

## School Achievements

2021-22

- MUSC/Boeing Wellness Achievement Award Recipient
- FBLA National Website Design Competition Qualification
- Participants Scripps National Spelling Bee Competition and Regional Spellbound Competition
- Mighty Trojan Robotics 1st Place Design, 2nd Place Inspire and 2nd Place Connect Awards at SE Region Tournament
- Mighty Trojans Robotics State Qualifiers
- JROTC Adopt a Highway Participant
- Football Region PLayer of the Year
- 7 Qualifiers for the SC State Wrestling Championships
- Team qualification for the SC State Cross Country Championship
- 2 Student-Athlete Collegiate Scholarships Awarded (1 football/1 wrestling)



## Teacher of the Year

Constance Johnson



## School Improvement Council

Constance Johnson - Chairperson/Community Member  
Alicia Pressley - Principal  
Leah Simmons - Assistant Principal  
Latasha President-Jackson- Instructional Coach  
Courtenaye Johnson - Title I Facilitator  
Suzette Johnson - Media Specialist/Community Member  
LTC Ben Lipari- 2021 Teacher of the Year  
Rebecca Sauers- Teacher  
Shyela Fuller - Parent  
Shana Middleton - Parent  
Kendra Thomas- Community Member  
Maliq Ravenell - Student  
Gabrielle Thomas - Student

## Title I

For the 2021-22 school year, Title I funds provided a full time instructional coach, supplemental classroom supplies, technology support, after school tutoring and a variety of instructional software programs. Title I also supported a variety of parent and family engagement events including our "Dash the Halls" and "iReady and Spaghetti" events.

# Cross High School

## Annual Report to Parents and the Community 2021-2022



*Alicia Pressley, Principal*

*Leah Simmons, Assistant Principal*

### **Berkeley County School District Vision**

Empower all students for success

### **Berkeley County School District Mission**

In partnership with our community, ignite in every student a passion for world-class knowledge and skills through dynamic instruction and personalized educational opportunities.

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## Purpose

This Report is issued by the Cross High School SIC, 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.

## About Cross High School

At Cross High School, students have the opportunity to experience college prep, honors, AP and dual-credit classes.

Students also engage in enriching and career focused CTE programs including building construction, agriculture, welding and health sciences.

## 2021-2022 Fast Facts

- Grades 7 - 12
- School Enrollment 281
- 25 teachers
- 2020-2021 Graduation Rate - 81.3%
- 100% of students served by 1-1 learning
- 79.2 % Teacher retention rate
- 20-1 Student Teacher Ratio (in core subjects)
- 146 Students enrolled in CTE courses
- 17 CTE Completers
- 14 students earned a state or national CTE credential
- 72.9% of 2021 graduating class who completed college applications
- 47.9% of 2021 graduating class eligible for LIFE Scholarship
- 25.3 % of 11th and 12th grade students enrolled in dual credit courses
- 12.6% of students served by Gifted and Talented program
- 16.6% Chronic Absenteeism Rate

Data from 2020-2021

## End of Course Examinations\*

(% with Score of 60% or higher)  
2020-21

	School	District	State
Algebra I	28.6%	45.7%	46.8%
Biology I	37.2%	53.5%	50.2%
US History	11.1%	33.5%	37.7%
English II*	43.2%	62.8%	63%

## Career Readiness Certificates

(% of tested who earned)

	CHS	BCSD	SC
Rec Certificate	89%	81.7%	81.9%
Platinum	0%	0.7%	1.1%
Gold	0%	10.1%	10.9%
Silver	66.7%	50.3%	50.9%
Bronze	22.2%	20.6%	19.0%

## ACT

	CHS	BCSD	SC
Avg Science	16.2	18.7	18.7
Avg Math	15.8	17.7	18.2
Avg Reading	15.6	19.2	18.8
Avg English	14.9	17.2	17
Avg Writing	5.6	5.6	5.6
Avg Composite	15.7	18.3	18.3

## Graduation Rate

	School	District	State
2021	81.3%	83.8%	83.3%
2020	76%	84.4%	82.2%
2019	68.5%	82.6%	81.1%
2018	76.9%	83.8%	81%

## SCReady\*

2020-21

	Approach, Meet or Exceed	Meet or Exceed
7th Grade Math	46%	14.6%
7th Grade ELA	65%	27%
8th Grade Math	23%	3%
8th Grade ELA	54%	11%

\* During the 2020-21 school year, approximately 50% of CHS students attended school via the Blended Distance Learning Pathway. As a result of this and waivers granted by the SCDOE, not all students participated in state assessments. As a result, the data presented may not be a true representation of overall student achievement.

