

School Improvement Plan

Performance Goal I: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the Algebra I EOC assessment will increase from 83% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal II: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the Algebra I EOC assessment will increase from 41% in 2022 to 60% in 2028.

Performance Goal III: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the English II EOC assessment will increase from 88.14% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal IV: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the English II EOC assessment will increase from 77.19% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal V: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the Biology EOC assessment will increase from 64% in 2022 to 89% in 2028.

Performance Goal VI: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the Biology EOC assessment will increase from 48% in 2022 to 73% in 2028.

Performance Goal VII: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the US History EOC assessment will increase from 44% in 2022 to 69% in 2028.

Performance Goal VIII: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the US History EOC assessment will increase from 28.54% in 2022 to 53.5% in 2028.

Performance Goal IX: The percentage of students who graduate with a high school diploma with their class will increase from 87.4% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal X: The percentage of students who graduate in four years who are college and/or career ready will increase from 68.6% in 2022 to 94% in 2028.

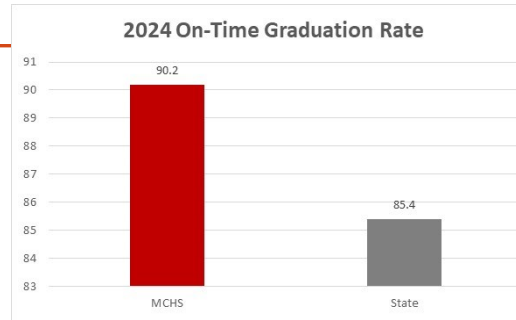
Performance Goal XI: The percentage of ML students who met progress toward proficiency target will increase from 51% in 2022 to 68.5% in 2028.

Performance Goal XII: The percentage of teachers, counselors, and administrators with NBPTS certification, advanced degrees, and/or taking part in activities that advance the profession will increase from 76.2% in 2022 to 91.2% in 2028.

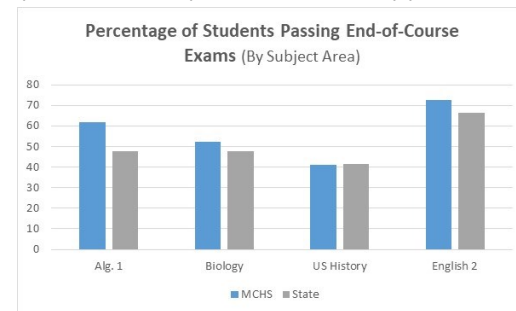
Performance Goal XIII: The percentage of students satisfied with the social and physical environment will increase from 82% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal XIV: The percentage of parents satisfied with the social and physical environment will increase from 78% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.

Performance Goal XV: The percentage of teachers satisfied with the social and physical environment will increase from 95.6% in 2022 to 100% in 2028.



Note on missing data: On March 26, 2021, the U.S. Department of Education waived federal accountability requirements and granted flexibility in administering assessments due to COVID-19. The results displayed within this report card should not be compared to those of other years due to the testing limitations as a result of the pandemic. In addition, these results may be incomplete and may not be representative of the make-up of the State, district, or school population.



MCHS REPORT CARD Link:

<https://scoreportcards.com/overview/?q=eT0yMDI0JnQ9SCZzaWQ9MzYwMTAwMg>

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**SIC Report to the Parents
2024-25 School Year**



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**A Proud Past...
A Promising Future**



