

REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

Chesnee Middle School's shared mission is to prepare students for success in college, career, and life by providing rigorous and relevant educational, athletic, and artistic experiences so that all students are empowered to reach their full potential and become high-functioning citizens.

Chesnee Middle School's shared vision is to be the finest middle school for students to learn, grow and achieve by providing an energetic, engaging, and personalized experience in a safe, student-centered, academically challenging, friendly and equitable environment.

E.A.G.L.E.

Engage in Learning
Accept Responsibility
Give Respect
Lead by Example
Encourage Positive Attitudes



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SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Principal: Laura Wyatt
Assistant Principal: Steven Fusaro
Wes Boyd: SIC Chairperson
Sonia Capotosti: Secretary
Tasha Rowland: Parent
Kris Showen: Parent
Leslie Johnson: Community Liaison

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE RESULTS

SCREADY

SC Ready ELA, Math, and Science

CMS Students Scoring Meets or Exceeds Expectations

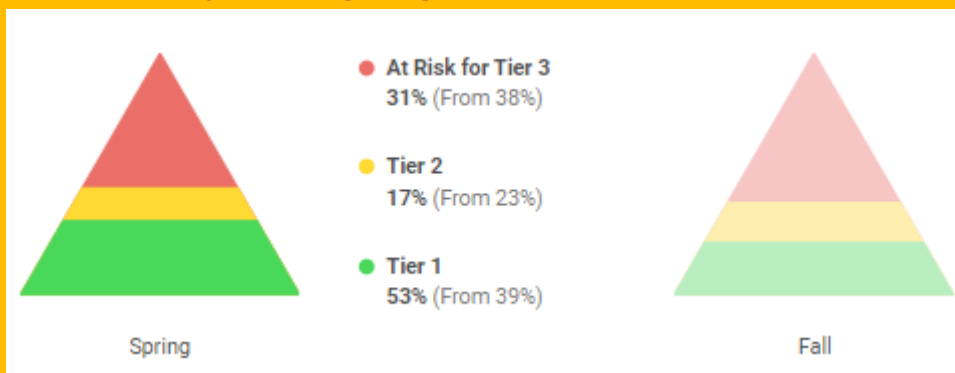
YEAR	ELA	MATH	SCIENCE
2023	60.2%	44%	57%
2022	52.5%	46%	51.5%
2021	48.5%	36%	55.5%

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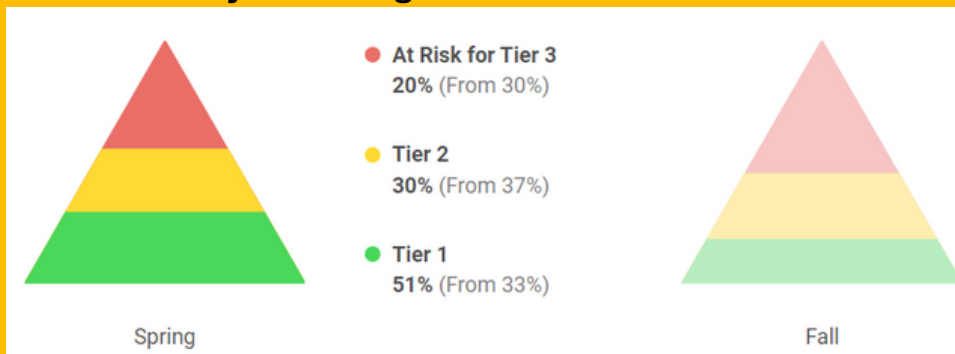
100% of Algebra I students passed the End of Course Exam!

i-READY

iReady Reading Diagnostic Growth 2023-2024



iReady Math Diagnostic Growth 2023-2024



ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS



Junior Beta Club attended the Beta Club Covention for the first time in school history and was named a School Of Merit.



The CMS Model UN team visited Williamsburg, Virginia for the William and Mary Conference.



Five students earned recognition as Junior Scholars. Delilah Jolley earned the highest PSAT score for the school.



Spelling Bee Winner: Calep West, 7th Grade



ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS



The undefeated CMS Wrestling Team won the Foothills Conference Regular Season Duals Championship.



The boys basketball team finished 2nd in the Clifdale Middle Invitational Pre-Season Tournament. They ended the season 2nd in the conference. Two players made the All-Conference Team.



The girls basketball team won the Clifdale Middle Invitational Pre-Season Tournament. They ended the season 2nd in the conference. Two players made the All-Conference Team.

ARTS ACHIEVEMENTS



7th & 8th Grade Honor Band earned a Superior rating at Concert Performance Assessment (CPA)

5 students participated in Region Band, with 2 All-State callbacks.

8 students participated in the Limestone Honor Band Clinic.



CMS Chorus students participated in Spartanburg Sings, a joint choral performance by Spartanburg County Schools.



7th and 8th Grade Orchestra students earned a Superior rating at Concert Performance Assessment (CPA).

