

School Sponsored Student Activities

Programs and Opportunities

- BrainPOP
- C.O.W. – Curriculum on Wheels
- Career Day
- Kings Crew
- Study Island
- R.I.S.E
- Ignite
- Teachers Involve Parents in Schoolwork
- Club Day
- Academic Challenge Team
- ProTeam
- Cyclone Huddle
- Advisor/Advisee

Test Results

MAP—Measurement of Academic Progress is a state-aligned computerized assessment program that provides teachers with the information they need to make student-focused, data-driven decisions. The following are results from our Spring 2014 testing session. The percentage of students reaching their goal in reading is up 3% from last year.

MAP RESULTS

READING

Tot. # of stds. tested- Spring	603
Tot. # of stds. that met the set goal.	322
Total % meeting set goals	53%

MATH

Tot. # of stds. tested- Spring	594
Tot. # of stds. that met the set goal.	260
Total % meeting set goals	44%

Student Academic Awards

CMS believes in rewarding students for hard work and dedication. Currently, students are presented awards for Most Improved, Perfect Attendance, State and National Awards, A Honor Roll and A/B Honor Roll.

CMS will continue the Student Improvement Awards Program including incentives and rewards for improved MAP and SC PASS scores.

CMS had 1 student who received an honorable mention for the Duke Scholar Program. CMS also had six Junior Scholars.

Accreditation Status

Chester County School District is accredited by the AdvancED accrediting agency.

Excellence in the Arts

Three CMS students attended the SC Band Director's Association Region 3 Honor Band Clinic. One CMS student was accepted into the SC Governor's School of the Arts Summer Music Program. The CMS 7th and 8th grade Concert Band received an excellent rating for their performance at the South Carolina Band Director's Association Concert Festival and a superior rating at the Carowinds Music Festival. The CMS Jazz Band received an excellent rating at the SC Band Director's Association Jazz Festival.

Excellence in Athletics

Chester Middle School has a cheerleading squad, girls and boys basketball team, a football team and a wrestling team. One student on the wrestling team was a conference champion in the Wateree River Conference and a state qualifier.



School Summary Report 2013-2014



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Chester County School District

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Purpose of Report

This report is provided to inform parents of the mission, goals, and growth of the 2013-2014 school year for Chester Middle School.

Mission Statement

The mission of Chester Middle School, through collaboration with all stakeholders, is to foster a commitment to academic excellence by holistically developing students in a safe, nurturing environment and by preparing them for an advanced technological society. The faculty and staff are committed to improving the quality of life for self and others.

Our School Today

- Currently, Chester Middle School has 629 students enrolled.
- The average daily student attendance for the 2013-2014 school year was 95%.
- State of South Carolina School Report Card
2013 Absolute Rating Below Average
2013 Growth Rating Average
- PTO Officers
Sherry McCree President
Lisa Green Secretary/Treasurer
- Improvement Council Members
Creighton Price Chair/Parent
Carolyn Coleman Vice Chair/Parent
Carolyn Taylor Secretary
Cedrick Tidwell Principal
Sheka Houston Assistant Principal
D'Angelo Edwards Assistant Principal
Sherri King Parent
Lynta Mapp Parent
Freidas Brwon Parent
Wendy Lawson Parent
Stuart Rochon Parent
Jill Josey Parent

Members can be contacted at 803-377-8192

School Improvement Goals 2013-2014

- ☐ Increase parent involvement.
- ☐ Increase student achievement by utilizing Response to Intervention in Math.
- ☐ Increase student activity during lunch by improving the courtyard.
- ☐ Beautify the school hallways with murals.
- ☐ Purchase digital sign for the main front entrance.
- ☐ Implement a School-Wide Discipline Plan.
- ☐ Develop/Revise the "Huddle" period.

Improvement Goal Progress

Completed:

- ☒ 3 of the 7 above stated goals have been implemented.

In Progress:

- ☐ Increase parent involvement.
- ☐ Increase student achievement by utilizing Response to Intervention in Math.
- ☐ Increase student activity during lunch by improving the courtyard.
- ☐ Purchase a digital sign for the main entrance.



School Improvement Goals 2014-2015

- ☐ Increase parent involvement.
- ☐ Increase student achievement in all areas.
- ☐ Increase student activity during lunch.
- ☐ Purchase a digital sign for the main entrance.
- ☐ Institute PBIS.

