

School Achievements

St James Intermediate had 19 students placed in the Horry County Tech Fair.

SJI Robotics team earned the top prize for their innovative invention in the FLL Lego League event.

SJI held their first Multicultural night for students and parents and it was a huge success.

Ms. Derocker was recognized as one of the top 5 Rookie teachers of the year for HCS.

Ms. Pena was recognized as one of the top 5 support staff in HCS.

Myschool SIC Members

*Chair: Susan Follrod, Parent
Vice Chair: Jodi Rowe, Teacher
Tom McMahon, Teacher
Raegan Dore, Teacher
Danielle Tolley, Parent
Lisa Poston, Community Member
Duke Brown, Community Member
Principal: David Cupolo
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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.”

St. James Intermediate School

Annual School Improvement Council “Report to the Parents” 2022-2023



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*St. James Intermediate
“Sharks Swim Forward”*

SIC Annual Goals

This Year our SIC focused on how to bring our families back together after covid and to incorporate community back into our school. To do this we have presented monthly challenges to our students and families that they can share with everyone through our social media and web page.

Student Achievement

Throughout the year, our teachers continued to collectively work together to help students grow academically. This was seen in our MAP and iReady results. This year SJIS students continued to show growth in MAP/iReady. Over 600 of our students met their typical growth, and many also met stretch growth.

We are confident that this work will also result in St. James Intermediate School establishing a higher rating on our *S.C. School Report Card* for this year.

Additional Information

St. James Intermediate School serves students in 5th and 6th grades. This year we continued to see growth in our area, and our enrollment rose to 872 students.

Special Programs 22-23 SY

As we all know, students have lost connections over the past few years due to the global pandemic. To help our students, this year we wanted to help students be more connected to our school, and each other by implementing our Fin Frenzy Fridays. This provided students with the opportunity to be part of clubs that were held during the school day.

Our staff sponsored 44 different clubs for both semesters, and students were placed in one of their three club choices each semester. This provided every student with the opportunity to interact with students from other classes, and or grades. This helped parents, as they did not have to pick their child up after school.