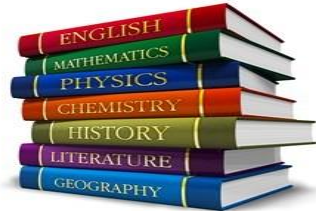


ACADEMICS

- Mastery Connect
- Flocabulary
- Parent Night
- MAP Goal Setting Workshops
- Grade Level Teams
- Departmental Planning
- Professional Learning Community
- Writing Across Curriculum
- Technology Wednesday
- ACT/Aspire Writing Tuesdays
- Afterschool Program
- Data Analysis to Drive Instruction
- Success Classes during the school day
- AVID classes
- Project CARES After School Program
- Renaissance Academy (Gifted & Talented)



INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS

- ✓ National Junior Honor Society
- ✓ SAT/ACT Assistance Program
- ✓ Coding Program Partnership w/ O-C Tech
- ✓ Renaissance Program (STEM) w/Claflin
- ✓ Athletic Tutoring
- ✓ MAPPS
- ✓ Red Ribbon Week
- ✓ College Tours
- ✓ Bullying Prevention Program
- ✓ Fly Five

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- School Improvement Council
- Service Learning Projects
- Character of the Month
- Parent/Teacher Conference Day
- March of Dimes Fundraiser
- United Way Fundraiser
- International Day
- Suicide Prevention
- Breast Cancer Awareness

Programs of the Arts

Visual Arts

Band



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2021-2022

Annual Report to Parents



**Dr. Sharon F. Hampton,
Principal**

*Melissa Amaker-Small, Assistant Principal
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Principal's Message

The administration, faculty, and staff of Robert E. Howard Middle School present our 2020-2021 Annual Report to the parents and the Bruins community. This report summarizes our performance, mission, goals and accomplishments we made 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 in order to continue to build a world-class school system. Please contact 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. Sharon F. Hampton, *Principal*



2021-2022 GOALS

- Goal 1:** Increase Student Learning
- Goal 2:** Improve Resources 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.
- ✓ District Spelling Bee competition.
- ✓ Band earned superior ratings in regional band competition.
- ✓ District Geography Bee Winner
- ✓ 2nd Place TechFIT (STEM) for Science & Engineering Innovations

Fast Facts

Grade Levels: 6-8
Student Enrollment: 370
Number of Certified Staff: 27
Number of Support Staff: 29
Average Years of Experience: 16
Advanced Degrees: 54.5
Sacs/CASI Accredited: Yes
Met Adequate Yearly Progress: No
National Board-Certified Teachers: 1

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 that...

- 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.
- growth mindset is necessary to adapt and embrace change

