

## School Organizations and Contacts

## Extracurricular Activities

## Bethel-Hanberry Elementary

### School Improvement Council Members

**Danielle Scott - Chair**  
**Kathryn Bozard**  
**Laticia Hardy**  
**Shannon Holland**  
**Ashley Johnson**  
**LaShonda Linnen**  
**Cassandra Portee**  
**Gregory Scott**  
**Shannon Shuler**  
**Cynthia Simpson**

### Parent/Teacher Organization

**Cynthia Simpson- President**  
**Elizabeth Austin - Vice President**  
**Charlotte Miller- Treasurer**  
**Elizabeth Gibbs- Secretary**

Chorus  
Flag Patrol  
Readers Book Club  
Recycling  
Steel Drum Ensemble  
WBHE News

### **Special Programs**

After-School and Summer Programs  
Bow-tie Gents  
Character Kids Celebrations  
Cheer  
Class of the Week  
Dance  
Girls in Pearls  
Positive Behavior Interventions  
and Supports  
Run Hard  
Students of the Week  
Teacher Cadets-w/Blythewood High  
School  
Westwood High School  
Taekwondo



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## School Highlights & Awards

Bethel-Hanberry Elementary has been making its mark when it comes to the general and growth performances of our students. Our long-standing history of being a community school fosters support from our entire learning community, which we are most grateful for the support of our entire learning community. Under the leadership of our Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO), our students, parents and supporters have raised nearly \$34,000. We were able to enhance our school's technology capabilities and help with other general needs. Our School Improvement Council (SIC) has provided guidance and leadership in our pursuit of excellence and continues to plan parent information sessions to keep parents abreast of ways they can continue to aid their children's success. Additionally, the faculty is working towards literacy endorsement as required by the Read to Succeed Act.

### Awards

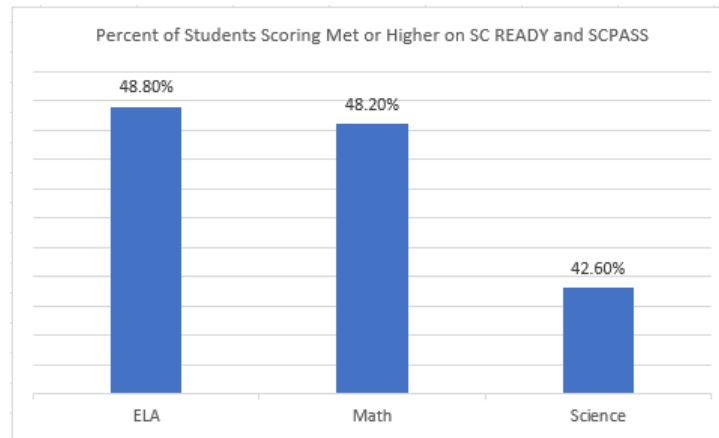
Alliance for a Healthier Generation Award  
Silver Partner Safe Routes to School South Carolina  
Docs Adopt School Wellness Achievement Award

## Student Information

Enrollment Pre-K—5th—831 students  
59% African American  
22% Caucasian  
9% Hispanic  
10% Other

**38 Homeroom Teachers**  
(16 National Board Certified)

## Test Scores



### Technology

- All rooms have wireless internet & smart boards
- One-to-One Technology for K-5th grades
  - Document Cameras
    - E-Books
    - Web Cams
- Blended Learning & eLearning
  - Tag Readers
  - Playaways
- Tech Class for all students
  - Mobile Clear Touch

### Major Grants Received

DoDEA Grant

## Goals for the next school year

- ◆ Continue incorporation of the South Carolina College-and-Career Ready Standards for English Language Arts and Mathematics as well as South Carolina Science and Social Studies Standards.
- ◆ Maintain a school culture which cultivates learning, character, community, and joy.
- ◆ Strengthen partnerships with community stakeholders.
- ◆ Continue to focus on collaborative, student-centered, technology-rich classroom experiences.
- ◆ Continue the use of Positive Behavior Interventions and Support for the entire school community.
- ◆ Sustain rigorous and authentic learning opportunities which result in students gaining deeper understanding of the content.
- ◆ Raise achievement for all students through the school-wide implementation of applied gifted pedagogy and effectively differentiated curricular practices.
- ◆ Cultivate cultural and diversity awareness through exposure to the Fine Arts.
- ◆ Showcase the passions and talents of our stakeholders.
- ◆ Continue to focus on AVID skills and strategies to help students be successful.