

School Achievements

- AMS experienced substantial achievement growth in 6th Grade Math (6.1%), 7th Grade ELA (12.8%), 8th Grade ELA (8.4%), 6th Grade Science (5.9%), 7th Grade Social Studies (12.3%), as measured by SC Ready and SC PASS Assessments from 2017 to 2018.
- Effectively implemented Collective Leadership as a partner with the South Carolina Department of Education
- Increased number of students earning English 1 high school credit to 66 students. Increased students earning Algebra 1 credit to 87 students.
- Full implementation of a Gifted and Talented Visual Arts program to include Art 1 and Theatre 1 for high school credit
- A renewed sense of “Gator” Pride among students, faculty & staff, and parents



Myschool SIC Members

Chair: Mr. Patrick Speers, Teacher
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Purpose of the Report

“This Report is issued by the Myschool 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.”

Aiken Middle School Annual School Improvement Council “Report to the Parents” 2018-2019



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SIC Annual Goals

1. Close the gap that exists in the achievement levels of subgroups (lowest achieving students).
2. Improve reading and writing skills through an increased focus on literacy in core classrooms. Increase by 5% from the 2018 data the amount of AMS students who meet or exceed the grade-level standard on the SC READY ELA Assessment.
3. Improve grade-level math proficiency through an increased focus on math core content instruction. Increase by 5% from the 2018 data the amount of AMS students who meet or exceed the grade-level standard on the SC READY Math Assessment.
4. Increase school pride among all stakeholders by fostering ownership of school activities, rituals, and programs by 15% as measured by data from the 2018/2019 the teacher climate survey.

Student Achievement

- High School Credits offered through the following courses:
 - o English 1, Algebra 1, Geometry, Keyboarding, Computer Applications, Spanish 1, Art 1, Theatre 1
- 2 Junior Scholars
- 1 Duke Tip Recognition Recipient
- Opportunities for student literacy growth through new programs:
 - o Read 180 classes – 85% of all students enrolled in Read 180 during the 18-19 school year met their reading comprehension (Lexile) growth goal.
- Small Group Learning – Implemented 3 Rotational Model of instruction in one model ELA classroom and one model Math classroom.

“For more information, you may view Myschool’s “S.C. School Report Card” for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.”

| School-Wide Expectations | |
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| S | Show Respect |
| W | Willing to Learn |
| A | Accept Responsibility |
| M | Maintain Self-Control |
| P | Positive Environment |