We are extremely proud of our CMS family members who have achieved **National Board Certification**. Congratulations to these 12 outstanding faculty members!

Renee Bosco, Jessica Bower, Donna Bowman, Sherri Croft, Laurie Epps, Linda Fuller, Katie Manning, Cari Martin, Tracy O'Connor, Lori Powers, Lynn Rennebaum, and Thais West.

#### **Accreditation**

Chapin Middle School is fully accredited by the State Board of Education and AdvancED. In the annual report to the South Carolina Department of Education, no deficiencies were cited.

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# SIC Annual Report 2016-2017

"Pursuing Excellence for Tomorrow's Challenges"



# **Chapin Middle School**

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#### A Message from the Principal & SIC Chairperson

We are pleased to present the School Improvement Council Annual Report which provides key information on the 2016-2017 educational progress for Chapin Middle School (CMS). The report includes information such as standardized test scores, a variety of information pertinent to our school, and a list of the current School Improvement Council goals and members.

During the 2016-2017 school year, Chapin Middle earned the designation of a South Carolina School to Watch by the National Forum to Accelerate Middle-Grades Reform. Our SIC was a finalist for the Dick and Tunky Riley SIC Award for Excellence. Our SIC met monthly and was instrumental in setting a positive tone for the school. Several goals for this year included keeping stakeholders informed, improving communication, anti-bulling, evaluating school traffic, and contributing to our School Renewal Plan.

CMS continues to work towards improvement in all areas. It is essential for us to create the very best learning environment possible which includes our core content classes, exploratory classes, and fine arts classes. In addition to the academic success, we enjoy watching our students flourish in the areas of music, art, theater, community service, and athletics.

CMS will continue to grow academically and implement rigorous courses as we prepare for the coming school year, and we are proud to offer the quality educational programs all students deserve. We will celebrate successes in our work and the achievements of our students. Thank you for your continued support of CMS faculty, staff, and students.

Sincerely,

Anna M. Miller Principal

Reggie Salazar SIC Chairperson

2016 SCPASS SCIENCE							
Grade	School	%	%	%	%		
		Not Met	Met	Exemplary	Pass		
7	CMS	5	27	68	95		
	D5	15	31	54	85		
	SC	29	40	31	71		
8	CMS	11	24	65	89		
	D5	18	28	54	82		
	SC	34	32	34	66		
2016 SCPASS SOCIAL STUDIES							
Grade	School	%	%	%	%		
		Not Met	Met	Exemplary	Pass		
7	CMS	5	18	77	95		
	D5	15	21	64	85		
	SC	32	31	37	68		
8	CMS	8	21	71	92		
	D5	14	28	58	86		
	SC	31	32	37	69		

2016 SC READY ELA							
Grade	School	%	%	%	%		
		Not Met	Approaches	Meets	Exceeds		
7	CMS	7	23	37	33		
	D5	12	28	32	28		
	SC	23	36	27	14		
8	CMS	6	23	39	32		
	D5	11	27	38	24		
	SC	22	33	30	15		
2016 SC READY MATH							
Grade	School	%	%	%	%		
		Not Met	Approaches	Meets	Exceeds		
7	CMS	7	33	29	31		
	D5	17	32	25	26		
	SC	26	39	20	15		
8	CMS	12	32	29	27		
	D5	17	37	23	23		
	SC	29	38	19	14		

# **Mission Statement**

The mission of Chapin Middle School, where community and school unite for excellence, is to ensure that each student is prepared to succeed by providing a challenging curriculum that develops intellectual, social, and emotional growth within a safe, supportive learning environment.

## **Vision**

 Chapin Middle School will be a place where children are engaged and challenged in a supportive and nurturing environment.

### **Beliefs**

- The family is the primary influence on the development of a person.
- Positive character development is essential to the success of all communities.
- All students deserve to live, work, and learn in an environment that is physically and emotionally safe.
- Every student has the right to be respected as a unique human being.
- A community thrives when all members share in a sense of duty to the entire community.
- Every child can learn and be challenged to achieve their true potential.

# **CMS School Improvement Council**

Parent Representatives (Elected) Stacey Bryant Jeff Herring Alicia Klauk Reggie Salazar	Term Ends September 2018 September 2018 September 2018 May 2017
Teacher Representatives (Elected) Linda Fuller Tess Pratt Amy Reynolds Katie Yeoman	September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 September 2017
Student Representatives (Elected) Sandra Elliott Johnson Lydia Morris Aislyn Jowers Caroline Summers	September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 September 2017
Community Members (Appointed) John Bremer Jody Flowers Rick Howell Mike Shehan Mark Weinschreider Jason White	September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 September 2017
Ex-Officio Members  Anna Miller, Principal Ron McGinty, Assistant Principal Regina Brown, Business Partner Vera Timmons, PTO President	September 2017 September 2017 September 2017 May 2017