



School Improvement Council

The mission of the STMS School Improvement Council (SIC) is to serve as an advisory council for the school. It is comprised of parents and community members. As well as students and staff members. Members of the SIC can either be appointed or elected. Each year this SIC has goals that they work on that align to the schools improvement plan.

For the 2022-2023 Saluda Trail Middle School SIC will engage Saluda Trail faculty and staff in a collaborative and strategic planning process that is focused on the school’s continuous improvement efforts that are aligned to the school’s strategic plan.

Goal 1

The Safety and Security Team will focus on ensuring the school community is safe at all times throughout the school day. This team will be led by a school administrator with the support of leaders within the building at STMS.

Goal 2

The Instructional Support team will focus on the area of strengthening Tier 1 instruction within the classroom setting. In addition to strengthening Tier 1 instruction, this team will discuss and help implement strategies that are aligned with using the STEAM competencies to impact classroom instruction.

Goal 3

The Culture Team will focus on how to address and manage student behaviors within and outside of the school setting. In addition to focusing on student success, this team will also focus on team building for faculty and staff and teachers having the support needed daily to be effective in their role as an educator.



2022-2023
School Improvement Council
Members

Ex Officio School
Members:
Marek Marshall,
Principal
Chip Newton, Assistant
Principal
Langlee Morrell, Teacher
Susan Hopper, Teacher

Parents/Community
Members:
Joshua Elkins, Parent
(Chair)
Jennifer Cluppert,
Parent (Secretary)
Kevin Porter, Parent

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Saluda Trail Middle School

Principal, Dr. George Marek Marshall

School Leadership Team

Mr. Chip Newton.....	Assistant Principal
Ms. Swanetta Hall.....	Assistant Principal
Ms. Shannon Reed.....	Assistant Principal
Ms. Natassia Jones.....	Instructional Coach
Dr. David Consalvi.....	STEAM Coordinator
Ms. Rebecca McCoy.....	School Counselor
Ms. Quanchanet Johnson.....	School Counselor
Ms. Nnaemeka Hardy-Holmes Wilson.....	School Counselor

Mission Statement

The mission of STMS, working with parents and our community, is to provide a safe environment which promotes both academic excellence and self-esteem. Our goal is for our students to achieve their maximum potential and become adaptive 21st century learners in a global environment.



Saluda Trail Middle School Social Media

[Saluda Trail Middle School /
Homepage \(rock-hill.k12.sc.us\)](https://rock-hill.k12.sc.us)

Saluda Trail Middle School

@STMSWildcats

@STMSwildcatsBand (School
Band)

@WildcatsStms (School Athlet-
ics)

@STMSStudentCou1 (Student
Council)

2022-2023 Employee Recognitions

Teacher of the Year— Ms. Heather Turner

Support Professional of the Year— Ms.
Kristen Zimmerman

Support Staff of the Year- Ms. Tiffany
Sanders

WILDCAT ACHIEVEMENTS

- Saluda Trail's certification was renewed as an ABC school through the Arts in the Basic Curriculum Institute.
- Saluda Trail has 79 students who are members of the National Junior Beta Club.
- Saluda Trail had seventeen 8th grade students be recognized as South Carolina Junior Scholars.
- The Junior Beta Club collected over 1000 can goods to give to the Dorothy Day Soup Kitchen to feed those in need within our school district community.
- Saluda Trail Student Ambassadors collected over 250 items for the Flood Bucket Relief Drive to donate to assist those impacted by Hurricane Ian.

2022-2023 Athletic Accomplishments

- 7th Grade Football won the conference championship.
- 7th Grade Basketball won the conference championship.
- The Boys Track and Field Team won the conference championship.
- Two individual wrestling State champions.

What is a STEAM educated student?

A STEAM educated student is an innovative, self-reliant problem solver, a logical thinker, and a technologically literate individual who is able to relate their own culture to the learning. The STEAM educated student develops competencies in applicable life skills and becomes a life-long learner. The ARTS in STEAM allows students to express themselves creatively and encourages students to find balance in their lives.

STMS STEAM Vision

STEAM students have the skills, knowledge, and thinking strategies that prepare them to be innovative, creative, and systematic problem-solvers in STEAM fields of study and work.



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- 40.8% Met or Exceeding Rate for students on the SC READY for English Language Arts.
- 25.7% Met or Exceeding Rate for students on the SC READY for Mathematics.
- 55.3% Met or Exceeding Rate for students on the SC PASS for Science.