#### SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Midlands Technical College Student Success Center established at FCHS
- Varsity Football Team named Division 2A State Runners-up.
  - Raheem McDaniel named to the South Carolina Team for the annual North-South All-star Football game.
- Foreign Language Department participated in poetry Declamation contest at Clemson University
  - Jonathan Johnson placed 1st in the Spanish 2 category at this competition.
- Shontel Cain, FHCS Senior, named Boys & Girls Club "Youth of the Year" based on leadership qualities and community service.
- Jasmine Brooks has been granted a Teaching Fellowship through the SC Teaching Fellows program.
- Dance & Drama students attended Winthrop University's "High School Workshop Day"
- The Golden Griffin Marching Band won multiple honors and awards at various state, regional, and national competitions.
- Established the Janet Mason Scholarship for the Visual & Performing Arts, to be awarded to a student currently in the FCHS Visual & Performing Arts programs who intends to continue his/her studies at a 4-year college or university.
- Class of 2012 awarded \$2.8 Million scholarships to colleges and universities through out the nation

## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Melissa Pauling, Parent, SIC Chairperson
David Corley, Sr., Principal
Fayette Nick, Coordinator of Curriculum,
Instruction, & Evaluation
Calvin Smith, Assistant Principal
Asia Kelly, FCHS Faculty
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Marvin Jeter, Parent
Angie McGuffie, Parent
Sharalyn Mobley, Parent

Sharalyn Mobley, Parent Teresa Cannon, Community Member

Vera Kennedy, Community Member

Victoria Manning, Community Member

Stepahnie Brenan, FCHS Student

Cardeiza Douglas, FCHS Student

Tory Geiger, FCHS Student

Tia Walker, FCHS Student

### Purpose of the Report

This report is issued by the Fairfield Central High School Improvement Council in accordance with 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.

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## The Mission of Fairfield Central High School

The mission of Fairfield Central High School is to facilitate and support the development of academic, vocational, and social skills that will help our students become productive members of our global society.

## Administrative Team Members:

David Corley, Principal

Fayette Nick, Coordinator of Curriculum, Instruction, & Evaluation

Wanda Poag, Assistant Principal for Student Activities

Calvin Smith, Assistant Principal for Discipline & Operations

Rahim El-Amin, Director of Freshman Academy & Athletic Director

#### SIC ANNUAL GOALS:

- 1. Use data to drive instructional decisions
- Increase rigor of core academic courses
- Use student-centered instructional strategies
- Develop a comprehensive advisement program by working with students & parents to set post-secondary goals
- Provide opportunities to engage family, community, and other stakeholders in the school environment
- Enhance the academic, social, and emotional development of ALL students.

#### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS:

- 76.9% on-time graduation rate.
- ♦ 91.7% HSAP Passage Rate for 1st time takers
- 60% passage rate on EOC tests in English 1,
   Algebra 1, and Biology 1.
- SC School Report Card Ratings of "Average" for Absolute Rating and "Good" for Growth Rating
- Palmetto Silver award recipient for the 2nd consecutive year, from the SC State Department of Education.
- 28% of graduating seniors eligible for LIFE scholarships.

## **ACTIONS & OUTCOMES TO MEET GOALS**

- Goal 1: Tailored course offerings and provided afterschool assistance for students identified as "at-risk" of not meeting proficiency on EOC and HSAP assessments.
- Goal 2: Offered new Advanced Placement and Dual
   Credit courses to allow students to earn college course credits in high school.
- Goal 3: Directed instructional approaches toward transitioning to the Common Core State Standards.
- Goal 4: Hosted annual College & Career Day for juniors & seniors.

- Goals 5 & 6: Coordinated special programs and activities for Veteran's Day and Black History Month through the Social Studies Department.
- Goal 5 & 6: Opened the Occupational Diploma Design Workshop, offering services including embroidery, screen printing, book binding, posters, bumper stickers, and award plaques through the Student Services Department.
- Goal 5 & 6: Hosted Annual District Visual & Performing Arts Festival in the month of March, featuring performances in Drama, Dance, and Music.



School Mascot: The Griffin

School Colors: Vegas Gold & Black

Student Information:

Total Number of Students: 790

African-American: 86%

Caucasian: 13%

Hispanic: 1%

## FAIRFIELD CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- ♦ Safer Choices Peer Group
- ♦ Extraordinary Kings Program
- ♦ Girls' Empowerment Program
- ♦ Conflict Resolution Program
- SRO Intervention Program
- ♦ Griffin Good Mornings Program

# EXTRA CURRICULUR ACTIVITIES:

Football

Basketball Volleyball

Cheerleading Track & Field

Baseball

Cross Country Soccer

Softball Yearbook

Marching Band

Academic Challenge

Student Government

**BETA Club**