
Williston-Elko Middle School

SIC Members

Carla Hutto	Parent (Chair)
Lakenya Cuthbertson	Parent
Jamie Campbell	Parent
Talina Jones	Parent
Michele Williams	Parent
Tammy Briggs	Teacher
Tonja Rivers	Teacher
Ernest Parker	Community Member
Martha Rivers	Community Member
Winchester Smith	Community Member
Ferlecia Cuthbertson	PTSO
Judy Martin	TOY
Ann Widener	School Bookkeeper
Greg Sweet	Principal

Athletics

- *Football*
- *Baseball*
- *Track*
- *Girls Volleyball*
- *Girls Softball*
- *Golf*
- *Tennis*



Academics

- *SC Junior Scholars:*
Jacob Benton & Mia Horton
- *Palmetto Silver Award*
- *After School Tutoring*
- *Implemented Mentoring Program*



Purpose of the Report

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

Williston-Elko Middle School

"Where Excellence Means Success"

2013-2014 Annual School Improvement Council

"Report to the Parents"



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Our Mission

The mission of Williston-Elko Middle School and Williston School District 29, with the support of the parents and community, is to develop caring and productive citizens by providing challenging and positive experiences for all students in a safe and enriched environment.

2013 School Report Card Summary/School Data

212

Students, 12 Teachers
Absolute Rating: Average
Growth Rating: Good

SCPASS

79.6% Met/Exemplary ELA
83.5% Met/Exemplary Math
77.7% Met/Exemplary Science
63.6% Met/Exemplary Social Studies
80.9% Met/Exemplary Writing

Grant Recipients

7th Grade were the recipients of an SRS Grant

Special Programs

Making Middle Grades Work
Its Your Game
Career Shadowing
Career Day
College Visits
WESD Mentoring Program
Savannah River Ecology Lab

Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Judy Martin

B.A. from USC Aiken
M.Ed. Special Education from SC State University
23 years as a special education teacher

"I love teaching students with special needs because I feel like I really get to know the students. I have the opportunity to work with students for several years, follow their progress, and focus on their strengths and weaknesses."

Beliefs

- **We believe that student learning is the primary focus of our school.**
- **We believe that all decisions must be based on what is in the best interest.**
- **We believe that the diversity of our student populations must be celebrated and reflected in programs and priorities.**
- **We believe in preparing students with skills and knowledge that provide opportunities to pursue careers.**
- **We believe that students learn best when they are actively engaged in learning.**
- **We believe that instruction should stimulate higher order, creative, and divergent thinking skills and help students apply learning beyond the classroom.**
- **We believe that instructional programs should foster a love of learning and challenge students to be lifelong learners.**
- **We believe that students should be equipped with the 21st Century skills necessary to be successful in our global society.**
- **We believe that assessments are valuable tools to monitor student progress and guide instruction.**
- **We believe in building a safe, nurturing, family-friendly, student-centered learning community.**
- **We believe that each student is valuable and it is our responsibility to nurture his or her individual physical, social, emotional, artistic, and intellectual needs.**
- **We believe it is our responsibility to set high expectations for behavior as well as learning to ensure students become productive citizens in our society.**
- **We believe we are partners with parents and the community and should work as a team to meet the needs of our students.**

Home-School-Community Connections

Facebook
Twitter
Planet High School
Monthly Newsletter
Automated Informational Calls
Back Pack Program
Secret Santa (Barnwell County)
Relay for Life

PTSO Events

Veteran's Day Celebration
Friday Sales
8th Grade Prom

Celebrations

Nine Week Celebrations
Junior Beta Induction Ceremony
Black History Celebration Program
American Education Week-Hug Our School

Arrival & Dismissal Changes

Closed Warren Street during dismissal to allow safer loading of students.

Ended drop off and pick up of students at the front of the building.

