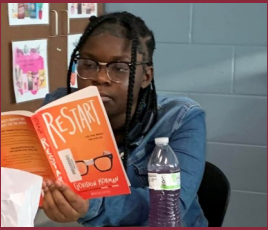


2023 Report to the Parents

LEAVELLE MCCAMPBELL

Middle School

Living, Leading, and Leaving a Legacy



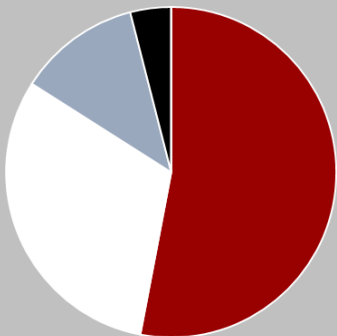
Our school engaged in a schoolwide reading and writing program featuring a book chosen by our Lighthouse (SIC) team. To motivate students to read and write consistently, we partnered with a local university, USCA, to offer exciting incentives, including free baseball tickets. We hope this program will inspire a love of reading and learning among our students. This continues to support the 4DX process of Leader in Me school where our students set goals, action plan, scoreboard, and celebrate during advisory in their leadership portfolios. For the 2021-2022 we increased by 4.8% on ELA SCREADY, 5% on Math SCREADY, and 14.6% on Science SCREADY.



LMMS faculty, staff, students, parents, and community worked hard over the last few years to continuously improve. The hard work was recognized as the SCASCD Whole Child Award winner, 2023 SREB Gene Bottoms Pacesetter Award Winner, Franklin Covey Lighthouse Certified School, and 2023 initial designation National Forum School to Watch. Our Future Cities students won Student Choice Award, Leadership Award, Best Use of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, and Judge Award Impressive Use of Recyclables. The school has aligned all of its systems with a clear vision to live, lead, and leave a legacy.



LMMS students complete a career assessment called YouScience identifying career paths based on aptitude and interests. Our leadership expo supports exploring these careers in an exciting event that exposes students to various career fields and provides them with hands-on field experiences. The expo includes STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) where students can learn about cutting-edge technologies. The Genetics bus field experience allows students to explore the wonders of genetics and learn about the latest research in the field. Students get the opportunity to take part in school-based enterprise trips, where they visit local businesses and learn about different career paths.



STUDENT COMPOSITION

- 53% Caucasian/white students
- 31% African American/black
- 12% Hispanic
- 4% other nationalities.



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WEB is a middle school orientation and transition program that welcomes 6th graders and makes them feel comfortable throughout the first year of their middle school experience. Built on the belief that students can help students succeed, the program trains mentors from LMMS's 8th grade class to be WEB Leaders. As positive role models, WEB Leaders are mentors and student leaders who guide the 6th graders to discover what it takes to be successful during the transition to middle school and help facilitate 6th grade success. After orientation, there are 5 follow up lessons the WEB leaders complete with 6th graders along with social events.



This year we implemented the Ron Clark Academy House System which is a dynamic, exciting, and proven way to create a positive climate and culture for students and staff. The House system at LMMS helps to build a culture of belonging. Throughout the year, each student's personal accomplishments are rewarded with points that collectively count toward his/her House. Houses create a school-wide community. In a House, students are able to interact with peers from other grade levels. Staff participation allows them to form strong bonds with a smaller group of students in their House. Additionally, it enables a playful sense of competition with students from other Houses. Houses build character as students' achievements add to a collective group, making the reward communal and social. This intrinsically motivates students as they realize the behavioral and academic traits and ethics



Leavelle McCampbell Middle offers Football, Volleyball, Cheerleading and Basketball through our athletic Department. Students have the opportunity to participate in Midland Valley athletics, as well. Both our volleyball and boys basketball team made it to the district finals.



Student Council, Academic Team, Beta Club, Broadcasting, Future Cities, Band, Career Guidance, Quarterly Academic Recognition, Character Education, Genius Hour, Virtual job Shadowing, Impact Projects, WEB leaders, Lighthouse team members, and JS2S military ambassadors are offered at Leavelle McCampbell.



Purpose of Report

"This Report is issued by the Leavelle McCampbell Middle 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."



SIC Members

- Chair: Mr. Robert Wise
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- Ms. Angela Odom, Parent*
- Ms. Melissa Johnson, Parent*



Goals Achieved

- ◇ Increased on the MRA on Belonging by 10 points with WEB and House Implementation
- ◇ Increased both ELA and Math scores by 5% creased Reading and Writing Achievement



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