

## Full STEAM Ahead!

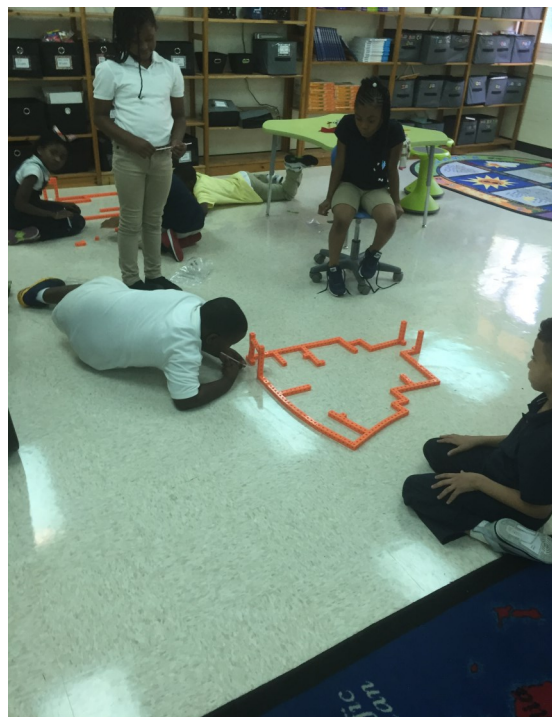
STEAM refers to science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematical fields of study. The term is recognized world-wide and describes a hands on, problem solving approach to education and curriculum in schools from kindergarten through college to career.

**STEAM Students at ELFES will:**

- Think like engineers, designers, and problem solvers.
- Identify and utilize creativity, inventions, and resources.



- Improve their ability to think critically and abstractly, work cooperatively and comprehend what they read.
- Model ethical and social responsibility and communicate ideas orally.



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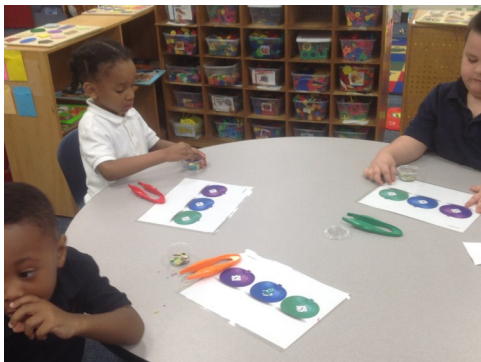
*Edith L. Frierson  
Elementary School  
of Technology*

**Technology Integrated STEAM  
School of Excellence**

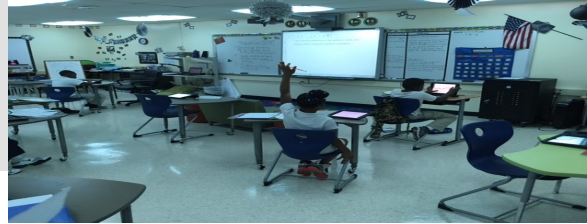


# School Mission

**E. L. Frierson School of Technology's mission is to develop confident life-long learners who are competent, responsible, and self-motivated by providing a safe environment where parents and teachers support children as they explore an integrated, culturally diverse, and innovative curriculum that fosters critical thinking and creativity.**



We have begun this journey engaged in many wonderful activities that have enriched the lives of our students. Our students work daily using the highest levels of technology. Our students are exposed to a full curriculum that encompasses the Arts in collabo-



ration with the greater community. This year has been busy, students at Frierson performed in the Annual Sea Island Festival, watched a performance of "Ferdinand the Bull" by the Charleston Symphony Orchestra, participated in a week of Fire Prevention activities with the "John's Island Fire Department", rode in the John's Island High School Homecoming Parade, and joined the school district in it's goal of ending bullying by participating in "Unity Day". At E. L. Frierson we embrace every opportunity to grow and as we experience the world before us.



We continue our work with: The Terrific Kids Program, Reading Partners; providing a one to one opportunity for our students to increase their reading skills, YoArt-Yo-Code; where our 5<sup>th</sup> grade students learn the basics of coding-the essential part of computer programming, 21<sup>st</sup> Century After School Program; where students engage in an opportunity for extended-day learning through the Cooking Club, STEAM Club, Crock-Pot Ladies Club, Sports Club, Arts and Craft Club, Computer Club, Sign Language, Modern Dance and the Step Team. We continue our focus on being one of CCSD's Personalized Learning Schools focusing on the integration on technology across all disciplines at each child's academic level. This is truly an amazing time at Edith L. Frierson. We are proud of our successes and are committed to providing our students with the best learning environment possible.

