

## Technology

- Chromebooks & iPads available for student and teacher use.
- 100% of our classrooms are Smart Classrooms with interactive white boards
- Biweekly computer/technology classes
- Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Testing
- Google Apps for Education (GAPE)
- IXL (Math, Language Arts, Science, Social Studies)
- ABC Mouse
- Reading A to Z
- Google Classroom
- Seesaw



## Programs

- Orton-Gillingham (Language Arts)
- Afterschool Program
- Tutoring (Before & After School)
- Book Fair
- Box Tops for Education
- Learning Styles Inventory
- Academic Gifted and Talented
- High School Credits earned through South Carolina Virtual School
  - English I
  - Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II
  - Keyboarding, Computer Apps

## School Improvement Council Members

- Beth A. Rich, Chair
- Sue Byron, Co-Chair
- Dianne Eliason, Teacher
- Rhetta Greene, Teacher
- Dianne Smith, Community Member
- Donna Squires, Community Member
- Steve Wilson, Principal
- Tiffany Mills, Parent
- Christopher Mills, Parent



## Mission Statement

The mission of Bridgewater Academy is to enable all students to exceed academic standards through direct, one on one instruction by



providing an innovative rigorous academic program; and to provide a personalized, supportive learning community where teachers, parents, and community members all partner together to celebrate student achievement, instruction is provided with passion and commitment, and value is given to the development of self-discipline, honesty, integrity and respect.



## **What is an SIC?**

As advisory bodies, the SIC provides input, feedback, recommendations, resources, and support to the principal and school.

Visit <http://sic.sc.gov> to learn more about our school.

# Bridgewater Academy Charter School



2017-2018

## Report to Parents & Community



Steve Wilson, Principal

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This Report has been prepared by the Bridgewater Academy School Improvement Council for you and the members of the community who are interested in our school. The report reviews the progress made on our strategic plan for increasing student learning, the test scores and the goals to be accomplished during this school year. If you have any questions about the information in this report, please call (843)236-3689.

## Student Leadership and Involvement

- ⇒ Principal for the Day
- ⇒ Student of the Week
- ⇒ Outstanding Leadership School—Beta Club
- ⇒ City of Myrtle Beach Mayor signed Proclamation announcing Beta Week in our honor
- ⇒ Qualified for National Beta Convention 2 years in a row

### State Beta Club Convention Winners

- ⇒ Gracie Ball, 1st Place English Division I
- ⇒ Anderson Marchetti, 3rd Place Science Division II
- ⇒ Iyanna Busby and Anthony Vecoli, 2nd Place Advertising Design Division I
- ⇒ Isabella Sturtis, 3rd Place Visual Arts—Pastel Division II
- ⇒ Harden Murph, 1st Place Visual Arts—Painting Division I

### Beta Club Leadership Summit Qualifiers

- ⇒ Service Snapshot—National Qualifier
- ⇒ Rapid Response—National Qualifier



## Academic Achievement

- ◆ Excellent Absolute Rating on the Annual School Report Card
  - ◆ Excellent Growth Rating on the Annual School Report Card
  - ◆ 4th Year National School of Distinction—Beta Club
  - ◆ 4th Year Gold Seal Winner—Beta Club
  - ◆ 4th Year School of Merit—Beta Club
  - ◆ Rated Excellent by the Sun News
- Please visit <http://ed.scs.gov> to learn more about our school



## Clubs

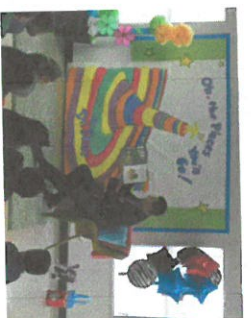
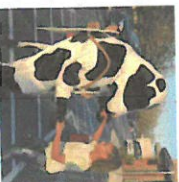
- \* BETA Club
- \* Soccer Team
- \* Crafty Kids Club
- \* Gifted & Talented Art
- \* Dance Club
- \* Makers Space Club
- \* Drama Club
- \* Science & Technology Club
- \* Sports Club



## Bridgewater Academy Booster Club

Bridgewater Academy Booster Club is a nonprofit group comprised of parents, teachers, and staff dedicated to improving the educational experience of all students at Bridgewater Academy.

- ◆ Fundraising
- ◆ Volunteering at school functions
- ◆ Teacher Appreciation
- ◆ Backpack for Buddies
- ◆ School Beautification



## Community Involvement

- ◇ 8-Title I Interactive Parenting Workshops
- ◇ SC READY/SC PASS Interactive Parenting Night
- ◇ Bingo for Books
- ◇ BETA Club Habitat for Humanity, Food Drive, Special Olympics, Kicks for Kids
- ◇ Fall Festival
- ◇ Pasta for Pennies, Leukemia and Lymphoma Association
- ◇ Red Ribbon Awareness
- ◇ Golf Tournament
- ◇ Breast Cancer Awareness
- ◇ Color Run
- ◇ Jump Rope/Hoops for Heart, American Heart Association
- ◇ Science Fair
- ◇ Annual Art Show
- ◇ Read Across America, Dr. Seuss' Birthday
- ◇ Spirit Week
- ◇ Traditions Around the World



## Bridgewater Academy Spirit Chant

Put your right hand up, Put your left hand up, Fly high... GO, EAGLES!