

SIC Annual Goals 2015-2020

1. Increase the on-time (4 year cohort) student graduation rate from 80.7% to 81.05%. **GOAL NOT MET: 80.4%**
2. The percentage of students who earn a passing score on the Algebra 1 EOC Exam will increase from 76% to 78%. **GOAL NOT MET: 56.1%**
3. The percentage of students who earn a passing score on the English 1 EOC Exam will increase from 62.9% to 65%. **GOAL NOT MET: 54.3%**
4. The percentage of students who earn a passing score on the Biology 1 EOC Exam will increase from 74.9% to 76.4%. **GOAL NOT MET: 43.3%**
5. The percentage of students who earn a passing score on the US History EOC Exam will increase from 70.1% to 71.1%. **GOAL NOT MET: 36.6%**
6. Increase the mean composite score on ACT from 19.65% to 19.8. **GOAL NOT MET: 17.7**
7. Increase the mean composite score on the SAT from 948 to 964. **GOAL NOT MET: 949**
8. 100% of all certified staff will have the necessary certification to meet the Read to Succeed Law. **GOAL NOT MET: 91%**
9. Educator attendance will increase from 94.6% to 95%. **GOAL MET: 99.4%**

SIC Projects

- Teacher “shout out” board and teacher fellowship during professional development to increase a sense of community and build teacher moral.
- Funding is complete and process is beginning on our new school sign, which is a continuation of last year’s goal.
- The new conference room is complete and we plan to create in the conference room a new display of our valedictorian portraits.
- Our tardy policy including kiosks are now available and being used.

2019-2020 SIC Team

<u>Teacher/Staff</u>	<u>Parents</u>	<u>Students</u>
Michael Bentley	Beth Adams	Anna Taylor
Erin Hahn	Cathy Little	Madelyn Orcutt
Amanda Lloyd	Renee Madden	Hannah Godfrey
Yvonne Simmonds	Ami Hardy	Sabrina Brooks
Debbie Simpson	Brooke Yarbrough	Faith Fulmer
Michelle Gibbs	<u>Community</u>	<u>Ex Officiis</u>
Susan Youmans	Walt Summers	Tina Faulkner
Laurie Thurston	Roderick Crosby	Tim Walker
	Jeffery Whitener	Nancy Coleman



Purpose of this Report

This report is issued by the Laurens District 55 High 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.

Laurens D55 High School



SIC Annual Report to the Community 2019-2020

The mission of Laurens District 55 High School is to create a community of learners who are responsible and productive citizens.

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ldhsraiders.org

School Achievements

- LDHS Unified Physical education was awarded the Special Olympics Champion School.
- Automotive technology students at LDHS was named the 2019 "Tomorrow's Technician/ Wix's Filters National School of the Year."
- HOSA delivered Christmas Cards to nursing homes and the Sock-tober collected new socks for nursing home residents.
- Varsity Football were the 2019 Region I-5A Champions
- Raider Band were Loris Band Day Grand Champions
- LDHS students in the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) chapter won recognition in several competitive events at the FBLA District One Leadership Conference
- The Robotics Team reached national semifinals in Houston, Texas. They won the Chairman's Award in Huntsville, Alabama, and the 2020 Quality Aware at Palmetto Regional in February. Bosch Rexroth partners with them and students can graduate and secure jobs with Bosch.
- Student Council was recognized for the 4th consecutive year as a National Gold Council of Excellence and a SCASC Gold Council of excellence. Together the students participated in many service events including United Way School Supply Drive, Bags of Love, International Day, Laurens United 5K, Freshmen Fiesta, Transition Day, 8th Grade Expo, adopt-a-highway and the annual Civil War Week.
- In a joint effort the Raiders Cross Country team, Student Council and Raiders United hosted the first annual Laurens United 5K to raise awareness about suicide prevention and funds for the Raider United Mental Health Scholarship. Raiders United hosted an "Out of Darkness" walk. Homecoming court was able to raise \$5,000 for Raiders United.

Student Achievements

ACT—Scores

Subject	2018	2019/20	Change
Science	17.4	18.1	+0.7
Math	17.1	17.2	+0.1
Reading	17.1	18.6	+1.5
English	15.6	16.8	+1.2
Composite	17.0	17.7	+0.7

SAT—Scores

Subject	2018	2019/20	Change
Composition	1008	949	-59
Math	491	460	-31
Reading	518	489	-29

End-Of-Course Exam

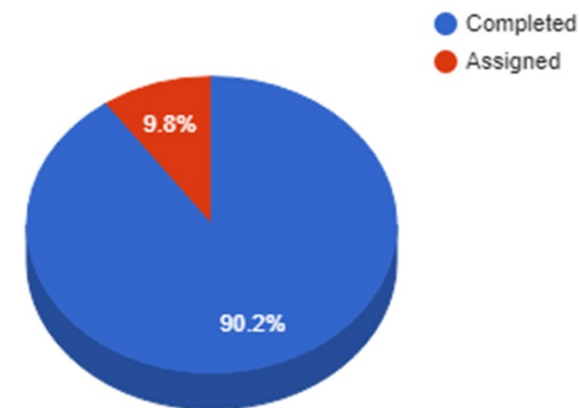
Subject	LDHS	State
English 1	54.3%	59.3%
Algebra 1	56.1%	43.5%
Biology	43.3%	47.0%
US History	36.6%	47.1%

**Result comparisons of students who scored a 'C' or better

Additional Information

LDHS is a comprehensive high school of 1514 students. This school is working with parents, teachers, coaches, and students to improve the school culture in which schools rally around student success and improved learning. This year our combined efforts led to 90.2% of the missing assignments to be completed by students!

Missing Assignments (Total YTD)



1,514

ASSIGNMENTS COMPLETED

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