



VISION STATEMENT

Whale Branch Middle School is an inspiring environment of excellence and diversity, incorporating Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) in order to cultivate students who will be motivated to achieve success in school and society.

MISSION STATEMENT

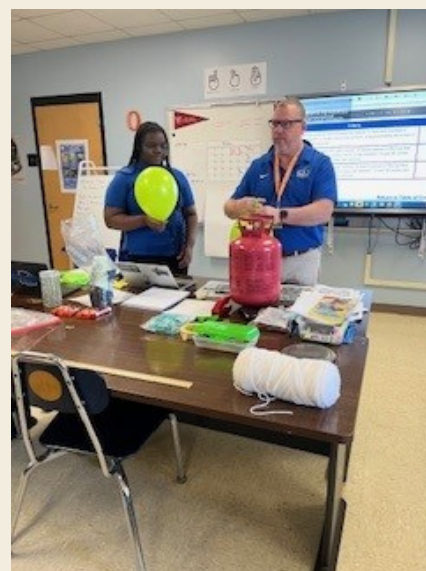
All stakeholders at WBMS will grow as learners in a creative, nurturing, and 21st century learning environment, as well as be exposed to meaningful experiences that will cultivate a well-rounded, thoughtful citizen.



ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

- Daily Intervention/Enrichment for every child within small groups
- Mt. Carmel Afterschool Program
- Morning Care
- Boys and Girls Club
- STEAM-Integration Classrooms
- Inclusive Environment Support
- At least 1 extension of learning on field trips per grade level
- Multi-tiered System of Support (MTSS)
- Positive Behavior Intervention Support
- Goal-Setting Support by on-site counselors
- Access to High School Courses for high achieving students
- Writing Program that supported the high Reading Students to ensure success on SC Ready ELA State Assessment
- Incubate Debate Team



REPORT TO PARENTS & COMMUNITY 2023-2024

Jamie M. Allen,
Principal

"Pursuing Excellence!"

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

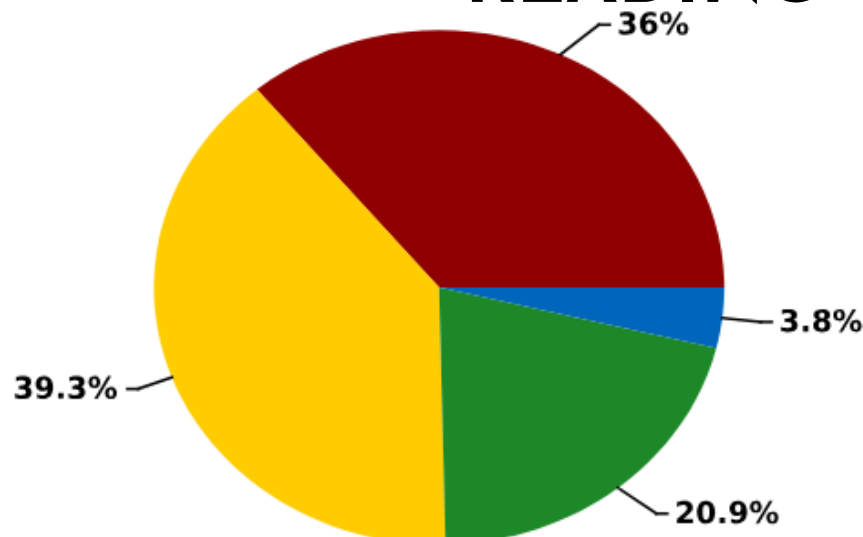
- Vaden of Beaufort Partnership
- Lowcountry Food Bank Distribution & Backpack Buddies
- Burton Fire District and Mt. Carmel
- Heritage Community Farm partnership
- Alpha Graphics Partnership

SPECIAL HIGHLIGHTS

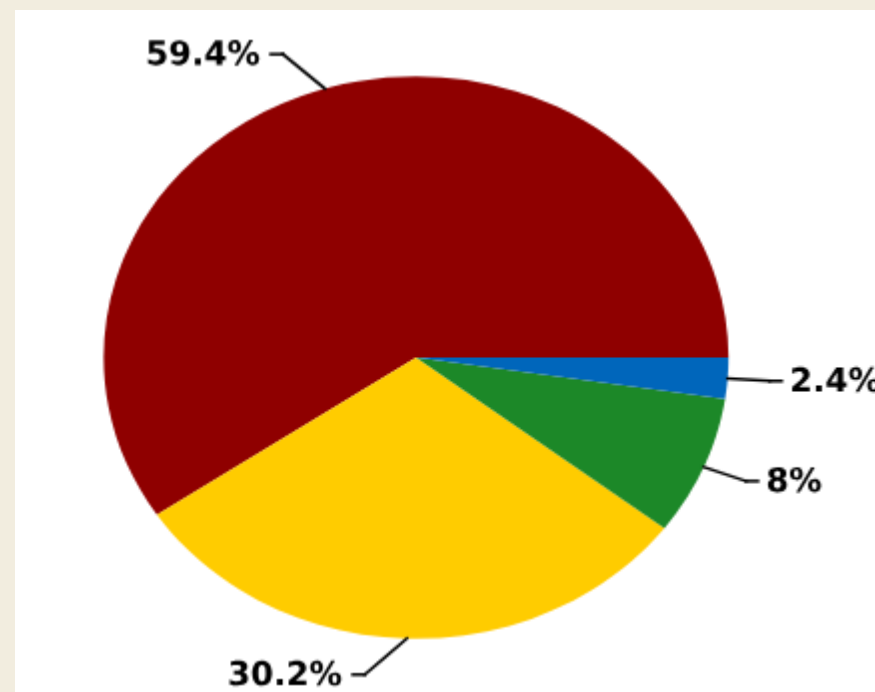
- House System: 8 Houses, 1 Family
- Small Class Sizes
- Distinguished PLTW School
- Special Olympics
- Award Winning Science Fair Participation
- Garden Club
- Media Club- News show led by our students
- Athletic Programs (cheerleading, football, volleyball, basketball, soccer, baseball)
- Band, Chorus, and Art Courses
- Spanish and Career/Technology Courses
- Author Visit

MAP PROFICIENCY PROJECTIONS

READING



MATH



EXPECTATION MASTERY KEY

RED-DOES NOT MEETS
YELLOW-APPROACHES
GREEN- MEETS
BLUE: EXCEEDS

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNSEL



SIC MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE FIRST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 5:30 PM.

PARENT LIAISON



SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHICS

73% African American
16% Hispanic
6% Multi-Race
5% Caucasian