

**Honoree:** Lorenzo Levon Kirkland

**Grade Levels:** 6-8

**Subject:** English Language Arts

**Objective and Standard Addressed:**

**CCSS**

**W.8.6** Use technology, including the Internet, to produce and publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others; demonstrate sufficient command of keyboarding skills to type a minimum of three pages in a single sitting.

**Materials:**

South Carolina African American History Calendar

Paper

Pencils

Computers

**Procedures:**

1. Present the biography of Lorenzo Levon Kirkland.
2. Mr. Kirkland graduated from Clemson University and played in the NFL.
3. Conduct research to find out about the history of Clemson University.
4. Compose your information into an essay consisting of five paragraphs.

**Evaluation:**

Use the HSAP Extended Response Scoring Rubric found at the link below:

<http://ed.sc.gov/agency/programs-services/43/documents/errubric032204.pdf>