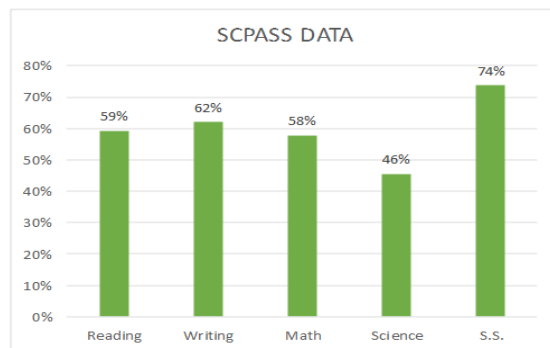


**Chester Park  
Center of Literacy through Technology**

**2013— 2014 SCPASS Scores**

**Met and Exemplary**



**Winthrop University NetSCOPE  
Professional Development School**

**Purpose of the Report**

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

**School Improvement Council (SIC)**

Officer Kito Crank—Community/Chair

Freidas Brown—Parent

Costillia Morris Johnson—Parent

Elisha Thompson—Parent

Octavia Foster—Community

Latasha Jones—Community

Tonya Campbell—Teacher

Lisa Campbell—Teacher

Stacey Finch—Teacher

Walter Jones—Ex-officio

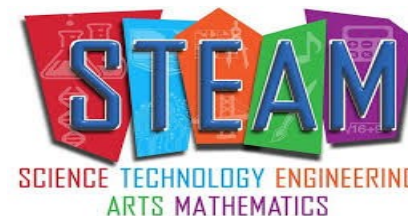
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**Mission Statement**

**High Tech, High Expectations  
Committed to Excellence For All  
Students**



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through  
Technology  
Report to Parents**



**Dr. Tammy Graham, Principal**

**Mr. Walter Jones, Asst. Principal**

**We had a great year!**

## *Celebrate With Us*

- Beginning Implementation of STEAM Framework.
- Continuation and expansion of technology initiatives.
- Professional Learning Communities were continued. These groups focused on standards, best practices, and data analysis.
- All grade levels participated in educational field trips and 5th grade students experienced an overnight field trip to Charleston.
- Our Literacy Coach, Math/Technology Coach, and Reading Interventionist supported teaching and learning in the classroom and provided staff development.
- COLT 5th grade students received Olympic Style Archery training.
- COLT Families participated in several Family/School events such as Literacy Night, Math Mardi Gras, and Watch D.O.G.S.
- Students were able to participate in an increased number of interesting assemblies such as PBIS, Operation Get Smart, Recycling program, and Pennies for Patient Leukemia Awareness Assembly.
- COLT Teacher of the Year—Ms. Kristin Stallings
- COLT Support Staff of the Year—Mrs. Theresa Means

## *Goals and Progress*

1. **Increase Student Achievement Strategies**
  - ***Implementation of Professional Learning Communities***
  - ***Data Analysis (MAP, F & P, SCPASS, ACT Aspire, etc.)***
  - ***Literacy Coach, Reading Interventionist, and Math/Technology Coach***
  - ***STEAM Professional Development***
2. **Enhance Family and Community Involvement Strategies**
  - ***Literacy Night, Math Mardi Gras Night***
  - ***Technology Showcase***
  - ***Family Celebrations***
  - ***Parent Workshops***
  - ***“APPy Hour” Workshop***
  - ***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***
  - ***Revised Emergency/Safety Plan***

## *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!

