

SCHOFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL

**SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL
ANNUAL REPORT
2021**



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SCHOFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL SIC REPORT 2020-21

SIC ANNUAL GOALS

Provide equitable access and opportunity for all students by maximizing instructional time for all students:

- Ensure equitable access to curriculum and instruction in classrooms
- Managing remote learning opportunities
- Improve pedagogical practices to ensure cultural responsiveness

SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS

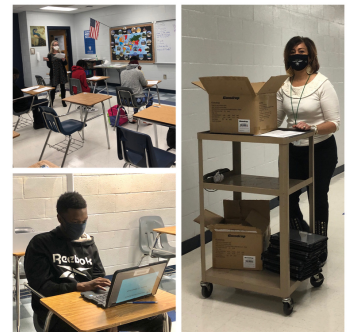
Math Inventory Assessment Data (comparison of Fall 2020 to Spring 2021)

- 14% school-wide growth from Does Not Meet to Approaches, Meets, or Exceeds
- 5% school-wide growth from DNM & Approaches to Meets or Exceeds
- 57-point average growth in Quantile

Reading Inventory Assessment Data (comparison of Fall 2020 to Spring 2021)

- 4% school-wide growth from Does Not Meet to Approaches, Meets, or Exceeds
- 6% school-wide growth from Approaches/Meets to Exceeds
- 25-point average growth in Lexile

ACPSD Middle and High Schools went 1:1





VISION

Our Schofield family will create reflective scholars by cultivating global perspectives, tailored opportunities, positive relationships, and cultural awareness

MISSION

Global Perspectives:

We will cultivate global perspectives by implementing the Cambridge attributes, fostering cross-curricular instruction, integrating fine arts and designing curriculum and instruction with a global focus.

Tailored Learning Opportunities:

We will intentionally design tailored learning opportunities through small group instruction, personalized learning, technology incorporation, and purposeful interventions based upon formative assessment data.

Positive Relationships:

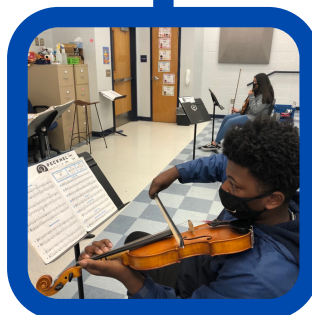
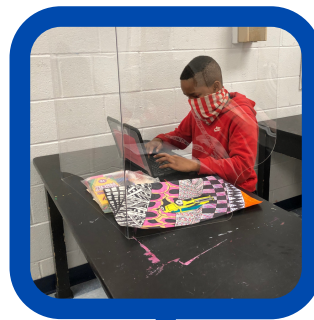
We will establish and maintain positive stakeholder relationships by fostering positive communication and involvement, implementing restorative practices and valuing student ownership of positive learner attributes.

Cultural Awareness:

We will promote cultural awareness through a comprehensive plan of professional learning that addresses responsive pedagogy, incorporates relevant instructional strategies, and serves the needs of the Schofield Family.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2020 Aiken County Football Champions (undefeated season)
- One of our students won first place for Schofield and third place for the District for the Lions International Peace Poster Contest.
- Celebrated four of our SMS students making Region Band
- Recognized one of our students for being chosen for 5th alternate in All State Band
- One of our 7th grade students won 1st Place in the MLK Essay Writing Contest
- An eighth grade student and a seventh grade student won their respective cohorts school spelling bee and represented Schofield Middle in the District Group I Spelling Bee
- Competed as a SMS team in the District Battle of the Books Competition!
- Invictus expanded from 3 students to 20 students this school year.
- Recognized our Ms. Carolyn Anderson as our 2020-21 SMS Teacher of the Year
- Recognized Donna Washington, one of our special education aides, as our 2020-21 GEM Award
- Recognized Mrs. Lauren Miskinis as First Year Teacher of the Year 2021
- Received a School Arts Material Grant from South Carolina Arts Commission



ENSURING SUCCESS FOR ALL SMS STUDENTS!

Open communication during pandemic
w/ our SMS Parents and Students!

Spring Distance Learning

- Provided each student distance learning packets
- Contacted parents and students via email and phone calls to check on health, well-being, and status of school work

Drive-through celebrations

- Created and presented on big screen TV an end of the year video capturing big events taking place @ SMS including yearbook picture of each eighth grade students.
- Celebrated our 8th Grade students milestone by lining up along entrance to cheer our 8th grade students on to their next adventure - high school!
- 2019-20 Athletic Awards

Fall Distance Learning

ACPSD offered two models:

- Hybrid: 2 cohorts set up - Blue Cohort attended M-T; Red Cohort attended W - Th
- Virtual: offered Aiken Innovate Virtual Learning for students who opted out of the ACPSD Hybrid model

Hybrid Model @ SMS

- Health and Safety was #1 priority - recognized as the Safety Leader in the ACPSD middle schools!
- Created an operations and safety plan, communication plan, and implementation plan. Each was presented and posted as video on school website and social media
- Offered LEAP week opportunities to learn execution of plan for smooth and safe start of school year for the hybrid model students
- Offered Books2Go @ SMS for students to be able to "order" books online to read.

Virtual School Model in ACPSD

- As requested, students were provided a laptop and hotspot for use with virtual classes
- Tailored resources specific to SMS parents and students provided quick access to technology links posted on school website along with a technology help request link
- Contacted parents and students via email and phone calls to check on health, well-being, and status of school work
- Professional Development offered to virtual school teachers
- Proactive communication by Schofield faculty and staff to check with students and parents regarding their needs and progress
- Offered Books2Go @ SMS for students to be able to "order" books online to read.

**SMS
SIC COMMITTEE
2020-21**

Elected members

Tracy Finch - Teacher (Chair)

Lauren Cantey - Teacher

Laura Gossett - Parent

Cowana Stevenson - Parent

Appointed Members

Renee Harris - Community Member

Betty Ryberg - Community Member

Ex-Officio Members

Scott Floyd - Principal

Jasmine Scott - Assistant Principal

Carolyn Anderson - Title I Parent

Advisory Council Representative

This report is issued by the Schofield Middle School Improvement Council in accordance with the 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.

