
**School and Community Activities,
Competitions, and Involvement
2013-2014**

AHS Prom
Art Club
Booster Club
Career Day
Character Education
Drama Club
Ed-Op Day
FAFSA Workshops
Golden Force Marching Band
International Ambassadors
HOSA
March of Dimes Jeans for Babies
Miss Andrews High School Pageant
Miss Homecoming
NJROTC Competitions
Peter Pan Musical
PTSA
Recycling Program
Relay for Life
Rotary Sponsorship
School Improvement Council

SKILLS USA



Superintendent Art Awards

PTSA Officers:

President, Martha Lynn Gaskins
Jamie Harrelson
Leona Miller

School Improvement Council Members:

President, Michael Hyrowski
Elizabeth Bourne, Staff
Patricia Brown, Parent
Martha Lynn Gaskins, Parent
Theresa Greene, Parent
Janette Hyrowski, Parent
Dr. Sheila Knight, Parent
Roberta McKnight, Parent
Traci Weaver, Teacher (AHS)
Adam George, Administrator (AHS)
Leonard Nelson, Administrator (AHS)
Dr. Michelle Greene, Administrator (AHS)

Purpose of Report:

To keep parents and community abreast of the school's mission, goals, activities, challenges, and successes during the year

ANDREWS HIGH SCHOOL

Annual Report to Parents

2013-2014



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Mission Statement:

The mission of Andrews High School is to prepare our diverse student population with the skills necessary to succeed in a complex society by encouraging family involvement, using instructional practices, and providing experiences that increase the students' opportunities for success.

Beliefs:

- Family participation in learning is vital to students' success.
- The worth and dignity of others should be respected by all regardless of individual differences.
- School should be an encouraging supportive place where people are welcomed and valued.
- Every student should have opportunities to learn in a safe and healthy environment.
- All individuals can achieve success and should be challenged to realize their full potential.
- Each individual is responsible for his/her actions.
- All students should be challenged with a variety of instructional and assessment approaches to support their learning.
- All students should be encouraged to become life-long independent learners.
- Teachers are responsible for providing quality instruction to assure meaningful learning.

Goals for 2013—2014

STATE REPORT CARD

Absolute Rating (Average)
Improvement Rating (Average)

AVERAGE YEARLY PROGRESS

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Challenges:

- Advanced Placement Enrollment
- Mentoring Programs
- Parental and Community Involvement

Successes:

- Mu Alpha Theta Tutoring (twice weekly)
- Year-long ELA and Math Classes
- Additional Tutoring Offerings: SNHS and Educational Talent Search
- Increased HSAP Passage Rate
- Freshman Academy
- Academic Bowl Champions 2013
- Palmetto Gold Award

TESTING STRATEGIES

- ◆ **HSAP (High School Exit Exam)**
- ◆ School-wide writing initiative
- ◆ HSAP Workshops and Tutorials
- ◆ Extended Day in Core Courses
- ◆ **SAT/ACT Online Programs**
- ◆ APEX Credit Accrual/Recovery
- ◆ AIMS Math Probe and ALEXS
- ◆ SAT/ACT Word of the Day
- ◆ **MAP**
(Measures of Academic Progress)
- ◆ Common Assessments
- ◆ Common Core Standards
- ◆ Project-based Learning
- ◆ SchoolNet
- ◆ Benchmark Testing to prepare students for Statewide End-of-Course Tests
- ◆ Advisor-Advisee Activities