DEVELOPING LIFELONG LEARNERS

PROFILE OF THE
South Carolina Graduate

WORLD-CLASS KNOWLEDGE

Rigorous standards in language arts and math for career and college readiness

Multiple languages, science, technology, engineering, mathematics (STEM), arts and social sciences



WORLD-CLASS SKILLS

Creativity and innovation
Critical thinking and problem solving
Collaboration and teamwork
Communication, information, media and technology
Knowing how to learn

LIFE AND CAREER CHARACTERISTICS

Integrity • Self-direction • Global perspective • Perseverance • Work ethic • Interpersonal skills

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Adopted by: SC Arts Alliance, SC Arts in Basic Curriculum Steering Committee, SCASCD, SC Chamber of Commerce, SC Commission on Higher Education, SC Council on Competitiveness, SC Education Oversight Committee, SC School Boards Association, SC State Board of Education, SC State Department of Education, TransformSC Schools and Districts

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TRANSFORMING SCHOOLS AND DISTRICTS

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Chesnee Middle School strives to provide opportunities for students to develop as well-rounded citizens who demonstrate world class, life, and career characteristics of the Profile of the SC Graduate.

Clubs and Organizations

Project Lead the Way

Creative Writing

AVID

JROTC

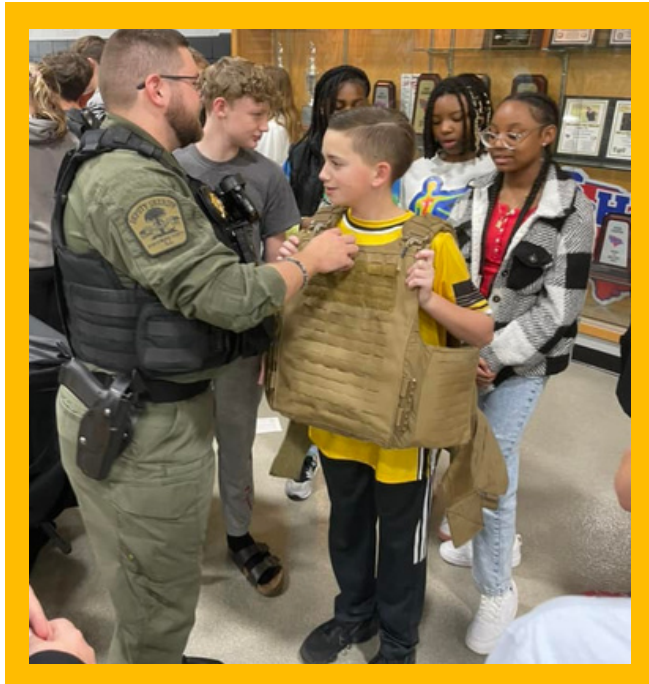
Model UN

Beta Club

Band Club

Book Club

Game Club



College & Career Awareness

Career fairs

Swofford Career Center Tour

Career Awareness Events

Career Cafe'

Job Shadow Day

Teachers Model Lifelong Learning and Growth Mindset

- Teachers work collaboratively in Teacher Learning Teams to analyze formative assessment data and make instructional decisions to address students' needs.
- Teachers implement strategies for teacher and student clarity of learning with clear learning intentions, success criteria, and self assessment strategies.
- Instruction and learning are characterized by a variety of best practices aimed at increasing student achievement and growing student ownership of learning.

CAMPUS UPDATES

- Updated front entrance landscaping
- Outdoor seating has been added at the patio outside of the cafeteria
- Gifted Art painted a mural at the entrance of the main hall
- New gym floor installed
- Softball scoreboard installed
- New weight room



COMMUNITY/HOME RELATIONS

- Characters Alive
- Open House & Spring Family Night
- Holly Jolly Christmas Market
- Sporting Events
- Fine Arts Events
- School Website
- School Messenger
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Instagram
- PowerSchool Parent Portal
- Parent Weekly Update



6th grade students brought books to life in their annual Characters Alive performance. 4k programs from our elementary schools and daycares were able to come enjoy the show!

PERFORMANCE GOALS

- The percentage of students in grades 6-8 combined who score Meets & Exceeds on SC Ready ELA will increase each year from 60% in 2023 to 75% in 2028.
- The percentage of students in grades 6-8 combined who score Meets & Exceeds on SC Ready Math will increase each year from 43.9% in 2023 to 60% in 2028.
- The percentage of students in grade 6 who score Meets & Exceeds on SC Ready Science will increase each year from 57% in 2023 to 70% in 2028.
- The percentage of students with disabilities scoring Meets/Exceeds on SCREADY Math will increase from 7.2% in 2023 to 20% in 2028.
- The percentage of students with disabilities scoring Meets/Exceeds on SCREADY ELA will increase from 18.9% in 2023 to 30% in 2028.
- The percentage of Multilingual Learners meeting the progress toward proficiency goals will increase from 68.3% in 2023 to 73% in 2028 as measured by the criteria on the State Report Card.
- Teacher attendance rate will increase from 93.6% in 2022-23 to 96% in 2027-28.
- The percentage of teachers with advanced degrees will increase from 65.5% to 75% from 2023-2028.
- The percentage of teachers who have received GT endorsement or certification will increase from 32.3% in 2023 to 40% in 2028.
- Student perception of safety will increase from 5.7/10 in 2023 to 8/10 in 2028 as measured by the School Report Card.
- Student perception of social and physical environment will increase from 3.7/10 in 2023 to 8/10 in 2028 as measured by the School Report Card.
- The percentage of teachers satisfied with their current working conditions as measured by Agree and Mostly Agree on the SCDE Teacher Survey will increase from 91.4% in 2023 to 95% in 2028.
- The percentage of parents who indicate they “Agree” or “Strongly Agree” regarding satisfaction with home-school relations on the SCDE Parent Survey will increase from 72.9% in 2023 to 83% in 2028.
- The chronic absenteeism rate will decrease from 40.4% in 2022 to 20% in 2027.
*There is a 1-year lag for the chronic absenteeism data.