

School Organizations

School Improvement Council 2018-19

Janice Barker - Chairperson
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Parent/Teacher Organization 2018-19

President	Stephany Uehling
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Treasurer	Sara Bailey
Fundraising	Jennifer Shepard
Volunteer Coordinator	Lauren Cropp
Corporate Programs	Christa Cassidy
Celebrations Coordinator	Monica Rasso
Staff Representative	Angela Black

Extracurricular Activities

School Clubs

Art Studio
Chorus
K-Kids
Student Lighthouse Leadership
Mathletes
Recycling
Video
You Just Run

Family Programs

Early Gators and Later Gators

After School Activities

Cheerleading
Golf
Karate
Science
Soccer

School Beliefs

“Sailing Beyond Excellence” in

- Leadership
- Community / Service Learning
- Rigorous Instruction



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In partnership with our community, we work to develop the global citizens of tomorrow –citizens who are prepared to lead and excel in their chosen pathway.

Lake Carolina Elementary Upper Campus



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SAILING BEYOND EXCELLENCE by...

Leading with respect by appreciating and valuing the ideas and differences of others.

Supporting rigor through challenging and differentiating instruction to develop critical thinkers.

Collaborating to achieve shared goals.



School Highlights & Awards

- DODEA STEM Grant 2018-2022
- DODEA Grant 2016-2021
- Victory Initiative Grant 2011-15
- NAPDS Award for Exemplary Professional Development School Achievement 2013
- National Schools of Character Award from Character Education Partnership 2010
- South Carolina Schools of Character Award 2009
- National Blue Ribbon 2008
- Palmetto's Finest 2007-2008
- South Carolina Report Card Rating - Excellent 2002-14
- Closing the Achievement Gap Award 2003-2014
- Palmetto Gold Award for Academic Achievement 2004-2014

Student and Teacher Information

513 Students in 3rd - 5th Grades

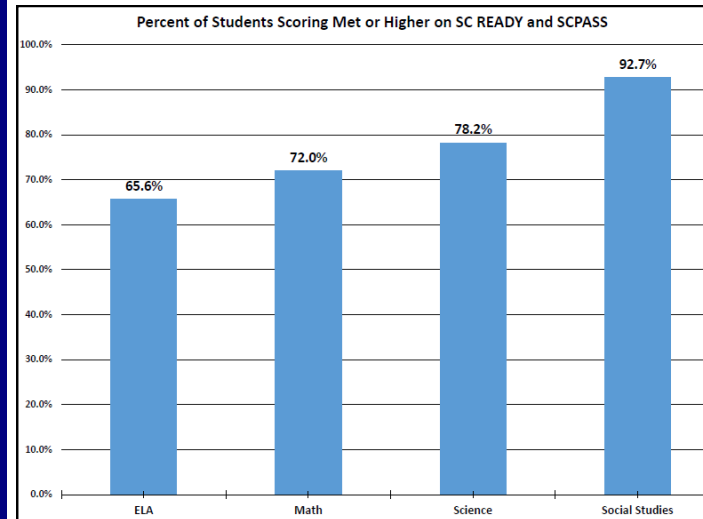
African American—43%
Asian—3%
Hispanic— 8%
White—38%
Other—7%

37 Certified Teaching Staff
(13 National Board Certified)



Test Scores

At the end of the 2017-18 school year, students in grades 3-5 were administered SC Ready for English/Language Arts and Mathematics. Students in grade 4 were also administered the SC PASS Science assessment and 5th grade students were administered SC PASS Social Studies.



Service Learning Projects

The Service Learning Projects for 2018-19 focused on supporting both our local community and national organizations.

- December: Support for Spring Valley High School *Winter Wishes*
- February/March: Support for California Wildfire Relief Fund
- April/May: Mathathon for St. Jude's Children's Hospital



Goals for 2019-20

- ◇ Implement 7 Mindsets program to strengthen character education program
- ◇ Introduce AVID strategies school-wide
- ◇ Increase rigor to challenge students at their academic level
- ◇ Continuing to build a strong partnership with our community as "one school, two campuses"
- ◇ Continue focus on literacy rich classrooms
- ◇ Continue to provide differentiated instruction and build online collaboration for students
- ◇ Continue STEM focus through Related Arts rotation

SIC Initiatives

- Both School Improvement Councils of Lake Carolina Elementary continue to ensure that we are "one school, two campuses" since the Upper Campus opened in August 2014.
- The SIC is helping to organize efforts to rejuvenate our outdoor classroom space for teachers to use throughout the year.
- Advocating with the Department of Transportation for the safety of all of our students on both campuses.

