

Indian Land Middle School

An Innovative Community Inspiring Excellence

For the 2022-2023 school year, we progressed towards a more "normal" setting after the challenging previous year due to COVID-19. This included offering field trips, dances, and other activities students had not been able to do the last couple of years. We offered new clubs for students to join including, art, drama, student council, student ambassadors, beta, books, run, and fca. We incorporated several new encore classes such as Family & Consumer Science and Theater which provided students with more learning opportunities as well as reducing class enrollment. We also added an Accelerate program for rising 7th graders in the areas of Math and ELA.

Some accomplishments that we are proud of include, 1st place for Academic Challenge in the SC State Championship. Bel Canto chorus earned a Superior with Distinction rating at the SC Concert Performance Assessment, Honor band received a Superior at the South Carolina Band Directors Association Concert Performance Assessment. We had 43 SC 8th grade junior scholars with 8 perfect scores. Daughters of the American Revolution essay winners for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place and 1st place in state competition for the VFW Patriot's Pen essay contest. FMAC 2022 Football champions, FMAC 2023 7th Grade Boys Basketball Champions.

Indian Land Middle School continues to incorporate project-based learning and lab-based instruction in our classes. We work to offer equitable learning that is also fast-paced. While our students have one-to-one access to technology, we continue to value learning time in the school's Media Center. ILMS provides career exploration and career events, as well as Individual Graduation Planning conferences. We offer a variety of elective classes (STEM, Spanish, art, media/broadcasting, band, chorus, piano, theatre, family and consumer science, and health/PE), as well as teaching and modeling character and spreading kindness within our building and in the community.

For the upcoming 2023-2024 school year, our teachers will focus on teaching/learning strategies to support our students. These strategies include communication/collaboration, thinking/problem-solving, questioning, expectations, and feedback. These strategies reinforce the World Class Skills of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate. We value partnerships and stakeholders who are invested in the success of our students and parental involvement. The support from the various stakeholders support Indian Land Middle School's goal of 100% Success!

Chris Thorpe Principal