

School Achievements

Anthonella Mendoza, School and District
Spelling Bee Winner

Katherine Pike, York Optimist Club
Student of the Month

Sophie Smiley, York Rotary Club
Student of the Month

York Intermediate School was selected
as a Winthrop-School Partnership Network
Partner for the 2014-2015 academic year.

2013-2014 Palmetto Silver Winner



My SIC Members

Chair: Ms. Wendy Catledge, Parent
Vice Chair: Ms. Robin Johnston, Community
Principal: Mr. Keith McSwain
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Purpose of the Report

"This Report is issued by the Myschool School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year."



York Intermediate School

Annual School Improvement Council "Report to the Parents" 2013-2014



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Sparking Potential and Inspiring
Success"*

SIC Annual Goals



Goal 1: Increase Student Achievement

- **Data Driven Decision Making:** YIS has used MAP, Classworks, And Testview to interpret student Data to make decisions.
- **Literacy:** With an emphasis on balanced literacy, YIS is improving its Reading scores according to MAP and PASS data.
- **Extra Time Extra Help:** YIS provides an after school program for 5th and 6th grade students on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- **Technology:** All classrooms are included with the latest technology of Promethean Boards, document cameras, and computer labs.



Goal 2: Teacher/Administrator Quality

- All teachers and administrators are certified and highly qualified.
- Teachers and administrators attend professional development within and outside the school.
- Teachers serve as professional development presenters to faculty and staff.
- YSD1 encourages additional certification: 60% hold master degrees, 40% are gifted and talented endorsed. 4 teachers are National Board Certified.



Goal 3: Improve School Climate (Parent Involvement, Safety and Healthy Schools).

- Transition Program offered for all rising 5th grade students and parents.
- Students attend “Think Time” Character Education Program
- Beginning Olweus Bullying Prevention Program 2014-2015.
- Parent Teacher conferences offered throughout the school-year.
- Promoted use of school messenger system, parent portal, school newsletter, school marquee, and webpage to share school information.

