

# E.B. Ellington Center for Advanced Studies

Accepting Students entering Kindergarten to Grade 4

## Applying for the 2016-17 School Year

- E.B. Ellington Center for Advanced Studies will accept applications from any resident of District 23. Please call 843-889-9411 for more information.
- Application materials must be returned to E.B. Ellington, 5540 Old Jacksonboro Road, Ravenel, SC 29470.
- Completed applications must be submitted by April 8th, 2016. All mailed applications must be postmarked by this date.
- If contact or student information changes, parents are responsible for contacting the school, and for making those changes.



## About Our School

E. B. Ellington Center for Advanced Learning (opening August 2016) aims to challenge and inspire students in their quest for lifelong learning. This program is designed to develop well-rounded students with character who respond to challenges. We will offer a curriculum that includes opportunities to:

- Develop higher order thinking skills
- Practice real world problem solving
- Focus on leadership and literacy-rich curricula
- Participate in inquiry-based learning
- Build capacity with enthusiasm and empathy
- Celebrate our common humanity
- Engage in “authentic learning experiences”
- Become better prepared for success in a highly competitive global economy

Our gifted math program will include hands-on project-based learning and thematic units. Interdisciplinary units will allow students to engage in local and global issues and take responsibility for their own learning. Students will model what successful readers, writers, mathematicians, scientists, and social scientists do. They will attend field studies where they will learn through discussions, observation, and problem solving. Spanish will be taught by a certified teacher, and will be a required subject for all students beginning in Kindergarten. Technology will be integrated throughout the curriculum. Students will have the opportunity to join our Garden Club, STEM Club, Chess Club, and Robotics Club.

Date	Application Step
Monday, March 1st, 2016 Application available on website	Application available online as well as the school's website
Wednesday, March 16, 2016	E.B. Ellington Center for Advanced Studies Open House
April 8th, 2016	Applications must be received or postmarked by 4:00 pm
April 11-15, 2016	Applications reviewed for testing
April 18-30, 2016	Testing, Lottery Drawing if required Date TBD
May, 2016	Letters mailed to applicants regarding acceptance
2016-2017	E.B. Ellington Center for Advanced Studies School Year Begins
August 11, 2016	Back To School Night E.B. Ellington Center for Advanced Studies

# Choice Application Advanced Studies at E.B. Ellington for the 2016-2017 School Year: Part A

Please print in pen or type your responses on-line. Submit a printed application to each school to which you are applying, and contact the school with any questions.

Completed by School  
Date Application Received

**Residency Verification Information:** Only current residents may be admitted to this school for the 2016-2017 school year. Students and families who resides outside of Charleston County may submit an application to attend this school. However, ALL students admitted to this school will have to verify that they are a resident of Charleston County by August 1, 2016. Students who fail to verify their residence will lose their seat after August 1, 2016. NO EXCEPTION will be allowed. Some schools may have additional residency requirements. Please refer to each school's cover sheet for more information.

School Student is Applying to Attend in 2016-2017

Name of School Student is Enrolled in During the 2015-2016 School Year (if applicable)

Name of School Student is Zoned to Attend During the 2016-2017 School Year

## Student Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Date of Birth	Gender Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Grade for the 206-2017 School Year
Street Address		Apartment/Unit #
City	State	Zip code
Mailing Address (if different from above)		Apartment/Unit#
City	State	Zip code

## Parent/Guardian Information

Last Name	First Name	Relationship to Child
Street Address		Apartment/Unit #
City	State	Zip Code
Mailing Address (if different from above)		Apartment/Unit#
City	State	Zip code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email Address

## Additional Parent/Guardian Information *if applicable*

Last Name	First Name	Relationship to Child
Mailing Address		Apartment/Unit#
City	State	Zip code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email Address

\* Documents required for residency verification can be found by visiting [CCSDSchools.com](http://CCSDSchools.com) and clicking on "Our Schools."