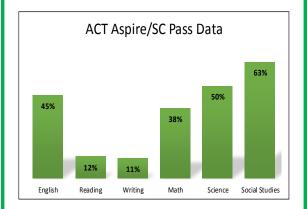
Chester Park Center of Literacy through Technology 2014-2015 ACT Aspire/SCPASS Scores Met and Exemplary





Winthrop University NetSCOPE
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Purpose of the Report

This report is to provide highlights, facts, and goals to our parents, guardians, and community.

School Improvement Council (SIC)

Sergeant Kito Crank—Community/Chair
Freidas Brown—Parent
Yolanda Floyd—Parent
Larissa Thompson—Parent
Octavia Foster—Community
Latasha Jones—Community
Tonya Campbell—Teacher
Lisa Campbell—Teacher
Stacey Finch—Teacher
Rebecca St. Clair—Teacher
Walter Jones—Ex-Officio
Dr. Tammy Graham—Ex—Officio

Mission Statement High Tech, High Expectations Committed to Excellence For All Students



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Report to Parents
2015—2016



Showcase School





Dr. Tammy Graham, Principal
Mr. Walter Jones, Asst. Principal

Celebrate With US

- Our school received the distinguished honor of being named a Microsoft Showcase School.
- Dr. Tammy Graham was selected as a Microsoft Innovator Educator (MIE).
- Implementation of STEAM Framework and Grade Level STEAM Performances
- 100% of Certified Staff Participated in STEAM Training and received STEAM Certification with Georgette Yakman.
- Implementation of STEAM Clubs for ALL students.
- Continuation and expansion of technology initiatives.
- Professional Learning Communities were continued. These groups focused on standards, best practices, and data analysis.
- COLT Families participated in several Family/School events such as Literacy Night, Math Mardi Gras, and Title I Family Night.
- Corey Jordan was crowned School Spelling Bee Champion.
- COLT Teacher of the Year—Ms. Nequi Dunlap
- COLT Support Staff of the Year—Mrs.
 Terri Larson

Goals and Progress

- 1. Increase Student Achievement Strategies
- Implementation of Professional Learning Communities and STEAM Framework
- Data Analysis (MAP, F & P, SCReady, SCPASS, etc.)
- Support of a Literacy Coach, Reading Interventionist, and Math/ Technology Coach
- 2. Enhance Family and Community Involvement <u>Strategies</u>
- Literacy Night, Math Mardi Gras Night, and Title I Family Night
- Grade Level STEAM Performances
- Technology Showcase
- Community Service Learning Projects (Relay for Life, Angel Tree, Pennies for Patients, United Way, Nursing Home Project, etc.)
- 3. Provide a safe, orderly, and healthy school that ensures a positive and caring learning environment Strategies
- PBIS
- Safety Plan and School Safety Drills
- School Safety Officer

Why STEAM?

Chester Park COLT is preparing to lay the tracks for Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math that will transport 21st Century learners into the future!"

STEAM is a way to teach how all things relate to each other, in school and in life. It's more fun than traditional learning styles and makes more sense to all types of learners because it is based on the natural ways that people learn and are interested in things. We use **technology** as the driving force of our STEAM framework!

