

School Achievements

In Spring 2021, students participated in the South Carolina Alternate Assessment. (SC-ALT). Students achieved average scores of 477 in the area of English Language Arts (ELA), 475 in Math, 542 in Science and 518 in US History.

In 2020-2021, 100% of students mastered 100% or more of their IEP goals.

The Unique Learning System & Attainment curriculum are aligned with state standards and implemented school-wide. Additionally, the OnCourse System is in place for lesson planning, monitoring, and archiving.

Washington Center has a fully functioning SIC and PTA. This year the PTA has sponsored boxed lunches and breakfast for staff. Family Night consisted of local service provider information sent home to parents.

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Annual Goals

Washington Center students will annually meet or exceed a 3 point yearly increase in scale score averages in ELA and Math as measured by the SC-ALT.

Eighty percent or more of Washington Center students will annually master 100% of IEP goals as measured at the conclusion of the IEP.

Washington Center will support teacher and administrator quality by maintaining high standards of teacher professionalism through the achievement of Proficient and above Student Learning Objective score.

Washington Center will achieve and maintain a rate of at least 90% of parents and teachers who agree or strongly agree that they feel safe during the school day according to the results of the South Carolina Department of Education Survey.

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Mission & Vision

The mission of Washington Center is to address students' individual needs through appropriately adapted learning experiences. Standards-based instruction is provided daily; and, through home, school, and community collaboration, an educational environment has been created that conveys respect and recognition of each student's potential for success. Rather than focusing on student limitations, staff members strive to provide levels of support required for optimal student growth.

Washington Center staff members share a unique vision which relates specifically to the needs of students with severe disabilities.

Families partner with staff and community members to provide services that are of excellent quality and that focus on functional skill development. The professionals who serve Washington Center students are highly qualified and committed to meeting students' emotional, social, physical, and instructional needs in a nurturing environment.

Additional Information

Washington Center continues to support higher education by serving as a field placement and training facility. Assistive technology and augmentative communication devices are integrated into all instruction.

Awards and Recognitions

Donors Choose Grants

Knights of Columbus Hope Foundation Grant
Funding physical therapy equipment

Representation:

Alternate Assessment Bias and Content
Committee

SC-ALT Standards Setting Committees
Science Standards Setting Committee

School Programs

ADA Nature Trail
Adaptive Environmental Exploration
Adaptive Physical Education
Art
Art Swap
Awards Day Presentation
Black History Recognition Activities
Bebo Core words
Boo in the School
Coffee Cart Vocational Skills Initiative
Craft Day
Daily Living Skills Training
Seagull Grill
Giving Tree Holiday Initiative
Holiday Activities
Intern Placements for Student Teachers
Intern Placements for Health Caregivers
Media Center
Medical Homebound Services
Multi-Sensory Suite
Music
PTA "Walk and Roll" Fund Raiser
Speech, Occupational and Physical Therapies

Partnerships

Daughters of Penelope
Furman University
Klaver Club (middle school)
Carolina Dance Collaborative
St. Matthew's United Methodist Church