

School Achievements

Chorus received Superior Ratings at Carowinds and Excellent ratings at the state music festival

Honor Band received a Gold Standard placement down in Atlanta, GA and Excellent ratings at the State Concert Festival.

Timothy Pakhnyuk was named the school's Corey White Diversity Award recipient.

Sara Lingerfelt was crowned School Spelling Bee Champion.

Timothy Pakhnyuk, C'ara Skinner, and Brianna Martin were all award winners at the Anderson Art Center's Youth Month.

BMS Students have raised over \$8,000.00 for charity this year and fundraising continues for Relay for Life.

Jane Green was awarded BMS and District Teacher of the Year for 2013-2014

8th Grade Science Scores on PASS ranked 1st in the State

Melody McCoy and Andrew Tucker, NCDA Poster & Poetry Contest Winners

Melody McCoy selected as a Palmetto STAR Teacher.

Tiffany Bell selected to participate in the 2014 Science Plus Institute

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Purpose of the Report

"This Report is issued by Belton Middle School's 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."

Belton Middle School

Annual School Improvement Council "Report to the Parents" 2013-14



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The mission of Belton Middle School in partnership with the total community is to educate adolescent students by Promoting achievement, encouraging compassion and civility, affirming responsibility, cultivating character and integrity, while embracing individuality.

SIC Annual Goals

1 – The average percentage of our students in grade six through eight scoring met or above on PASS in the four content areas will be 83.45%.

2 – Provide alternative instructional methods and real-life applications of knowledge and skills to improve proficiencies of students with varied learning styles

3 – To provide purposeful, planned and progressive educational opportunities and intervention strategies that meet the social, emotional, intellectual, and physical needs of adolescent students.

The purpose of the SIC annual goals is to steadily progress the school forward in all areas consistent with the school’s mission. We believe that focusing on these goals will help us to achieve success in educating all of our students and giving them the tools to excel in their future endeavors.

Student Achievement

Belton Middle School was rated Good/Average on the State’s school report card and received an ESEA grade of “A”.

BMS also received a Palmetto Silver Award for closing the achievement Gap.

80% of all students scored Met or above in the areas of PASS ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies.

100% of Algebra I students and English I students passed the state’s End-of-Course Exams.

45 8th graders took the PSAT this fall, and 4 qualified as SC Junior Scholars.

26 7th graders qualified to test for placement in Duke University’s Talent Identification Program.

John Boyer was named a Duke TIP Scholar

“For more information, you may view Belton Middle School’s “S.C. School Report Card” for the previous school year online at www.ed.sc.gov.”

Additional Information

For additional information regarding Belton Middle School please visit our website at

<http://bms.anderson2.org>

To become a volunteer please visit the district webpage to complete an online volunteer application. The link is

<http://www.anderson2.org>

Thank you for your continued support!



Go Warriors!
