

## School Achievements

Destiny Mambo won the school spelling bee and went on to participate in the county and regional spelling contest.

The Academic Quest team competed at Trident Technical College.

Our Steel Drums bands performed at school, district, and local functions, including a Charleston Stingrays hockey game.

Visual Arts students participated in county-wide competitions at the Coastal Carolina Fair and James Island Festival of Lights.

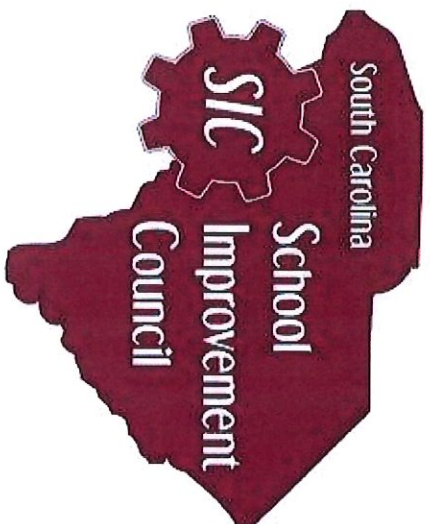
Deer Park Robotics competed in First Lego League and Storm the Citadel, where they won honorable mention in the Mystery Lego competition.

Boys and girls participated in basketball as a part of the Trident Basketball Association. The girls' team came in second in the Class AA competition.

The school also sponsored baseball, cheerleading, soccer, and volleyball teams.

Deer Park's Project LIT book club students read five books and participated in the national book reveals online.

Our students participated in North Charleston Police Department's C.A.P. (Cops Athletic Program). The students were part of a STEEP team that performed for our athletic events and participated in a number of competitions.



## Myschool

### SIC Members

Co-Chairs: Andrea Sparks

Kathy Roberson

Members: Tommy Meador

Claudia Chirinos

Beth Livingston

*Principal: Mrs. Celeste Spires*

*Asst. Principal: Mrs. Kori Price-Worley*

*Asst. Principal: Dr. Alice Jones*

### Purpose of the Report

*“This report is issued by the Myschool School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.”*

## Deer Park Middle School

### Annual

### School Improvement

### Council

“Report to the Parents”

2018-2019



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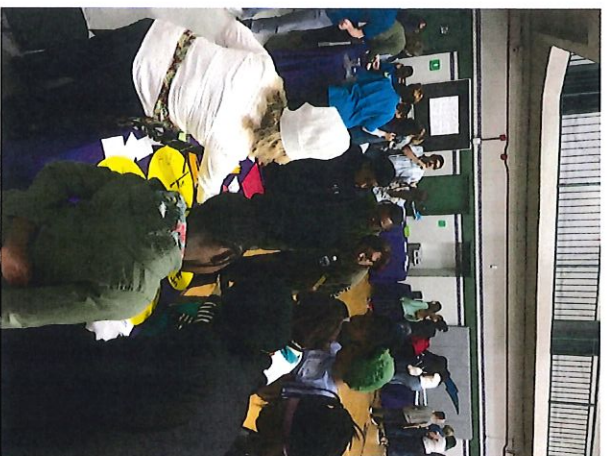
## DPMS SIC Annual Goals

1. Provide opportunities for all children to meet the state's proficient and advanced levels of student achievement. The school incorporates technology in many content areas which encourages students to read for deeper meaning, develop critical thinking skills, and problem solve at multiple levels. Students participate in hands on learning which serves to develop thinking skills that prepares students for real-world challenges. DPMS seeks to recruit and hire the most qualified and dedicated teachers.

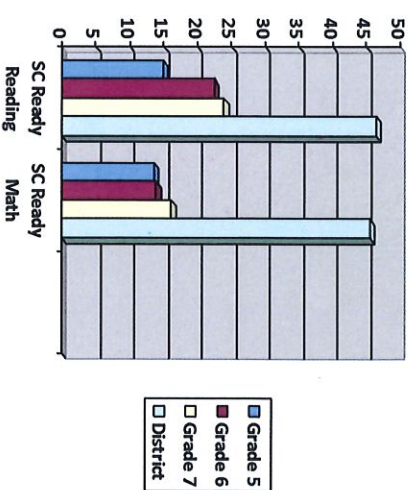
2. Increase parent and community involvement. Data meetings, PTA meetings, Open Houses, and seminars are held to inform parents about MAP, SC READY, and SC PASS assessments as well as informative parenting

information. Northwoods Baptist Church Angels support teachers while Mt. Moriah Baptist Church's mentors and tutors assist students. MUSC Telemental Health provides free mental health services. In addition, The City of North Charleston's Art Department provides a performance.

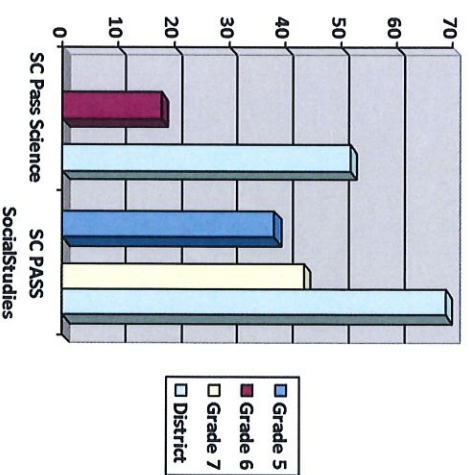
3. Address the needs of at risk students not meeting academic standards. Students needing support in reading and math are supported by two teacher assistants who were hired to work with small groups in classrooms. Academic Saturday school provided further teaching



## Proficiency on 2018 SC Ready Math and Reading Tests



## Proficiency on 2018 SC Pass Science and Social Studies Tests



Note: Deer Park was 5th, 6th, and 7th grade 2016-17 and 2017-18 school years. 2018-19 Deer Park was a true middle school with 6th, 7th, and 8th grade.