

Student Activities

*Ronald E. McNair Day Competition
National History Day Competition
Arbor Day Competition
Reading Counts Program*

I-Ready Reading & Math Program

Monthly Club Day:

Master Chef's, Olanta Idols, Dare to Draw, Ladies of Distinction, Olanta Gentlemen, Broadway Theatre, Poetry Cats, Tech Titans, Hand to Hand, Hot off the Press (Newsletter), Craftastics, STEM

Weekly Clubs:

4H, Goodnews, Handy Helper's, Jr. Beta Club

*The Bailee Players production of
"The Snow Princess" featuring OES students*

Perfect 10

"Pawsitive" Referrals for "Going the Extra Degree"

*Olanta Town Hall Quarterly Recognition for
Citizenship Award*

Star Students of the Week

*Annual Pumpkin Contest
Annual Trunk or Treat
Annual Easter Bonnet Contest*

Help 4 Kids LunchBuddies Program

Carolina vs. Clemson Canned Food Drive Challenge

*Reading with Gamecock Challenge
Pizza Hut Book It Program*

Schoolwide Collard Garden

MAP Glo Party Incentive

School Recognition

USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Grant

Monsanto Agriculture Grant

(2) Santee Electric Bright Idea Grants

National School of Merit

Help4 Kids Donation Partner

Santee Electric WIRE Project School

2016-2017 OES SIC Members

Chair: Katie Lewis, Parent

Vice Chair: Dianne McKenzie, Parent Liaison

Secretary: Alvin Perhealth, Parent

Tessa Mims, Community

Vera Pryor, Teacher

Cynthia Johnson, Parent

Crystal Foe, PTO President

Dr. Barrineau, Principal

Ryan Milling, Assistant Principal



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"HEAT'n It Up with BEARCAT PRIDE!"

&

"EVERYBODY is a SOMEBODY!"

Dr. Cutina P. Barrineau, Principal
Mr. Ryan Milling, Assistant Principal

*Act Your Best! Do Your Best!
Believe, Achieve, Succeed!*



Student Achievement

District Recognition for 70% or higher SCPASS 4th & 5th grade Social Studies

National Beta School of Merit

Spring 17 MAP for 4th & 5th grade Math & Reading were higher than Spring 16 SCReady 4th & 5th grade Math & ELA

Spring 17 4th grade MAP Reading scores higher than their Spring 16 SCReady scores

Spring 17 5th MAP Reading and Math scores higher than their Spring 16 SCReady scores

Quarterly Citizenship Award from Olanta Town Council

District Arbor Day Winners and Runner-ups

District Winner for 4K/5K Ronald E. McNair Mannequin Challenge



Afterschool Programs

OES provides the **BEARCAT DEN** afterschool program from 3:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. Fee and registration information is available at

<http://www.oes.florence3.k12.sc.us/>

Technology @ OES

- 61 laptops were purchased this school year allowing for more 1:1 opportunities.
- Each teacher has an iPad for classroom use during small group instruction.
- There is a mobile laptop cart that is available for checkout to all classes.
- The OES computer lab currently has 29 computers available for classroom lab times and interventions.

Family & Community Engagement

- Back-to-School Supply collection
- Olanta Fall Festival Parade participant
- Public Library Story Time
- Parent Academies
- Fire Safety Week
- Trunk or Treat
- Canned food drive for local food pantry
- Thanksgiving Feast Community Dinner
- Partnership with Olanta Family Medical
- OES Holiday Make 'n Take Night
- Bearcat Bucks Store
- Dr. Seuss Reading Night
- Multicultural Night
- Dance with Dad
- Prom with Mom
- Grits for Grandparents Day



Being Involved

OES welcomes family and community involvement and encourages families and community members to become involved in classroom and school activities. OES has an active Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), School Improvement Council (SIC), and many other opportunities to support learning and our students such as Media Center helpers, test monitors, field day helpers, chaperones, and of course our popular OES Snack Shack.

Daily Instruction

OES believes in meeting the needs of each individual student. OES accomplishes this through small group instruction, one to one interventions, teacher/student conferencing in Reading and Writing as well as instruction that is data driven.

Community Partnerships

Thank you to our partners for all you do!

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| Olanta IGA | Citizen's Bank of Olanta |
| Olanta Town Hall | Olanta Library |
| Christian Unity | Olanta Lion's Club |
| Bethel Baptist | Olanta Baptist |
| Nazarene Methodist | Olanta Hardware |
| Santee Electric | Mims Mechanic Service |
| H.D.'s Quickstop | F & L Drugstore |
| Country Cousins | Floyd's Funeral Home |
| Restoration & Deliverance Family Worship Center | |
| | Olanta Rural Fire Department |
| | Olanta Alumni Association |
| | Help 4 Kids, Florence Chapter |