching experiences in a safe environment.

Motto

#WeLOVE - We Live Our Values Every day

The purpose of this report is to highlight the progress KEES is making in achieving the goals and objectives of the school's strategic plan. This report has been developed to share the challenges and successes of the school, students, parents, and teachers.

Goals and Objectives

2017-18 Academic Snapshot

Kelly Edwards is currently a Tier I Comprehensive Support

and Improvement School.

Test Data: KEES students were assessed using the SC READY and SCPASS (Palmetto Assessment of State Standards) that align with the state academic standards. These assessments include English Language Arts, mathematics, science and social studies. The table below shows student scores from the 2018-19 academic school year.

| | 3rd | 4th | 5th |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Math (SCREADY)* | 44.6% | 18.6% | 19.4% |
| ELA (SCREADY)* | 41.5% | 14.3% | 14.7% |
| Science (SCPASS)** | N/A | 15.7% | N/A |
| Social Studies (SCPASS)** | N/A | N/A | 61.2% |

* % Scored Exceeds or Met on SCREADY

** % Scored Met or Exemplary on SCPASS

2018-19 Goals

• Our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades will increase the percentage of students scoring met or exemplary on English languagearts and math on SCREADY by 3-5 %.

For more information, you may view Kelly Edwards Elementary's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.

SIC Members

Jonna Adcox, Community Member Nakeisha Baxley, Principal/Ex-Officio Jennifer Bell, Parent Mattie Odom, Chair Kim Richardson, Teacher Tamora Parker, Teacher Felicia Wright, Parent

School Sponsored Events

- ► Back to School/ Meet the Teacher
- ► Open House
- ▶ Annual Book Fair
- ► Family Literacy/Math Night
- ► Christmas Program
- ► Annual African American Heritage Program
- ► Annual African American Heritage Parade
- ▶ Star Students Highlighted Each Month
- ► Character Trait of the Month
- ▶ Mother/Son and Father/Daughter Dance
- ▶ Game Day
- ► Field Day
- ► Spelling Bee
- ► Drugs Abuse Resistance Education
- ► Grandparents Day Luncheon
- ▶ Read Across America Week
- ► Geography Bee
- ► Donuts for Dad
- ► Muffins for Mom