



**E.B. Ellington Elementary
School**

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Media Advisory

Grammy Award-winning artist set to visit E.B. Ellington

Who: Media outlets are welcome and encouraged to attend.

What: As part of its Black History Month celebration, E.B. Ellington Elementary School will host Charlton Singleton, founding member of the band, Ranky Tanky, for two performances for the students. Singleton and Ranky Tanky recently won the Grammy Award for best Regional Roots Album with "Good Time." Much of their music is inspired from the Gullah culture.

Singleton, who frequently makes appearances in local schools, is a native of Charleston County.

When: Monday, February 24, 2020; 9:00 a.m. (grades PreK-2) and 10:00 a.m. (grades 3-5)

Where: E.B. Ellington Elementary School, 5540 Old Jacksonboro Road, Ravenel, SC 29470

For more information about Charlton Singleton's visit, please contact Principal James E. Dallas at (843) 889-9411.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.