

## World Class Skills & Life Career Characteristics

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Schofield Middle School is helping all students develop the world class skills and the life and career characteristics of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate by providing a challenging academic program for our students.. Our school's purpose and direction is exemplified through the collaborative efforts of faculty, staff, students, parents, and community.

During the 2017-2018 academic year, our school focused on academic excellence and building a positive school culture. Teachers and administrators worked on student engagement, rigor and high expectations, and the use of data to drive instructional practices. In addition, teachers implemented STEM activities and the use of the engineering design process to meet the challenges of increasing the rigor and relevance of classroom instruction. Foreign Language and several other courses were offered as high school credit options. Through monthly guidance lessons, our school counselors provided character building for all students. Students participated in various community projects or project-based learning opportunities.

Schofield is ensuring a promising future for our students, by building upon the heritage started by Martha Schofield, our founder, who believed "Character building is our most important work." We thank you for your continued support in developing our future South Carolina Graduates.

## Academics

Schofield offers rigorous and challenging programs in Math, English, Science, and Social Studies as we prepare our students for high school studies and beyond. In the eighth grade eligible students can enroll in several high school credit classes including English I, Algebra I, Spanish I, German I Art I, Chorus I, Keyboarding, and Computer Applications.

## Sports

Football, Basketball, Golf, Volleyball, and Cheerleading

## Clubs

There are a variety of clubs that meet students' needs and interest. Student Council, BETA Club, HAM Radio, Academic Team, Junior Model UN.

## Points of Pride

- Synergistic Lab to enhance STEM classes
- Strings Program
- The Symphonic band received a Rating of Excellent at the 2018 South Carolina Band Directors Association Concert Performance Assessment
- 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade students participated in the Junior Model United Nations Competition at Augusta University
- The HAM Radio Club placed 1st in the Middle School division and 4th overall nationwide in the AARL School Club Round Up competition
- 2018 Undefeated Academic Team Champions for ACPSD
- 2018 2<sup>nd</sup> Place State Academic Team Champions
- Students participated in Hoops for Heart- raised \$250
- Student Council delivered Valentines to the Croft House and held a canned food drive for
- Math Counts- Two students placed in the Math Counts Aiken Chapter competition
- Jocelynn Jones – Teacher of the Year & Golden Apple Award
- Erica Caldwell- First Year Teacher of the Year
- GEM Award- Hope Platt

## Schofield Middle School Annual Report 2017-2018



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**Mission Statement:** It is the mission of Schofield Middle School to provide a challenging academic program for our students in a safe, caring school environment, thus facilitating a smooth transition from elementary to high school.

**Our Purpose:** Schofield Middle School will develop the skills and confidence in our students within a nurturing and safe environment that facilitates the integration of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics, as well as, an infusion of the Arts into their educational experiences.

Title I School

**School Renewal Performance Goals**

By Spring 2019, 90% of Schofield Middle School's stakeholders will indicate satisfaction with the learning environment, social and physical environment, and school home relations as measured by agree and strongly agree responses on the Spring Stakeholder Surveys.

By Spring 2019, Schofield Middle School's students will demonstrate academic proficiency in the following targeted areas: 84% will score Met or Exemplary in English/Language Arts; 84% will score Met or Exemplary in Mathematics, 83% will score Met or Exemplary in Science, and 80% will score Met or Exemplary in Social Studies.

By Spring 2019, 100% of Schofield Middle School's classes will be taught by highly qualified teachers.

**School Improvement Council Members**

- Denise McCray, Principal
- Tracy Scott, Chairperson
- Sandra Parks, Co-Chairperson
- Monica Mance, Title I Facilitator
- Allison Bennett, Teacher
- Raquel Tucker, Parent
- Emory Langston, Parent
- Veronica Sampson, Parent

**Testing Results 2017  
SC Ready**

<b>English</b>			
	<b>Exceeding &amp; Meets</b>	<b>Approaches Expectations</b>	<b>Does not Meet Expectations</b>
<b>Schofield</b>	29%	155	159
<b>Aiken County</b>	34.3 %	3,776	3,357
<b>Statewide</b>	40%	11,0349	90,311
<b>Grade 6</b>	29.7 %	55	42
<b>Grade 7</b>	25.0%	49	59
<b>Grade 8</b>	31.9%	51	58
<b>Mathematics</b>			
	<b>Exceeding &amp; Meets</b>	<b>Approaches Expectations</b>	<b>Does not Meet Expectations</b>
<b>Schofield</b>	35.5%	149	136
<b>Aiken County</b>	34.9%	3,740	3,335
<b>Statewide</b>	42.1%	105,459	88,390
<b>Grade 6</b>	47.8%	43	29
<b>Grade 7</b>	25.7%	50	57
<b>Grade 8</b>	33.8%	56	50

**Testing Results 2017  
SC PASS - Science**

**Schofield: Percent Met and Above**

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>
<b>39.9</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>40.6</b>

**SC PASS- Social Studies**

**Schofield Percent Met and Above**

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>
<b>60.9</b>	<b>52.1</b>	<b>61.9</b>

**End of Course 2017**

<b>Our School</b>	
<b>Algebra</b>	96.8
<b>English 1</b>	93.6

**State Ratings History**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Absolute Rating</b>	<b>Growth Rating</b>
2014	Average	Average
2013	Average	Average
2012	Good	Good

\*Testing data compiled from School Report Card- ed.sc.gov