School Achievements

Mr. Robert Thilk and Ms. Yvette Lakin earned NGPF (Next Gen Personal Finance) Certification

Dr. Della Brisbon earned Doctorate of Philosophy and Organizational Leadership

Sara A. Babb SIC Members

Ex-Officio / Principal of School Region: Mrs. Tamika McDuffie

Chair / Lead Teacher of School: Ms. Yvette Lakin

Vice Chair: Regional School Guidance Counselor: Dr. Pamela Sumter

Teacher / Regional Librarian: Dr. Della Brisbon

Teacher: Mr. Robert Thilk

Welding Instructor: Mr. Evon Robinson

Community Member / Counselor: Ms. Iris Chambers

Community Member / Administrative Assistant: Ms.
Brianna Burns

Community Member / Business-Fiscal Technician: Ms. LaFonda Newton

Student: Heather Childers, GED program

Student: Cyerra Elmore, Welding program

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Annual School Improvement Council Report 2021-2022



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Purpose of the Report

"This Report is issued by the Sara A. Babb 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."

PUSD and SCDC will provide students with relevant academic courses, highly effective career related vocational programs, and necessary life skills to make a positive impact in society.

SIC Annual Goals

The School Improvement Council's goals for the school year is to have the school climate, teacher/administrative quality and student achievement grow with productivity and performance within accordance to the 5 year School Improvement Plan. The performance is derived from the data collected to reach the goals.

The targeted needs:

- All inmate students will be assessed to determine placement and educational pathway
- 80%-90% teaching staff certified in secondary level instruction
- 80%-100% inmate students who enter education without a credential will exit with at least one credential

The outcomes with results and projections within the timeline:

- Inmate students assessed and determined for placement and educational pathway: 2021/2022-88%, 2022/2023-90%, 2023/2024-93%, 2024/2025-96%, 2025/2026-100%
- Teaching staff certified in secondary level instruction: 2021/2022-60%, 2022/2023-70%, 2023/2024-75%, 2024/2025-80%, 2025/2026-85%
- Inmate students with credential(s) exiting education: 2021/2022-80%, 2022/2023-83%, 2023/2024-86%, 2024/2025-89%, 2025/2026-92%

Student Achievement

Credentials Earned:
GED: 17,
WIN Certificates: 240,
Vocational Certificates: 100,
OJT: 4,
Employability Skills: 12

Heather Childers is a student and has earned digital literacy and essential soft skills certificates. She's made a TABE gain and is working towards her GED

Cyerra Elmore is a vocational welding student and has earned a high school diploma and NCCER 10 hour safety certificate

Additional Information

Sara A. Babb High School is comprised of women students with ages ranging from 18-60+. The school incorporates financial literacy, vocational welding program, business/job skills, professionalism & NCCER 10 hour safety course.