# Leaphart Elementary School STEAM Magnet



2022 - 2023 School Improvement Council Annual Report to Parents and Community

#### School Goals

- ☐ Grow our Readers
- Grow our Mathematicians
- Create a positive and cooperative learning environment
- #TrendThePositive with Families

#### **Our Mission Statement**

Our mission at Leaphart
Elementary School STEAM
Magnet is for all learners to
discover ways to solve
problems, design solutions
through an investigative
process, and develop the skills
needed for future success.
#Think3D

#### Instructional Initiatives

- Kagan Cooperative Learning
- Balanced Literacy
- Guided Math
- PBIS
- Professional Learning Communities (PLCs)

## **SIC Members**

Lindsey Young, Chair

Kathryn Grogan, Vice Chair

Markeida Singleton, Community Member

Katey Budzynski, Community Member

Lisa Farrell, Teacher

Codie Wright, Teacher

Courtney Sims, Principal

Chad Raynor, Assistant Principal

Emily Perkins, Magnet Lead Teacher Leaphart Elementary School's SIC (School Improvement Council) meets monthly to plan, monitor, and evaluate improvements at the school level. Its work includes school planning, as well as communication among students, teachers, parents, and the school administration.

This report is issued by Leaphart Elementary STEAM Magnet's School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law, the purpose of this report is to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals, the work of the School Improvement Council, and other accomplishments during the school year.

If you are interested in being part of SIC please contact Courtney Sims <a href="mailto:csims@lexrich5.org">csims@lexrich5.org</a>

### **School Demographics**

Current Enrollment: 495 students (4K - 5th grade)

- □ 50.1% Black/African American
- □ 27.8% White/Caucasian
- □ 7.4% Hispanic/Latino
- □ 2.4% Asian
- 12.1 % American Indian or Alaska Native, Two or More Races, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Proud Title 1 School
Pupils in Poverty: 69.83% (Title 1 School)
\*All students receive free breakfast and lunch\*

#### **Family & Community Events**

STEAM-O-Ween
Family STEAM Night
Ladies Love Math
Real Men Read
Family Literacy Night
Black History Read-In
Family Math Night
Engineering our Future Tag Awards
Harriet Tubman DaY
Green STEAM Week
STEAM-ing with Grands

## **ELA Data**

%of students who scored Met or Exceeds on SC Ready

School year	18 - 19	19 -20	20-21	21-22
%met or Exceed	42.8%	*N/A	30.1%	42.9%

## **Math Data**

%of students who scored Met or Exceeds on SC Ready

School year	18 - 19	19 -20	20-21	21-22
% met & exceed	43.7%	*N/A	31.5%	30%

\*SC Ready not administered during the 19-20 school year, due to COVID-19 state-wide school closure

# **State Department Survey Data**

School Year: 21- 22	Teachers	Students	Parents
#of surveys returned	38	223	42
Percent satisfied with the learning environment	94.7%	89%	92.3%
Percent satisfied with social and and physical environment	97.2%	85.9%	86.8%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	N/A	93.5%	87.9%





Teacher of the Year

Ashley O'Neal

Support Employee of the Year

Mary Ann Carter