

## School Highlights

- Nurse Jill, SC School Nurse of the Year
- Gerrie Martin, 4th Grade, was selected as the Stiles Point Elementary Teacher of the Year and parent of SPES student
- Several student driven philanthropic fundraising opportunities
- Kate Atkins, PE Teacher, awarded a \$600 lacrosse grant
- Henley Bilbro was the school spelling-bee champion
- Schoolwide Art Show
- Family Literacy Night
- 2nd-5th Grade Talent Show
- Fundraisers: Fall Festival, Boosterthon Fun Run, Bingo Night
- Highly-involved PTA
- Health and Wellness Committee hosts an annual Health Fair for students and food tastings throughout the school year
- Community Blood Drive
- Well-structured after school program (Kaleidoscope), with enrichment opportunities
- Leveled Library
- Makerspace collaborative workspace in the media center
- School-Wide PBIS
- Weekly positive postcards mailed to parents
- Extracurricular Activities: Recycling Club, Outdoor Club, Running Club, Volleyball Teams, Tennis Teams, 5th Grade Play, Morning News Crew, Student Council, Music Club, Book Club, Art Club

## What do our teachers, parents and students love about Stiles Point?

“I like doing things on the i-Pad, like Dreambox and Lexia.”

Emily Renfrew, Second Grade Student

“I love Stiles Point because we are a neighborhood school with a great sense of community.”

Wendy Inabinet, Second Grade Teacher

“I love Stiles Point because we get treats on special days and I like Scholastic News..”

Hunter Faust, Fourth Grade Student

“There are so many things I love about Stiles Point like the awesome teachers and the community feel.”

Julia Shaddrix, Stiles Point Parent

“I love Stiles Point because I get to work with such a talented group of teachers.”

Gerrie Martin, Stiles Point Teacher and Parent

### Purpose of the Report

*“This Report is issued by the Stiles Point Elementary 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.”*

## Stiles Point Elementary School Annual School Improvement Council (SIC) “Report to the Parents” 2018-2019



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*The Stiles Point Community will provide an environment that facilitates maximum learning so that each child can function successfully and become a productive member of society. We adopt as a mission the promotion of the Stiles Point Elementary School as a nurturing environment of excellence, where every child feels comfortable, recognized, and challenged.*

## SIC Annual Goals

The School Improvement Council identified a need to improve overall school safety and security. We reached out to Charleston County School District (CCSD) officials, citing reasons for installing access control equipment to various doors and the need for a full-time School Resource Officer (SRO).

As a result, three doors in the main office now have this equipment to restrict access to the main parts of the building. CCSD has also provided SPES with a program to increase the security presence by offering to hire off-duty officers to cover shifts in addition to the SSRTs.

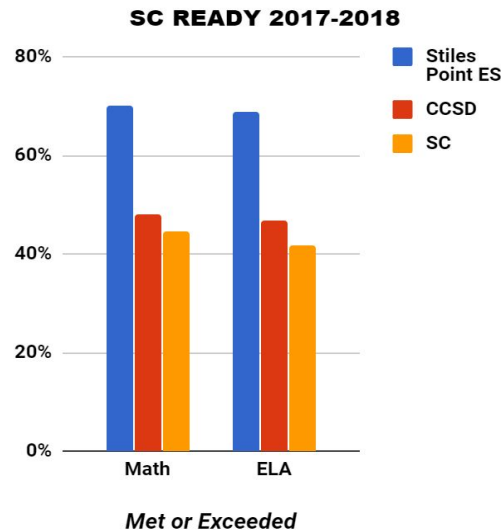
The safety and security of our students is a priority and the SIC will continue to advocate for additional supports moving forward.

In addition, the SIC began researching various funding opportunities (in addition to funds provided by the district and state) to support learning needs. Members of the SIC have contacted other schools who use creative funding sources, met with the bookkeeper, and attended workshops to learn more about finances.

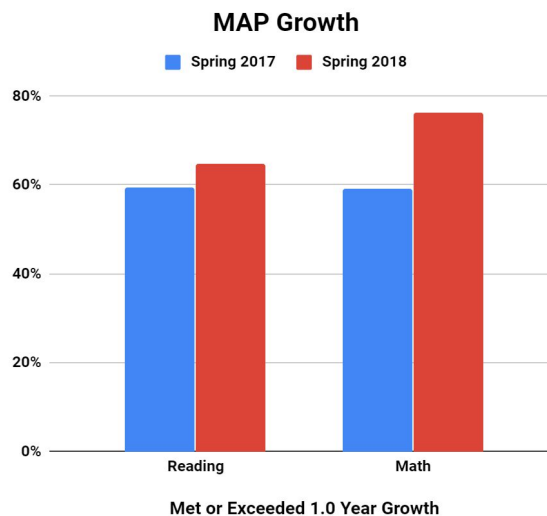


## Student Achievement

The data chart below shows Stiles Point SC Ready scores exceeded those of the state and the district in both ELA and Math.



The MAP Growth chart shows the increase in students achieving 1.0 year growth in Reading and Math from Spring 2017 to Spring 2018.



## Additional Information

### Student Demographics

- 711 Students
- 23.1% in Poverty
- 96.2% Attendance Rate
- 6.0% with Disabilities
- 0.3% Out of School Suspensions
- 20.1% in Gifted/Talented Program
- 0.1% Retained
- Number of students on CD Waitlist

### Teacher Demographics

- 42 Teachers
- 71.4% with Advanced Degrees
- 95.2% on Continuing Contract
- 92.1% Returning from 2017-2018
- 87.7% Attendance Rate
- 13 National Board Certified Teachers

### School Demographics

- Principal in 5th year at Stiles Point
- Student-Teacher Ratio 22.1 to 1.0
- Parents Attending Conferences 100%
- 1:1 iPads Kindergarten, 1st, & 2nd
- 1:1 Chromebooks 3rd, 4th, & 5th
- Full-time assistant principal
- Full-time nurse
- Full-time guidance counselor
- Full-time art, music, and PE teachers
- 2 Full-time Child Development classes
- 1 Full-time Reading Coach
- 1 Part-time Reading Interventionist
- 100% Parents satisfied with learning environment
- One Action Based Learning Lab

*Moving forward, Stiles Point SIC will continue to advocate for the needs of all learners.*