Fast Facts

- Grades 9th through 12th
- Facility opened in Fall of 2007
- Attendance Area: Jasper County
- School Enrollment: Approximately 660
- ♦ African-American—69%, Hispanic—22%, Caucasian—8% Other—1%
- 46 Certified staff members (72% hold advanced degrees), 21 Classified

Academics

We are diligently trying to obtain our academic goals by utilizing the following initiatives: Dual Credit Courses at Technical College of the Lowcountry (TCL), quarterly student recognition programs (Honor Roll, Distinguished List), Advanced Placement (AP) classes, four by four block schedule, Parent Nights, credit recovery, ACT and EOCT tutorial sessions during the school day, AVID elective, Upward Bound and Educational Talent Search through TCL, to name a few.

Our 2017 graduating class received over \$2.8 million in scholarships. Forty-one of our students qualified for the LIFE Scholarship and thirteen for the Hope Scholarship. We had **28** ACE Completer Programs Certificates and 12 RHHS CATE Completer Certificates. Additionally, **14** students participated in Dual Enrollment.

Athletics

Our boys and girls varsity basketball teams are Region 8-AAA champions again and Lower State Champions.

Just as in previous years we continue to offer junior varsity and varsity football, volleyball, junior varsity and varsity basketball, baseball, softball, country, girls and boys track, and girls and boys soccer.

We are also proud to announce that students continue to be part of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) on our campus.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

Elected

Angela Habersham, Chairperson Cheryl Dopson, Secretary/Teacher Alesha Bostick, Student Nallely Macias, Student StacyAnn Gayle-Gardner, Teacher Kaydian Matthews, Teacher Teneshala Cunningham, Parent Priscilla Jenkins, Parent Miriam Macias, Parent

Appointed

Loretta Brockington, Comm. Mem. Helen Ferebee, Comm. Mem./Vice Chair Sarona White, Comm. Mem. Johnny Youmans, Comm. Mem.

Ex-Officio

Dr. Karen Parker, Principal Mrs. Amsavalli Velayuthan, Teacher of the Year Dr. L.R. Dinkins, Asst. Principal Dr. Marlyn Westbrook, Asst. Principal Cynthia Hasty, Guidance Counselor Alfreda Mikell, PTSA

Ridgeland-Hardeeville High PTSA

Alfreda Mikell, President Torraine White, Vice President Stacy-Ann Gardner, Secretary Helen Ferebee, Treasurer





Ridgeland-Hardeeville High School 2017-2018 Report to The People

VISION STATEMENT

The **Vision** of Ridgeland-Hardeeville High School is to become a high school of excellence where all students are college and career ready.

MISSION STATEMENT

To challenge, empower, and inspire students to discover their passions and achieve their fullest potential in order to be productive citizens.

Dr. KAREN G. PARKER, Principal Dr. Leroy Dinkins, Assistant Principal Dr. Marlyn Westbrook, Assistant Principal Mr. Donald Andrews, Superintendent

RIDGELAND-HARDEEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Home of the Mighty Jaguars

The Administration

Dr. Karen G. Parker, Principal Dr. L.R. Dinkins, Asst. Principal Dr. Marlyn Westbrook, Asst. Principal Ms. JoAnne Owens, Instructional Coach Mrs. Cheryl Dopson, Lead Counselor Ms. Terri Franklin, School Counselor Mrs. Cynthia Hasty, School Counselor Ms. Erica Heyward, Media Specialist Mrs. Shaleah Badger, Office Manager

> **Teacher of the Year** Mrs. Amsavalli Velayuthan

Rookie Teacher of the Year Mr. Joseph Williams

Department Chairpersons

English -Dr. Anthony Pitts Science—Mr. Frederick Toomer Mathematics—Mrs. Andrea Drain History—Mr. Scott Wivagg

Special Education—Mrs. Glynda Barner

Careers & Tech. Ed.—Ms. Lucille Kannick

Fine Arts/Physical Education /MCJROTC Mr. Kevin Wilson

Athletics Director—Mr. Jeremiah Faber

RIDGELAND-HARDEEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL "Jaguars" P. O. Box 760 250 Jaguar Trail, Unit 101 Ridgeland, SC 29936 (Off Highway 278, Grays Highway) 843-489-8844 843-717- 3275 Fax http://rhs.jcsd.net CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR VARSITY GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS

AND BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS Regions champions for the fifth year in a row And LOWER STATE CHAMPIONS!!! Way to go, Jags!!!

JCSD Motto: "Where the Classroom is Our Focus"

RHHS Motto: "Naming, Claiming, Believing, and Achieving Success"

ACT—Percentage of 11th Grade Students Meeting College-Ready Score

2016	2017
1.5	13.3
2.2	1.3
7.9	7.6
2.9	1.9
N/A	
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ACT Work Keys—Percentage Receiving Certificates

	2016	2017
Gold Certificates	1.3	1.3
Silver Certificates	34.9	30.1
Bronze Certificates	28.9	20.9
Total Certificates	65.1	52.3

Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

Year	2016	2017
Number of students in Cohort	153	178
Number of Graduates in Cohort	123	131
Grad Rate Percentage	80.4	73.6

Five-Year Graduation Rate

Year	2016	2017
Grad Rate Percentage	75.8	80.4

End of Course Tests - Percent of Students with 60 or above

	2016	2017
Algebra 1	43.8	26.8
English1	47.4	41.0
Biology1	48.5	37.2
US History	53.0	53.8
All Tests	53.8	39.7

Percentage of Seniors Eligible for LIFE/Palmetto Fellow Scholarships

2016 - 38 **2017** - 30.1

Number of Students Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Courses 2016 - 7 2017 - 11