

## School Improvement Council

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### WMS Goals

- Students will demonstrate effective problem solving skills.
- Students will demonstrate a commitment to creating quality work and striving for excellence through the use of varied techniques and through evaluations of their own learning skills.
- Students will act responsibly in an ethical and respectful manner.
- Students will demonstrate responsible citizenship locally, nationally, and globally, emphasizing environmental issues.



## Wright Middle School Student Expectations

*WMS expects each student to:*

- Be a life-long learner
- Prepare for the future
- Behave and conduct himself or herself in an orderly manner
  - Use appropriate language
  - Be honest
  - Arrive at school/class or any school function on time
  - Walk on the right-hand side of the hall to all classes
- Demonstrate respect
  - Towards himself or herself
  - Towards Wright Middle School
  - Towards any employee of WMS
  - Towards other people's belongings
- Be prepared for school
  - Bring all necessary materials to class
  - Bring only the necessary items to school
  - Complete all assignments
  - Talk to parents about school
  - Get enough sleep
  - Dress appropriately for school
- Follow the Abbeville County Student Code of Conduct
- Follow the Wright Middle School discipline policy

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## J. S. WRIGHT MIDDLE SCHOOL

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*Abbeville County School District*



**Barry Jacks,**  
Principal

**Mark Smith,**  
Assistant Principal

**Dr. Ivan Randolph,**  
Superintendent

April 15, 2012

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Community,

You've heard the saying, "tough times never last, but tough people do." Well, I certainly feel that is a fitting description of our school and school district. While the state legislature has reduced our funding in the past several years, Wright Middle's scores (as well as our district as a whole) have continued to improve and rank among some of the best in the state. Please rest assured that our staff, with support from the district staff and school board, will continue to strive for excellence!

As I have done in the past, I exhort our parents to stay abreast of local, state, and federal education issues that so critically affect our children. Please continue to be involved and advocate for public education. Your child's future depends on it!

Sincerely,  
Barry Jacks



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## WMS Mission Statement

The mission of J. S. Wright Middle School is to promote student learning by challenging and guiding students toward a successful transition to a higher level of learning.

## 2011-2012 Faculty & Staff

### 6th Grade

E. Birch, A. Dunlap, E. Grice, G. Jordan, J. Mewborne,  
D. Parnell, P. Weis

### 7th Grade

A. Cook, S. Cox, D. Crawford, S. Crawford, A. Jones,  
A. Powell, T. Sutherland, S. Temple

### 8th Grade

S. Anderson, A. Crittendon, L. Grice, B. Jackson, D. Maeger,  
R. McCaslan, D. Myers, J. Smith

### Related Arts

R. Caldwell, M. Cann, W. Capps, R. Rhodes, L. Wilson

### Special Needs

L. Chandler, H. Davis, M. Davis, R. McDowell, V. Shockley, C.  
Thomas, C. Tolbert

### Support Staff

Secretary: C. Gray  
Nurse: S. Knox  
Guidance: V. Wardlaw  
Resource Officer: C. Kennedy  
Media Specialist: A. Hawthorne  
Custodial Staff: F. Mattison, G. Norman, M. Tucker  
Cafeteria Staff: L. Noblin, J. Evans, L. Foster, P. Pratt, R.  
Stone  
Computer Lab: S. Collins, S. Evans

### Administrative Staff

Principal: B. Jacks  
Asst. Principal: M. Smith  
Curriculum: B. Sears