## School Organization and Contact

#### SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

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#### **ABOUT THIS REPORT.....**

The school Improvement council of Williston-Elko High School has prepared the annual school report for you and the community. If you have any questions about the information summarized here, please contact Mr. Anthony Flowres, Principal, or Mr. Joseph Sanders, SIC Chair at (803) 266-3110.

#### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

The SC School Improvement Council exists to advise, train, and promote parents, teachers, students, and community members for active, knowledgeable membership in School Improvement Councils for the fulfillment of their Council's role and responsibilities.

## **Purposes of SIC**

Assist in the development and evaluation of the five-year School Improvement Plan (also called the School Renewal Plan or the Strategic Plan).

Assist in the preparation of annual updates and/or revisions.

Compose the annual Report to Parents to provide information about the school's progress in meeting school/district/state goals or objectives. This report is distributed by April 30.

Assist the principal in preparing the annual narrative for the School Report Card.

Provide advice on the use of any school incentive award monies (if allocated by the legislature and awarded to the school).

Participate in the revision of the School Improvement Plan in cases where the school needs to enact changes.

Serve as the liaison between the school, community, and local school board by collecting and disseminating information.

Provide other assistance that the principal may request and carry out any other duties prescribed by the local school board.

The Council will not have the powers and duties reserved by law or regulation of the local school board.

# Williston-Elko High School



#### 2024-2025 SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

12233 Main Street Williston, SC 29853 Office: (803) 266-3110 Fax: (803) 266-5489 School Hours: 7:30 AM--4:00 PM

The vision of Williston-Elko High School is to create independent, responsible learners and citizens for the future with the collaboration of teachers, parents, and community stakeholders.

# **School Demographics**

### **TOTAL ENROLLMENT: 185**

- 61.1% African American
- 35.1% Caucasian
- 2.7% Hispanic/Latino
- 1.08% Asian

# **Goals For 2025-2026**

- Increase EOCEP passage rate in English, Math, U.S. History, and Biology
- Increase Graduation Rate to 90%
- Increase the number of college & career-ready students through increases in SAT/ACT & WIN performance
- Increase Dual Enrollment success rate through our partnership with Denmark **Technical College**
- Increase the number of students who are CTE completers with State certifications

# **School Report Card**

## 2024 SCHOOL REPORT CARD

- 2023-2024 Overall Rating: Average
- 87.8% Four Year Graduation Rate • Previous: 88.3%
- 869 Average SAT score. Previous: 893
- 15.4 Mean Composite ACT score for students during the 22-23 school year.
  - Previous: 15.9
- 83.7% of graduating students met the standards to be classified as college or careerready
  - Previous: 88.3%
- 47 Career and Technical Education Completers The Marching Band placed 15th in the SCBDA State Previous: 63
- 164 students were enrolled in CTE programs Previous: 175
- 82 students earned a state or nationallyrecognized career credential.
  - Previous: 98
- 35 students were enrolled in Dual Enrollment courses.
  - Previous: 47

# **Blue Devil Pride**

- WEHS scholars enrolled in CTE courses received career certifications in OSHA, ServSafe Food Handler, Basic Life Support, and AWS Welding.
- Eleven scholars earned a bronze or higher certificate on the WIN Career Readiness Assessment in the spring.
- 29 scholars were inducted into the Beta Club, and 4 scholars were inducted into the National Honor Society.
- Three WEHS arts students were recognized in the SCEA Art Contest for their outstanding work.
- Dr. Supreethi Mukthipudi was named Teacher of the Year.
- Ms. Cathy Smith was named Support Staff of the Year.
- A senior scholar was selected as the WJBF Scholar Athlete of the Year.
- 2 scholars served as interns at Swiss Krono, (HR and Maintenance) and one scholar served as an intern with the BCSD IT Department.
- A senior scholar was awarded an opportunity for a "D-Day" Field study in Normandy, France, for the summer of 2025.
- Marching Band State Championships.
- The Lady Blue Devil Basketball and Tennis teams advanced to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Round of the Playoffs, and Coach Reed was named Region Basketball Coach of the Year.
- Numerous athletes in various sports were selected as All-Region players.
- Fall athletes worked with United Way to hand out food boxes to the community.
- WEHS faculty participated in the Secret Santa project by the Rotary Club.
- Scholars were recognized monthly based on the character word of the month, and one scholar was chosen monthly as a Rotary Scholar for service above self.