

RMSA GOALS

THE FACULTY AND COMMUNITY WILL...

- Collaborate to promote achievement and excellence in the arts.
- Empower all students to maximize their potential and performance throughout school curriculum.
- Create a learning environment that inspires all students.

RMSA ENVISIONS

A SCHOOL IN WHICH...

- All students are encouraged and challenged to reach their maximum potential.
- Collaboration among the school, community, and home fosters student success.
- Multiple intelligences are recognized and developed as a part of the instructional program and learning process.
- All students have the opportunity to develop a life-long appreciation of the arts.
- The school environment is emotionally and physically safe.
- The facility accommodates and meets the specific needs of all disciplines of a fine and performing arts school.
- Arts education is valued and celebrated as an essential component of the curriculum.
- The technology program includes the most current equipment and training of all classroom teachers and staff.
- Planning time and work sessions are provided for the learning community.

Who We Are

Rollings Middle School of the Arts is a school for the fine and performing arts with an emphasis on interdisciplinary learning in all the content areas. The content areas are defined as the arts, language arts, math, science, social studies, technology, and wellness/health.

Mission

The mission of Rollings Middle School of the Arts is to provide its students, leaders in their global community, with an integrated curriculum that develops maximum academic potential through creative expression and exploration of the arts.

Vision

We strive to teach rigorous, relevant lessons and form strong, positive relationships with students.



2012-2013 School Improvement Council

Rick Sutton—Chairperson & Parent
Kathy Sobolewski—Principal
Patrick Pye—Assistant Principal
Robert Spafford—P, Elizabeth Brown—P
Marlene Lemon—T, Gayle Kovach—T
Brenda Sutton—P, Ryan Castle—CL

CL—Community Leader, P—Parent, T—Teacher, S—Student

RMSA PTSA Executive Board

Diane Lodge - President
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ROLLINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL OF THE ARTS



“WHERE LEARNING IS AN ART”

2012-2013 Annual School Summary Report

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RMSA
ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- ⌘ Palmetto Gold Awards for General Performance and Closing the Gap; met AYP
- ⌘ PTSA—100% Membership
- ⌘ PTSA District and State Reflections contest winners
- ⌘ 57 Junior Scholars
- ⌘ 13 Duke TIP Scholars
- ⌘ Quest Level I overall 1st place
- ⌘ Quest Level II overall 2nd place
- ⌘ Math Is Cool Team won 3rd place in region event
- ⌘ One of top nine district Spelling Bee winners
- ⌘ Band received Excellent rating at spring concert festival
- ⌘ Vocal Music received 2 Superior ratings at Solo & Ensemble
- ⌘ Strings received Superior rating at Concert Festival
- ⌘ Robotics Team competed in district competition
- ⌘ Participated in volleyball, football, wrestling, basketball, softball, baseball, tennis.
- ⌘ District Softball champions; 3 runner-up awards
- ⌘ Relay for Life Bronze Team raised over \$7,000
- ⌘ YMCA Shamrock Shuffle Race Participation Award
- ⌘ “Leader in Me” 7 Habits Leadership School
- ⌘ Channel 2 News Cool School Award



PALMETTO ASSESSMENT OF STATE
STANDARDS (PASS) SCORES

<u>2012</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>ELA</u>	<u>Writing</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>Social Studies</u>
6th	96.0	96.9	N/A	96.5	98.2
7th	97.7	94.1	N/A	98.6	95.0
8th	96.2	94.8	93.4	98.1	95.3

Percentage of students scoring Exemplary and Met

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6th	95.4	95.9	N/A	93.6	97.3
7th	96.3	92.6	N/A	93.5	91.7
8th	97	93.1	93.2	95	89.2

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RMSA FAST FACTS

- ⌘ Excellent Absolute Rating on State Report Card
- ⌘ Excellent Growth Rating on State Report Card
- ⌘ Full-time faculty and staff—56
- ⌘ Total student enrollment—663
- ⌘ National Board Certified Teachers—6
- ⌘ Teachers with advanced degrees - 48.6%
- ⌘ Teachers returning from previous year—89.5%
- ⌘ Student-teacher ratio in core subjects - 27.5: 1
- ⌘ Artistically gifted students—100%
- ⌘ Students eligible for GATE- 58.4%
- ⌘ Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7&8) - 42.4%
- ⌘ Student attendance rate- 97.8%
- ⌘ Prime instructional time- 92.1%
- ⌘ Teacher attendance rate - 95.1%

Artists
Learners
Leaders
Together, we have it ALL!