



SANDERS MIDDLE SCHOOL

Annual Report to the Community



FOCUS

Serving students in grades six, seven, and eight, Sanders Middle School is focused on providing

- A safe environment for teaching and learning
- A school culture that is positive and comfortable
- High-quality instruction for all students
- Opportunities for family and community engagement

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

Academics

Middle level Montessori
Reading and math intervention
21st Century After-school program
Honors courses

Athletics

Basketball
Cheerleading
Football
Volleyball

Fine Arts

Band
Chorus
Orchestra
Visual Arts



Career and Technology Education

Barbering class
Business Education

RESULTS OF TEACHER & STUDENT SURVEYS (2024 Sanders Middle School SC Report Card)

	TEACHERS	STUDENTS
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100%	87.8%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	93.5%	89.3%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	80.6%	94.7%



SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

Nancy Cothran, Teacher
Melissa McDowell, School Counselor
Megan Simmons, Parent
Shelly Schultz, Parent
Trecia DeShields, Community Member
Joshua Dawkins, Principal

SANDERS MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMIC GOAL

Students scoring *Meets* or *Exceeds* on SC READY assessments in ELA and math will increase by 10% from the 2023-2024 school year to the 2024-2025 school year.

SC SCHOOL REPORT CARD

The Sanders Middle School SC School Report Card can be accessed at <https://ed.sc.gov/data/report-cards/>.

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SCHOOLWIDE MAP DATA RESULTS

	ELA	MATH
Fall 2024 Meets/Exceeds	28%	19%
Winter 2024 Meets/Exceeds	28%	16%
Spring 2025 Meets/Exceeds	29%	16%

Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) is a reading and math assessment administered to all grade levels at Sanders Middle School. MAP measures a student's proficiency and academic growth in the assessed subjects.

SUMMARY

The vision of Sanders Middle School is to engage students in learning experiences that lead to daily improvements. As indicated by our MAP data, students held steady from fall to spring; however, we want our students to make gains and show improvement. With innovative and supportive teachers, staff, and community, these gains are attainable. Sanders Middle School is committed to helping every child achieve success.

STAFF HONOREES

