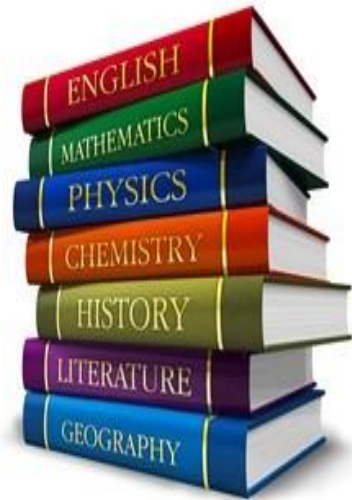


## ACADEMICS

- Mastery Connect
- Parent Night/ Open House
- I-Ready Goal Setting Workshops
- Grade Level Teams
- Departmental Planning
- Professional Learning Community (PLCs)
- Afterschool Program (Math)
- Data Analysis to Drive Instruction
- NIET(Collaboration)
- Math Nation



## INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS

- ✓ Athletic Tutoring
- ✓ School Garden
- ✓ Farming Initiative (Chickens)
- ✓ MAPPS
- ✓ Red Ribbon Week Activities
- ✓ College Tours
- ✓ Bullying Prevention Program
- ✓ DOVE Self-esteem Group
- ✓ G.O.A.T. (*Gentlemen Overcoming All Things Together*)

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- School Improvement Council
- Service-Learning Projects
- Parent/Teacher Conference Day
- United Way Fundraiser
- Suicide Prevention
- Breast Cancer Awareness
- Trunk or Treat
- Career Fair (*2025-The Final Rodeo*)

### Programs of the Arts

*Visual Arts  
Band*



## Robert E. Howard Middle School



# 2024-2025

## Annual Report to Parents



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*Mrs. Melissa Smalls, Assistant Principal*  
*Mr. Herman Jamison, Assistant Principal*

## Principal's Message

The administration, faculty, and staff of Robert E. Howard Middle School presents our 2024-2025 Annual Report to the parents and the Bruins community. This report summarizes our performance, mission, goals, and accomplishments during the academic school year.

Robert E. Howard Middle School remains committed to preparing our students for academic success. We believe that it is important for educators, parents, and communities to work together to continue to build a world-class school system. Don't hesitate to get in touch with me at 803-534-5470 if you have any questions regarding student achievement.

You are welcome to visit our school and participate in our educational journey as we continue to reach new heights.

**Dr. Donyale Mosley, *Principal***

## Fast Facts

Grade Levels: 6-8  
Student Enrollment: 391  
Number of Certified Staff: 35  
Number of Support Staff: 29  
Average Years of Experience: 17  
Advanced Degrees: 54.5  
Cognia Accredited  
2023-2024 Average School Rating  
National Board-Certified Teachers: 1

## 2024-2025 GOALS

- Goal 1:** Increase Student Learning
- Goal 2:** Improve Resource Management
- Goal 3:** Improve Human Capital
- Goal 4:** Increase Engagement
- Goal 5:** Safety... Above All Else

## Achievements:

- ✓ Students receiving local and state certificates recognizing in areas of writing, science, geography, arts, home arts, music, band, football, basketball, and leadership.
- ✓ County Fair Art winners.
- ✓ PSAT – Students' Average Outscored District, State, & National Averages
- ✓ Treble Chorale – Excellent Rating



## Athletics

★ ★ Basketball ★ ★

★ ★ Cheerleading ★ ★

★ ★ Football ★ ★

★ ★ Volleyball ★ ★

★ ★ Track ★ ★

★ ★ Wrestling ★ ★

★ ★ Baseball ★ ★

★ ★ Softball ★ ★

## **2024 -2025**

### **School Improvement Council Members**

Shanya Fogle  
Curshina Hilliard  
Valerie Hopkins Darby  
Latoya Miller  
Andrea Odom  
Williette Waring Berry  
Tameika Porterfield, Chair  
**Dr. Donyale Mosley, Ex-Officio**

## Mission Statement

The mission of Orangeburg County School District, the catalyst of innovation and excellence, is to ensure all students discover and develop their person, purpose and platform through high-quality educational experiences distinguished by:

- a culture of collaboration, equity and inclusion
- a creative learning environment with inspiring opportunities
- a commitment to nurture the academic, physical, social and emotional well-being of all.

## **OUR BELIEFS**

We Believe in...

- honoring individuality through respect and empathy empowers and promotes acceptance, which builds family and community.
- effective communication is key to understanding others.
- purpose is the core of existence.
- moral values shape who we are.
- a servant's heart encompasses love that is manifested in action and deed toward self and mankind.
- freedom is an inherent right.
- time is life's most valuable asset.
- a growth mindset is necessary to adapt and embrace change

