

Spotlight on Seniors

Students in the graduating class of 2015 are planning their futures, and those futures are BRIGHT! Offers and acceptances are still coming in, and we are proud to say that our seniors have already received over 3.5 million dollars in academic, athletic, and military scholarship offers. The following are some of the schools where our students have been accepted:

- College of Charleston
- Morris College
- Livingstone College
- Claflin University
- Charleston Southern
- Francis Marion
- Howard University
- Hampton University
- Spelman College
- West Point
- The Citadel
- Benedict College
- Johnson and Wale University
- United States Naval Academy

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The School District of Marlboro County will partner with families, businesses, and communities to develop the next generation of responsible citizens, lifelong learners, and global leaders.

“Motivating all Children to Succeed with Dignity”



The mission of the Marlboro County School District is to educate and enable all students to achieve their highest potential.

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Marlboro County High School Report to the Parents



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HOME OF THE BULLDOS



About MCHS

Marlboro County High School opened its doors in the fall of 1989 uniting students from Bennettsville, Blenheim, Clio, McColl, and Wallace. The school is located in the central part of the county and offers academic, vocational, and technology opportunities for students in grades 9 through 12.

Our Beliefs

- We believe all children can learn given opportunities that maximize their learning potential.
- We believe a rigorous curriculum is vital to effectively develop students with critical thinking, problem solving, and real world skills.
- We believe in promoting a safe and orderly environment.
- We believe that a highly skilled and dedicated staff will produce responsible citizens and life-long learners.

Opportunities for Students

• Dual Enrollment offerings

Dual enrollment allows high school students to enroll in college courses to earn college credit toward an associate or bachelor's degree while in high school.

• Teacher Cadet

This course offers students who possess exemplary interpersonal and leadership skills the opportunities to ascertain experience in the field of education.

• Get a Job, Keep a Job

MCHS has partnered with NETC to offer students this ongoing workshop to increase their marketability to future employers. Students learn resume writing, interviewing skills, proper dress in the workplace, do's and don'ts in work place behavior, and team building.



Student Exposure

• College Visits

Our Student Services department organizes visits to colleges and universities so that students can make informed decisions about their futures. This year, students had the opportunity to visit the following schools:

- South Carolina State University
- Winthrop University
- Lander University
- Newberry College
- North Carolina A & T
- Northeastern Technical College
- Johnson and Wales University

• Class Trips

Students have the opportunity to travel the country with their peers. Destinations include Orlando, New York, Atlanta, and Washington, D.C..

• Multiculturalism and Diversity

In honor of Black History Month, students and staff produced its best multi-cultural program yet. Coach Willie Jeffries gave an inspiring speech, and students were introduced to the cultures represented by their fellow students and their teachers.



Accomplishments

- **JROTC Blood Drives**—The JROTC collected more than 200 units of blood this year. Our students are saving lives!
- **Anti-Bullying Campaign**—Students participated in a door decorating contest in an effort to speak out against bullying.
- **S.T.E.M Night Fever**—Students involved in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics classes had a chance to show their skills during the expo.
- **TIP Text Line**—MCHS implemented the student tip line in an effort to give our students the safest environment possible.
- **Technology**—Several classrooms received new Smart Boards.



Changes in State Testing

ACT College and Career Readiness Assessment:

This year, all 11th grade students were given the ACT College and Career Readiness Assessment. This test is used to gauge how prepared students are for the college classroom. Scores are accepted by all 4-year college and universities in the United States as well as all 2-year colleges in South Carolina. Test scores can also be used to determine scholarship awards.

ACT WorkKeys:

Students in grades 9-11 were also given the ACT WorkKeys test. This test measures "real world" skills that students need to be successful in the work place. Students can earn a National Career Readiness Certificate, which will help them find employment after high school. Industries and companies nationwide are using WorkKeys certificates in the hiring process.