

OUR MISSION

THE MISSION OF BETHEL ELEMENTARY IS TO ENGAGE CHILDREN IN A NURTURING LEARNING ENVIRONMENT AND TO PROVIDE A QUALITY EDUCATION.

BETHEL PROFILE

Principal Matthew Critell
Assistant Principal
Susan Skelton
Assistant Principal
Carol Lynn McCuen
Grades K5 – 5th grade
Enrollment 927(Current)
Teachers/Staff 84
School Colors Red and White
Mascot Cardinal
Motto Cardinals Fly High!

OUTSTANDING

FEATURES OF BETHEL

- After School Enrichment Programs
- Auditioned Chorus (4th, 5th)
- Bethel Bash and Silent Auction
- Cardinal News TV Broadcast
- CATCH (Coordinated Approach to Child Health)
- Gifted & Talented Program
- Character Education Program
- 1:1 Device Program
- Extended Day Program
- Grade Level Fieldtrips
- Lunch & Learn Parenting Programs
- Burgers with the Bald Guy
- Multiage Classes
 - Primary – 1st- 2nd
 - Intermediate – 3rd - 4th
- National Board Certified Teachers
- Reading Intervention Program (RtI)
- Girls on the Run
- Bethel Bots Robot Lending Program
- Spring Picnic
- STEAM and Innovation Labs
- Archery Club
- Cardinal Crew Spirit Wear
- Exemplary Media Center Collection
- Safety Patrol
- Meet the Teacher Adventure
- Battle of the Books
- Mentor Upstate Partnership
- Good News Club

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ELEMENTARY

ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS 2023 - 2024

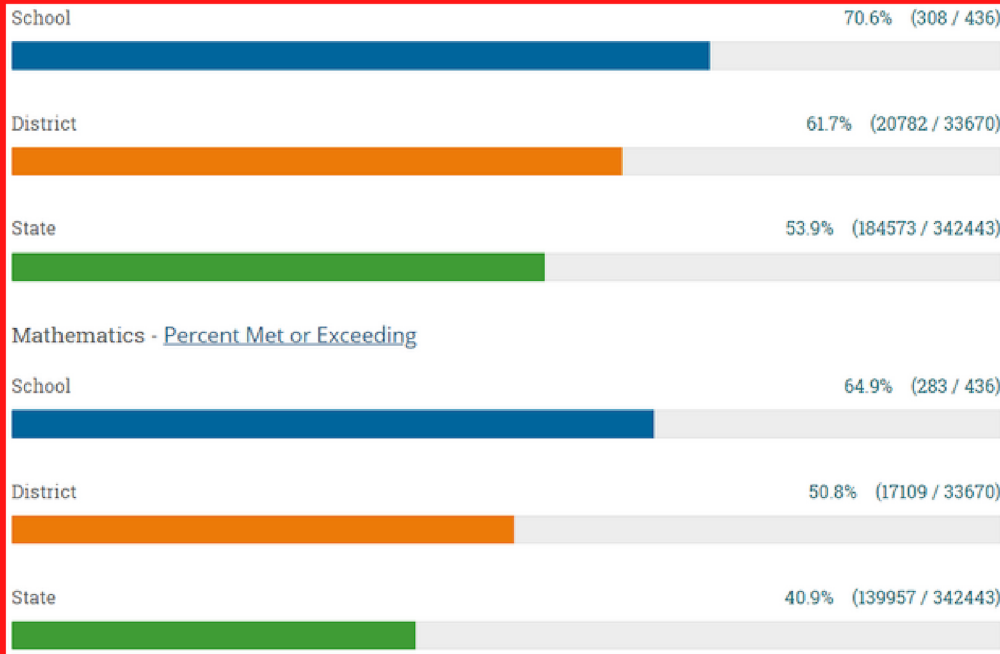
AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

2024 SCAEA YAM 1st Place, Cassie Deal
2024 SCASL Video Production 3rd Place, Video Production - Cassie Deal
2024 State PTA Reflections Winner, Video Production - Cassie Deal
2024 District PTA Reflections Winner, Video Production - Cassie Deal
2024 Upstate Educators Who Make a Difference - Matt Critell
2023 Excellent School Report Card Rating
2023 Battle of the Books Finalist
2023 State PTA Reflections Winner, Video Production - Cassie Deal
2023 District PTA Reflections Winner, Video Production- Cassie Deal
2023 State PTA Reflections Winner, Music Composition, Manning Dailey
2023 District PTA Reflections Winner, Music Composition, Manning Dailey
2023 SUPERIOR Rating at Carowinds Music Festival
2023 SCASL School Librarian of the Year, Jill Tyner
2022-2023 GCS Top Ten Teacher of the Year, Janet Gantt
2022 GCIRA Literacy Principal of the Year, Matt Critell
2022 Excellent School Report Card Rating
2019 Palmetto Gold Award
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2019 Wellie Award Winner
2016 National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
2016 Palmetto Gold Award
2016-2017 GCS Teacher of the Year, Katie Saunders
2015-2016 American Heart Association Gold Fit-Friendly Worksite
2015-2016 Energy Star Rated Facility
2014-2015 Greenville County Schools Safety Award
2014-2015 Palmetto Gold Award
2014-2015 National Beta Club School of Distinction
2014-2015 LiveWell Greenville 2015 Healthy School Award
2014-2015 God's Pantry Certificate of Excellence and Appreciation
2014-2015 LiveWell Greenville Out of School Time Silver Award Winner (EDP)
2014-2015 SCPTA Award of Excellence in Membership Promotion



MOST RECENT PERFORMANCE DATA

SC READY MATH/ELA 2023 DATA



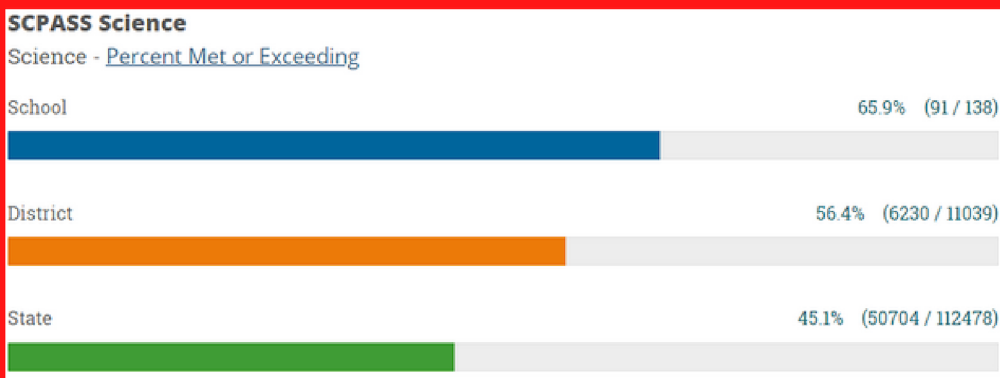
SIC MEMBERS

Kristin Dawsey, Community Member (Chair)
 Kayla Pegram, Teacher (Secretary)
 Laura Arabea, Teacher
 Casey Townsend, Parent
 Megan Dunn, Parent
 Chrissy Deal, Parent
 Cathleen Christie, Parent

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

Matthew Critell, Principal
 Susan Skelton, Assistant Principal
 Carol Lynn McCuen, Assistant Principal
 Shalonda Blakeney, Instructional Coach
 Sarah Lynn Howie, PTA Rep.

SC READY SCIENCE 2023 DATA



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