



CONWAY HIGH SCHOOL

School Improvement Council Report to the Parents 2025-2026

Principal's Message

DR. TANIKA MCKISSICK, PRINCIPAL

Greetings and welcome to Conway High School, the home of the Tigers! This school year marks my sixth year as principal of Conway High School. I have been dedicated to education for more than twenty years, having previously served as assistant principal at Conway High School. This year's theme is "Honoring Traditions. Embracing Progress!" I believe this theme is appropriate because it captures all qualities possessed by each member of our Tiger Family!

As the principal, I am honored to be a part of such a talented and dedicated faculty and staff committed to providing a high-quality education to our amazing students. This is accomplished by promoting equitable opportunities for all students and creating an academically rigorous learning environment that promotes college and career readiness through a standards-driven curriculum, student-centered interaction, and impressive extracurricular programs. I challenge each student to take full advantage of all that is offered at Conway High School to make the high school experience successful, enjoyable, and meaningful.

Each year, we work hard to continue the previously established legacy of success by building strong relationships with parents, students, staff, and community partners. We will continue to focus on beneficial program initiatives, use data to drive instruction, and provide consistent curriculum implementation to continue to increase all of the students' achievement.

I look forward to working with all stakeholders to help each student at Conway High School meet their goals and have a successful school year! We are Conway and we are better TOGETHER!

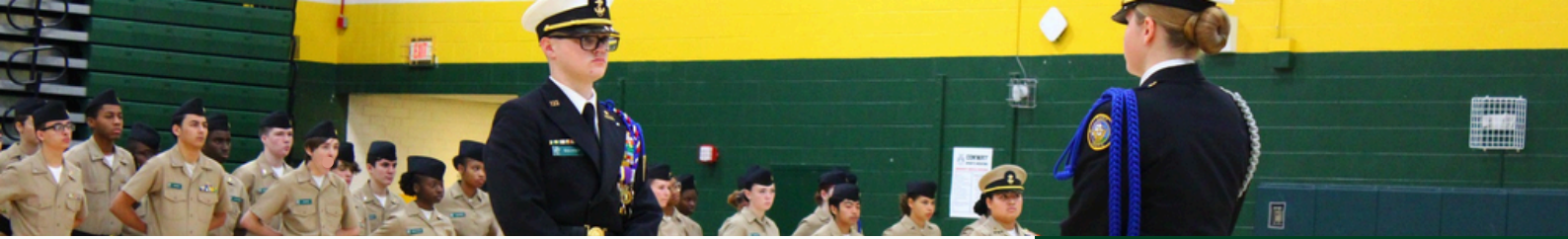
School Improvement Goals

Encourage active
involvement of SIC
members

Develop a positive and
purposeful brand for
Conway cluster schools

Build new and
strengthen existing
relationships within the
community

Utilize feedback from
parents and the
community effectively



Academic Opportunities

To ensure that all of our students are college- and career-ready, Conway High offers a wide array of course options on the college preparatory, world language, honors, and advanced placement levels while providing students with a comprehensive high school experience that includes opportunities in the fine arts and athletics, as well as in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). Students enrolled in our school have the opportunity to participate in various Advanced Placement courses, which include English Literature & Composition, English Language & Composition, Human Geography, Environmental Science, Calculus AB & BC, Government, and US History. Students also have the opportunity to participate in the AVID program while at Conway High School.

Accomplishments and Recognitions

- Earned the highest Graduation and College and Career Readiness rates in school history for the 2024-2025 school year
- Completed the onboarding process and initiated recruitment for the upcoming implementation of the 3DE Program by Junior Achievement
- FFA students named 2025 SC FFA Soil Judging Career Development State Champions
- Two FFA students named as finalists for the Horry County School Discussion Meet; one name as Overall Winner
- FFA student earned 1st place in the Conway Graveyard Grand Prix
- Three students earned 1st place in the App Design & Mobile Innovation category of the Horry County Tech Fair
- Achieved a score of Excellent at All-County Performance of “In The Forests of The Night”; three students won individual awards
- Band and Orchestra students received Excellent and Superior recognition from the South Carolina Music Educators Association and the South Carolina Band Directors Association
- Voted Best Band and Dancers of the Year by Horry County News
- CHS Drumline “G Smoove” won numerous 1st place achievements
- 13 students made the Horry County All County Honors Choir
- Two students made the South Carolina All State Honors Choir
- One student earned National Association of Teachers of Singing National Finalists in Music

ATHLETIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Wrestling
Two Individual Lower State Champions

Girls Golf Team
Runner-up in the State Championship

Girls Volleyball
Advanced to Lower State

Girls Tennis
Advanced to the second round of State Tournament

Boys Basketball
2nd in region, advanced to the second round of the State playoffs

College Commitments
12 student athletes committed to continuing their athletic careers during their post-secondary studies





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THE SCHOOL

The city of Conway provides a "small town" atmosphere in the midst of a rapidly growing resort area. Conway High School draws its student population from a largely rural attendance area. Conway High School has an enrollment of 1636 students.

OUR VISION

Conway High School's vision is to be a multicultural and socially inclusive, world class school centered around high-quality teaching and learning. Our students will be prepared to be empathetic and contributing citizens that value and utilize collaboration, critical thinking and creativity in order to be globally competitive in modern society. Our school will continue to be a pillar of Conway by honoring long-held traditions while embracing generational change and strategically preparing students to achieve collegiate and professional success.

OUR MISSION

The mission of Conway High School, a diverse educational community, is to empower students to maximize their academic potential in a safe and equitable learning environment through rigorous and relevant academic programs.

PURPOSE OF THIS REPORT

This report is issued by the Conway High School SIC 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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DATA PROFILE

2024-2025 GRADUATION RATE:
90.4%

EOC Quality Points

Fall 2025
English 2: 60%
Algebra 1: 38%
Biology: 33%
US History: 47%

2024-2025 SAT Average: 1015

2024-2025 ACT Average: 18.6

For additional information, you may view CHS's School Report Card for the previous year at www.ed.sc.gov.

COURSE OFFERINGS

AP COURSES

Language and Composition
Literature and Composition
Calculus BC
Calculus AB
US Government
Human Geography
US History

STEM MAJORS

PLTW Engineering
PLTW Engineering Scholars
PLTW Computer Science
PLTW Biomedical Science
Health Science
Hospitality & Tourism Management
Pharmacology
Sports Medicine
Veterinary Science
Agricultural Science/Horticulture
Web & Digital Communications
Business Information Management
Game & Interactive Media
General Management
Natural Hair Braiding

HONORS CLASSES

English 1, 2, 3, 4
Algebra 1, 2
Geometry
Algebra 2
Pre-Calculus
Statistical Modeling
Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Science
Anatomy and Physiology
Modern World History
US History
American Government
Economics
Spanish 3, 4

DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES

WITH Horry-Georgetown Tech

English 101, 102
Math 110, 120
Psychology 201
Sociology 101
Spanish 101, 102
Public Speaking 205
Art Appreciation 101
Music Appreciation 105
Education 101

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

PRINCIPAL

Dr. Tanika McKissick

CHAIR

Leslie McIver

MEMBERS

Shamae Johnson Assistant Principal
Stephen Brown, Community Member
Lindy Williams, Community Member
Angela Calhoun Community Member
Jessica Bryan, Parent
Sally Goldfinch, Parent
Claudine Schofield, Student Support Liaison
Leslie Griffin, Teacher
Erik Schrader, Teacher
Breanna Hicks, Teacher