

School Organizations and Contacts

School Improvement Council

Amanda Marshall, Chairperson
Eric White
Kadenia Javis
Karmen Frazier
Carol Gaskins
Dr. Sandra Grant, School Counselor
Rashad Adams, Asst. Principal
Karen Beaman, Principal

Parent/Teacher Organization

Kayla Fettig, President
Ginger Painter
Anne Pierce
Nikki Fregger
Randi Cook
Amy Swick
Ryon Miro
Stacy Branham
Sharon Fleming
Sonja Parnell, Asst. Principal
Karen Beaman, Principal



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Programs

Leadership Opportunities

Safety Patrol
ACE Student Council
Peer Mediators
USC v Clemson Canned Food Drive
Bowtie Boys/ Pearls for Girls Mentors
AVID Student Leaders
Bee Greeters
Morning Show
Camera Crew
Chorus
Book Buddies/Math Buddies
Bee Buggy School Store
Recycling Club and many, many more!

Programs and Events

Nelson Cares After School Program
LBN Family Nights
Buzz-In (Back to School Night)
Pastries for Parents, Grits for Grandparents
Covey Clubs
Arts Day, Field Day, Science Day
African-American Read-In
Veterans Day Activities
Chorus Performances
Project Citizen, Patriots Day, Market Day
Boy Scouts/ Girl Scouts
Black History Program
Career Day, Leadership Day, AVID Day
Honeybee Observation Hive
DARE
CEO Breakfast (Chief Example for Others)
Bracket Breakfast

Congratulations to our ACE Magnet, the Academy for Civic Engagement, for being named a Demonstration School for the National Magnet Schools Of America award! We are so proud!

Lonnie B. Nelson Elementary



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**Principal: Mrs. Karen Beaman
Assistant Principals: Dr. Sonja Parnell
and Mr. Rashad Adams
Lead Teacher ACE: Mrs. Dawn Smith**

**School Hours: 7:30am—4:00pm
Grades: Pre-K—5th grade**

*Learning to Lead, Leading to learn
better myself, home, school, and world.*

School Highlights & Awards

Lonnie B. Nelson has a rich 54 year history of providing a quality education for children. We continue our study of *The Leader In Me* and *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People*, by Steven Covey. Our staff, students, and families have embraced learning the habits as we learn to be highly effective people. Our school offers a variety of opportunities to learn leadership and find and build upon our individual strengths.

AVID is Advancement Via Individual Determination. With the right mindset and tools, we know our students can do anything they put their minds to. We focus on leadership with a college and career ready focus to ensure success now and in their futures.

Academy For Civic Engagement is a school-within-a-school magnet at Lonnie B. Nelson. The focus for the ACE magnet is building student leadership through government, economics and service learning.

Awards or Recognition received:

National Magnet School of America:

Demonstration School

AVID Showcase School

Healthy Alliance Grant 2015, 2016, 2017

SDE Service Learning Award

Project Citizen State and National (1st place winner)

Sparkleberry Grant Recipient

Student Information

Student Enrollment: 596

Percentage of:

65% African American

18% White

2% Asian

8% Hispanic

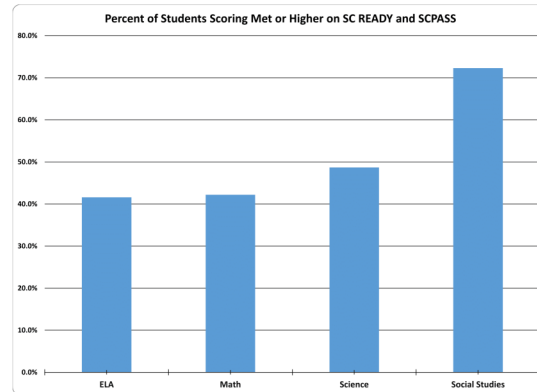
6% Bi-Racial

1% Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islanders

34 Teachers

10 National Board Certified

Test Scores



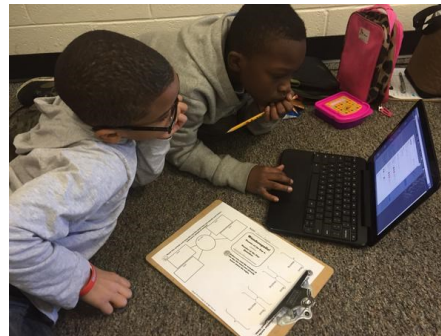
Technology

1 TWO 1 Chromebooks (all students in grades 3-5)

Mobile Carts of Chromebooks and iPads

Osmo kits (Coding devices) for classroom checkout and use
SMART Interactive boards and Document Cameras in every classroom

Innovative Projects involving Blended Learning, Blogging, ,
Edmodo/Google Classroom/SeeSaw and Video Editing



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Goals for the next school year

Lonnie B. Nelson Elementary is building College and Career Ready Learners and Leaders to Better Serve Our World. We are helping all students develop the world class skills and life & career characteristics of the "Profile of the SC Graduate" by:

- ◆ Emphasizing student leadership, igniting excitement for learning as well as maintaining a positive, safe, and serving climate through the use of the *7 Habits of Highly Effective People* by Stephen Covey.
- ◆ Focusing on student engagement through staff development and improving our design of curriculum and student work, embracing the state standards
- ◆ Embracing the 1 TWO 1 technologies, continuing to design for student engagement and application utilizing the technology that can customize learning and connect students to their greater world
- ◆ Measuring and tracking academic progress on a regular and meaningful basis to inform instruction and build student accountability ☑
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