

Crestwood High School Drill Team

Performance Goals

Goal One: By June 2017, the percentage of students who pass the State Assessment and End-of-Course test and the percentage of students who graduate on-time will increase 2% annually.

Goal Two: By June 2017, the school will employ onehundred percent (100%) highly qualified teachers and administrators.

Goal Three: By June 2017, all Crestwood teachers and administrators will achieve and/or maintain a rating of proficient or exemplary as measured by (ADEPT) Assisting, Developing and Evaluating Teacher Performance and (ADEPP) and Assisting, Developing and Evaluating Principal Performance, respectively.

Goal Four: By June 2017, the number of suspensions and expulsions will decrease by 16% as measured by the PowerSchool Incident Management Report.

Goal Five: By June 2017, the percentage of parents/guardians "satisfied with learning environment" will increase by 5% each year, from 70.6% in 2011-2012 to 77.3% in 2016-2017, as measured by the parent survey data from Annual School Report Card.



2015-2016 Cheerleaders

Crestwood High School

PrincipalDr. Shirley Gamble
Assistant PrincipalBertha Timmons
Assistant Principal Joseph Gagnon
Assistant PrincipalRose-Marie Richardson
Assistant PrincipalDale Wilson
Safe School CoordinatorSamuel Myers
Athletic DirectorDwayne Edwards
Guidance DirectorDr. Kenny Rose
Guidance CounselorJulia Jackson
Guidance CounselorShirley Nelson
Media ManagerDr. Gladys Grant

<u>Our Beliefs</u>

We believe that:

- Learning is a lifelong process.
- The quality of education primarily determines the quality of life in a community.
- The family is the most important influence on the individual.
- Every person has intrinsic worth and unlimited potential.
- Character development is necessary for optimal achievement.
- Each individual is responsible for his or her own actions.
- Active involvement of parents, students, staff, and community is critical to the educational process.
- Teamwork is necessary to achieve the goals of an organization.
- Effective communication bridges gaps between human beings.
- Children and youth are our greatest assets.

Crestwood High School



Annual Report To The Parents

2015-2016

Mission Statement

Crestwood High School:

Keeping Academics and

Citizenship First and Foremost

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Sumter School District To Educate • Empower • Enrich!

School Improvement Council

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(Including Ex-Officio Members)
April Rogers President/Community Member
Christopher Edge Vice President/
Community Member
Kimberly Little-Patterson Student/Secretary
Dr. Shirley Gamble Principal
Rose-Marie Richardson Assistant Principal
Nicole Bowman Community Member
Verona Cabbagestalk Community Member
Debra Henderson
Michael Kremer
Gladys Grant Community Member
Candace LeggettSecretary/Community Member
Collin Kremer
Lindsey Rogers
Noah Bittinger
Elizabeth Johnson
Genesis Dalcourt Student
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C. Wood & Associates Virtual Business (Mock Property Management Company) Grand Opening on February 3, 2016



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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Based on the 2015 South Carolina State Report Card, our graduation rate continues to be one of the highest in the area with an 8% increase from 2014. Although we are proud of our graduation rate, we must continue to strive for improvement in our standardized test scores. In an effort to achieve better scores, we have set up programs to assist at-risk students and we are taking part in the Read to Succeed Legislation.

This school year, CHS implemented MTSS, Multi-Tiered System of Learning Supports, which is a program that provides assistance related to the classroom, transitions, family engagement, community collaboration, crisis prevention, and student/family intervention. With MTSS, daily student attendance and parental involvement, to include phone as well as face-to-face conferences, have increased. The MTSS program was featured on WACH FOX news program.

Currently, CHS has 16 juniors and seniors enrolled in Dual Enrollment at Central Carolina Technical College and 18 seniors enrolled at USC Sumter, as well as 12 juniors enrolled in the Early College Program at USC Sumter.

The following are just a small percentage of the many CHS Points of Pride. Our senior students to date have been awarded 4,334,836 in scholarships including four Palmetto Fellows and one Gates Millennium Scholar. The CHS Career and Technical Education (CATE) started the C. Wood & Associates Virtual Business Mock Property Management Company with a grand opening ceremony that included a ribbon cutting ceremony with representatives from the Sumter Chamber of Commerce. The JROTC Program cadets completed over 2.000 community service hours, and one of the cadets received a full scholarship to the Preparatory Naval Academy. Our Varsity Girls Basketball Team remains Region VIA Champions for the 6th consecutive year, and two seniors accepted full scholarships to Georgia State University and Johnson and Wales University. The Cultural Arts Program is proud of the new classical dance program that included 98 students. The chorus department had 14 students selected for All-State Chorus, and the band program is proud to have three students selected for All-Region Band. Additionally, Ms. Patricia Howlett competed as a finalist for the Distinguished Teacher Award. Mr. Jason Gore, National Agri-Science Teacher of the Year, was awarded the Environmental Wildlife Grant for \$2000 and the Food for All Grant for \$2500. Our Donors Choose grant recipients are Ms. Anna Mullinax and Mrs. Linda Avery in the amounts of \$900 and \$434 respectively. Mr. Alec Harding is the recipient of the Wal-Mart Grant for \$1000.

Any successes we have already achieved could not have been accomplished without the support of our stakeholders, and we sincerely thank you for all you have done.

Sincerely,

April T. Rogers/PA-C, School Improvement Council Chairperson

Dr. Shirley Gamble

Principal

Crestwood Needs Assessment

During the 2015-2016 school year, Crestwood High School achieved the following:

- Improved student achievement in three out of four Endof-Course assessments
- Increased the overall End-of-Course passing rate by 2.1% from 62.2% to 64.3%.
- Increased the four-year cohort graduation rate by 4.8% from 78.7% to 89.2%

Crestwood Opportunities for Improvement

Areas for improvement are:

- Provide "High-quality" professional development
- Improve core content day-to-day instructional practices
- Strengthen and maintain a culture of data-driven decision making.
- Recruit (and retain) qualified staff.
- Strengthen the new teacher induction program.
- Maintain school-wide academic (and behavior) support system for struggling students.



Cultural Arts Program 2015-2016

THE MISSION OF SUMTER SCHOOL DISTRICT is to equip students to be responsible, successful, and productive citizens in a global society.