

2017 State Spelling Bee Winners

STATE CHAMPION – Porter-Gaud School

STATE RUNNER-UP – Mason Preparatory School

3rd Grade Champion – Ellie Plunkett from Mason Preparatory School

3rd Grade Runner-Up – Harrison Thayer from St. Peter's Catholic School

4th Grade Champion – Ava Maya Kanitkar from Heritage Christian Academy

4th Grade Runner-Up – Mac Flynn from Porter-Gaud

5th Grade Champion – Amay Arora from St. Andrew's School

5th Grade Runner-Up – Jacob Mijalli from Dillon Christian School

6th Grade Champion – Shiv Mehta from Mason Prep

6th Grade Runner-Up – Ava Stillwagon from St. Andrew's School

7th Grade Champion – Brandon Tregde from Christian Academy of Myrtle Beach

7th Grade Runner-Up – Sophie Levenson from Porter-Gaud

8th Grade Champion – Sydney Kindsvater from Thomas Sumter Academy

8th Grade Runner-Up – Gavin Milligan from Porter-Gaud