

## #WeAreRobertSmalls

**Total Students:** 643

Black/African American – 47%

Hispanic/Latino – 26%

White – 19%

Other – 8%

**Students Qualifying for GT:** 4%

**Poverty Percentage:** 98%

**Multilingual Learners:** 21%

**Students receiving special education services:** 12%

**Students in the Response to Intervention program:** 21%



*Leader in Me unites students, staff, families, and the community around a common goal to prepare students with college, career, and life-readiness skills that are necessary to thrive in today's ever-changing, fast paced environment.*

## School Improvement Council Members

Dr. Celestine LaVan, Principal    Ashley Smith, Parent  
Davina Coleman, Asst. Prin.    Ashley Washington, Parent  
Mary Dorsey, Chairperson    James Morrall, Parent  
Jennifer Long, Co-Chair  
Raquel Cardenas, Secretary  
Violeta Magnus, Teacher  
Kelly Goudy, Teacher  
Dan Byrne, Community Member

## Robert Smalls International Academy



### **Annual School Improvement Council**

#### **“Report to Parents”**

**2020-2021**

*Proud to be a Title 1 School*

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## How Parents Can Become Involved in Addressing Academics

- Attend Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Read with your child 30 minutes daily
- Have your child use iReady at home
- Understand your child's MAP, SC Ready, SC PASS, and EOCEP scores
- Utilize the Power School Parent Portal to view grades
- Attend school sponsored events
- Participate in School Improvement Council and Parent Teacher Organization

## School Renewal Plan Goals

### **Goal #1**

By the end of 2023-2024, the percent of students in 3rd through 8th grade scoring Met and/or Exceeding on SC Ready ELA will increase from 24% to 50% and on SC Ready Math will increase from 31% to 55%.

### **Goal #2**

By the end of 2023-2024, Robert Smalls International will increase from 26% Mature to 100% on all the indicators within Professional Learning of the Leader in Me Lighthouse Rubric.

### **Goal #3**

By the end of 2023-2024, Robert Smalls International Academy will increase from 12.8% Mature to 100% Mature on all the indicators within Leadership Environment of the Leader in Me Lighthouse Rubric.

## RSIA Initiatives for Progress

- School-wide Response to Intervention implementation
- Behavior management support
- Before and after-school programs
- Leadership Goal-setting Notebooks
- Additional Targeted Support and Improvement (class size reduction)
- Increase technology-related learning opportunities for parents of second language learners

