#### **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

Approved by SCASA Superintendents' Roundtable, SC Chamber of Commerce, and State Board of Education.







#### **BAMBERG-EHRHARDT MIDDLE SCHOOL**

WHO WE ARE, WHAT WE DO

## OUR MISSION

We are ONE TEAM SUCCEEDING TOGETHER!

WHAT WE ASPIRE TO BE

## **OUR VISION**

#### SUCCESS LOOKS LIKE:

Bamberg-Ehrhardt Middle School Students will enter high school . .

- -Adequately prepared for success in English 1.
- -Adequately prepared for success in Algebra 1.
- -Adequately prepared for success in Physical Science.
- -Adequately prepared for success in US History, Government, & Economics.
- -Adequately prepared for success in CATE, STEAM, and/or the Fine Arts.
- -Progressing toward the Profile of the SC Graduate.
- -Progressing towards college and career readiness.



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# BAMBERG-EHRHARDT MIDDLE SCHOOL

School Improvement Council

Annual Report to the Parents 2024 - 2025



## ABOUT THE SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The BEMS School Improvement Council (SIC) exists to serve the BEMS faculty and administration in an advisory role, bringing together parents, educators, and community members for the purpose of improving our school. We can only succeed with your help. Research proves that parent involvement and the quality of a school are directly related.

BEMS continues to grow academically by refining the instructional model through data-driven decision making and targeted professional development. High progress literacy classrooms and integrating technology continue to be a focus for our school. With the continued support of our local community and our SIC, BEMS strives to move every student towards the Profile of the SC Graduate.

### **GOALS 2024-25**

- By 2025, increase the percentage of students scoring meets and exceeds on the ELA and math sections of SC Ready and close the achievement gaps as compared to the state.
- By 2026, earn a Palmetto Gold or Silver award as established by the Education Accountability Act of 1998.
- By 2028, consistently rate good or excellent as measured by the SC School Report Card .

## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES & OPPORTUNITIES

- Honors English 1
- Honors Algebra 1
- Honors Art 1 & 2
- B-E Dancers
- Community Service
- Summer Bridge Program
- High Intensity
   Tutoring After School Program

- Canned Food Drive
- Football, Basketball, Softball, Track, Soccer, Golf, Volleyball, Wrestling & Cheerleading
- Citizenship Training
- Counseling Services
- Academic Intervention via IXL

### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- 100% passage rate on the Algebra 1 End-of-Course Test (Spring 2024).
- SC School Report Card Rating of Good (Fall 2024).
- 1:1 Technology for all students.
- BEMS students have the opportunity to earn 4 Carnegie units in 7th & 8th grade (Honors English 1, Honors Algebra 1, Honors Art 1, and Honors Art 2).
- High Intensity Tutoring After-School Program implemented in Fall 2024
- Monetary Donation from McDonald's
- BEMS partnership with the William J.
   McCord Center to provide clinical counseling services to students.
- Implemented a school-wide version of Class Dojo.
- Project Alert (an evidence-based) substance abuse prevention program for 7th graders