

Beaufort Middle School



Mission:

To guide, prepare, and engage learners to succeed academically, artistically, and technologically in the future they create and serve.

Vision:

We envision all learners engaged in personalized, arts-infused, relevant experiences that guide and prepare students for an ever-changing global society.

We believe the Arts and Arts Integration:

- Advance academic achievement across disciplines
- Bring energy and joy to learning
- Broaden perspectives, enrich intellect, and foster creativity
- Encourage a cooperative spirit
- Promote personal responsibility
- Celebrate individual differences
- Build self-esteem
- Provide unique leadership opportunities



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ABC PROJECT

Arts in Basic Curriculum



Opportunities in the arts include Media Arts, Visual Arts, Theater, Chorus, Band, Strings, Guitar, Dance and Creative Writing.

All students participate in the arts.

20% of students are identified artistically gifted and talented.

"The school maintains an ongoing effort to infuse arts throughout the content areas of the curriculum including math, history, and the sciences, in order to strengthen academic achievement as defined in their strategic plan. We recommend Beaufort Middle School for their focus on quality arts programming and integration for all students. We are fortunate to be able to share in the fruits of their labors as evidenced by those students and their families that have developed a life-long appreciation of the arts as a result of their exposure to the arts in school."

-Alana Adams, Director of Education at Arts Center of Coastal Carolina



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ABC School
School of Choice
in the Arts



Designated as an Arts in the Basic Curriculum School since 2010



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Nine years designated as an Arts in the Basic Curriculum School (since 2010).

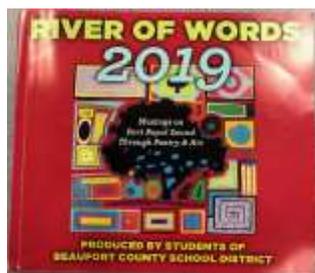
Funded for a Distinguished Arts Program since 2009.

Vibrant community support of the arts in BMS are evident through participation on our Core Arts Team and donations in the building via the art gallery, courtyard, and public art displays.

40 artists in residencies funded through ABC and DAP over the past nine years.

BMS annually hosts visitors of the arts through school visits, arts advocacy with legislators, and local arts conferences.

"BMS has many great things to offer for kids. One thing is the high education that the teachers give us to prepare for high school. ...Mainly, one thing that triumphs over all that is how this school has made me who I am today."
Jasmine Rivers, 8th grade student



Student publications feature original artwork and writing.

Student art is displayed in local galleries and businesses.

Annual school-wide musicals:

Lion King, Jr.
2017

You're a Good Man,
Charlie Brown
2018

Little Mermaid, Jr.
2019

Honk, Jr.
2019



Tri-M Musical Honor Society formed in 2014 with 50 members

Instrumental chamber groups performed for various school and community events

Students performed in All-District Orchestra 2014 through 2020

Male Troubadour Ensemble formed in 2014

Community history and performing arts extravaganza with feeder elementary schools

7th & 8th Grade Band & Orchestra performed for state performance assessments yearly since 2014

Singing Gryphons performed in various doctors' offices, Beaufort City Hall, and Port Royal City Hall



"As a third-year parent, I am grateful for everything the teachers, administration, and support staff do to make Beaufort Middle School a great school and learning experience. I always feel welcomed and lines of communication are always open. It is a supportive environment and teachers go the extra mile to connect with their students and help them meet their potential. With emphasis not just on academic results but also on growing in confidence and developing into capable and happy people, it is clear how much the teachers and staff care about their students. If your child is interested in the arts, student clubs and activities, or sports, there is something for everyone at Beaufort Middle School." - Ali Rogers, Parent of 8th grade student