Mid-Carolina High School: A Proud Past... A Promising Future

2023-2024 & 2024-2025 Awards & Accomplishments

- Scholarship money awarded to seniors totaled \$3,330,300.
- Of 166 graduates, 87 graduates received completion certificates from the Newberry County Career Center, 37 graduates earned a Newberry County Advanced Diploma, 11 graduates were named as Newberry County School District Honor Graduates, 4 graduates earned the South Carolina Academic Honors Award, 31 graduates were inducted into the National Technical Honor Society, graduates earned over 1,677 credit hours for transfer credit towards college degrees, 9 Palmetto Fellows recipients earned a potential scholarship total of \$330,300 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, 50 students earned a 3.0 or better and ranked in the top 30% of their class with a potential LIFE scholarship total of \$1,000,000 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, 125 students earned a 3.0 or better with a potential LIFE Scholarship total of \$1,250,000 towards a two-year Associates Degree, and 125 students met the 3.0 requirement that qualifies a student for the HOPE scholarship with a potential HOPE scholarship total of \$350,000 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree.
- Three art students received awards at the SDNC Student Art Show.
- Beta Club inducted 103 new members, recognized 57 members with received academic letters for completing their 2nd year, and 73 members received bars for completing at least 3 years.
- Beta Club earned the 2023-2024 National Beta School of Distinction status.
- The Envirothon Team earned an 8th place finish at the S.C. Envirothon Meet.
- The band participated in the SCBDA Concert Performance Assessment and received a Superior rating.
- Winter Guard performed at the CWEA Circuit Championships and placed 7th in their round.
- Two band students signed letters of intent with Newberry College to pursue music at the collegiate level.
- Four students attended and competed at the SC Economics Challenge placing 3rd.
- MCHS students were inducted into the National Technical Honor Society during the Spring 2024 Induction Ceremony.
- Ten MCHS students had their writings selected and printed in the School District of Newberry County 2023-2024 Writing Anthology.
- Two students were selected as delegates for Palmetto Girls State and two were selected as alternates.
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- Students and counselors visited Piedmont Technical College for PTC's Open House to explore the PTC program majors and view the Greenwood campus.
- One senior was named as members of the 2024 SC Teaching Fellows cohort.
- Eleven student athletes signed a national letter of intent during the 2023-2024 school year to play in their prospective sport: cheer—Newberry College; cheer—Coastal Carolina; cheer—Lander University; track—Columbia College; javelin—Converse College; baseball—USC Sumter; soccer—Francis Marion University; golf—Montreat College; three football—Newberry College.
- Six cheerleaders received All-Region II-AA.
- Three varsity boys basketball members were selected All-Region II-AA.
- Four varsity girls basketball members were selected All-Region II-AA with one selected as All-State.
- Three varsity wrestlers were selected All-Region II-AA with one receiving Region Wrestler of the Year.
- The varsity baseball team won the Region II-AA Championship, District Championship, and Upper State Championship. Four members were selected All-Region II-AA, two were selected Region II-AA Players of the Year, one was selected Region II-AA Co-Player of the Year, two were selected All-State, and two were selected North/South All-Stars.
- Golf won the Region II-AA Championship. One member was selected as Region II-AA Player of the Year and four were selected as All-Region II-AA. The team finished 9th in the State.
- Varsity boys soccer was named Co-Region Champions. Four members were selected as All-Region II-AA.
- Varsity girls soccer team won their fourth consecutive region title. Four members were selected as All-Region II-AA, one was selected as Region Player of the Year, and one was selected as All-State.
- The softball team was named Co-Region Champions. Three members were named Region II-AA All-Region.
- Boy's Tennis won the Region II-AA Championship. Two boys' tennis players were selected as All-Region II-AA with one selected as Region Player of the Year.

Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- The girls' track team won the Region II-AA Championship and finished 9th in the State Championship. Eight girls were selected as All-Region II-AA, two were selected as Region II-AA Field Athletes of the Year, and one received the Region Award.
- The boy's track team won the Region II-AA Championship and finished 9th in the State Championship. Seven boys were selected as All-Region II-AA, one was selected as Region II-AA Runner of the Year, and one received the Region Award.
- The Art Department held their Annual Art Show celebrating art students hard work, talent, and effort.
- The Class of 2024 participated in a Senior Walk hosted by the local Elementary Schools.
- MCHS held our third Annual Senior Picnic and College/Military/Career Signing Day for the Class of 2024.
- One MCHS student placed 2nd in the state of South Carolina on the Trig-Star High School Mathematics Test.
- MCHS scored a "Good" rating on the State Report Card.
- A teacher was named runner up for the District Teacher of the Year for 2024-2025.
- A faculty member was selected as the School District of Newberry County's Support Staff of the Year for 2024-2025.
- The library media specialist presented "Make Space for Makerspaces!" at the annual SC EDTECH Conference.
- The library media specialist was Awarded Newberry County Reading Council's Secondary Reading Teacher of the Year Award.
- MCHS held its 1st Annual Human Library Career Fair.
- Twenty students received 100% on their EOC (End-Of-Course Exams): Biology—16; US History—2; and English II—2.
- MCHS hosted its Third Annual Fall & Spring After School EOC Academics.
- The MCHS Guidance Department hosted the following workshops this school year: Freshmen Orientation/9th Grade Parent Workshop, 11th/12th Grade Parent Night, Senior Financial Aid Night-FAFSA Night, A Day with PTC, and rising freshmen tour.
- The MCHS Guidance Department hosted Senior College Application Day where seniors had the opportunity to apply to the college of their choice.
- Twelfth graders attended the Combined College Fair at Newberry College.
- JROTC hosted their Annual Veterans Day Celebration.
- MCHS hosted our Annual Black History Program.
- Ninth graders traveled to the Newberry County Career Center to learn about the various programs NCCC offers.
- Nonperishable/can goods were collected and donated to the Pomaria Food Bank.
- Presents were collected for the Angel tree and delivered to local elementary schools for 35 families in our community.
- Fourteen student council representatives attended the 2024 Southern Association of Student Council (SASC) Conference at Chapin High School winning the following awards: 1st—Recreational Activities (1A/2A/3A); 3rd—Community Service (1A/2A/3A); 3rd—Photography.
- Twelve students attended Teacher Cadet Day at Newberry College.
- Several MCHS students participated in the School District of Newberry County's Finding Nemo Performance at the Newberry Opera House.
- One art student had her art work chosen to be the cover artwork for the 2024 SCATE conference program.
- Several art students had their artwork submitted and on display at the 2024 South Carolina State Fair. One student received Honorable Mention for 2-D Art and one student received 2nd place in 3-D Art.
- Beta Club achieved 2024-2025 National Beta School of Merit status.
- Mid-Carolina High School brought home several awards from the South Carolina Beta Club Convention: 1st—Engineering; 1st—Woodworking Division 1; 3rd—Color Photography Division 2; 3rd—9th Grade French; 3rd—9th Grade Math; and 3rd—Solo/Duo/Trio Dance. One student was named a Premiere Performer and invited to dance in the opening session of the National Convention.
- The MCHS Academic Challenge team finished 3rd at the WPEC finals.
- MCHS students were inducted into the National Technical Honor Society.
- Two students were selected to attend the 2025 Palmetto Girls State.
- Three students were selected to attend the 2025 Palmetto Boys State.
- The Rebel Regiment Marching Band placed 4th in Class III at the Henry Laurens Invitational, 4th in Class V at the Chesnee Eagle Classic, 11th at the SCBDA 1A State Championship Prelims, and 8th at the SCBDA 1A State Championship Finals.
- Seven band students participated in the Furman University Honor Band Clinic.
- Six band students participated in the 7th Annual Newberry College Honor Band Clinic.

Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- One band student attended Coastal Carolina University for the Coastal Honor Band Clinic.
- Five band students participated in the University of South Carolina Honor Band Clinic.
- Ten band students participated in the Region 6 Honor Band: 2nd chair, Junior—Clarinet; 14th chair, Junior—Clarinet; 16th chair, Senior—Trumpet; 2nd Alternate, Senior—Trombone; 10th chair, Senior—Flute; 2nd chair, Senior—Tuba; 6th chair, Clinic—French Horn; 6th Alternate, Clinic—Trumpet; 12th chair, Clinic—Clarinet; and 4th Alternate, Clinic—Tuba. Five band students earned spots in the All-State Band callback auditions.
- Three band students placed at All-State Band: 2nd Alternate, Junior—Clarinet; 14th chair, Clinic—Clarinet; and 1st Alternate, Contra Clarinet.
- One band student earned 1st Chair Clarinet in the Region.
- Several band students were selected for the SCBDA Region 6 Bands and Alternate Band. Two students earned spots in the All-State Band and Alternate Group.
- The Concert Band performed at the SCBDA Concert Performance Assessment competing in Class III and earning a Superior with Distinction.
- Several chorus students participated with the Central Region Choir held at Newberry College.
- MCHS, along with Army JROTC, recognized/honored military service and patriotism to our nation at our annual Veterans Day Program.
- JROTC participated in the annual Prosperity Christmas Parade.
- JROTC conducted their Adopt-A-Highway service learning project several times during the school year.
- The MCHS Archery Team hosted and competed in the SC NASP Qualifying tournaments. The team finished first in both the bullseye tournament and the IBO 3D tournament. They qualified to compete in the State NASP IBO/3D tournament by being one of the top ten teams in the State.
- Several football players were recognized by the Newberry County Touchdown Club.
- Swim team members qualified and competed at the state swim meet. The girls finished 22nd in the state and the boys finished 9th. One swimmer earned the 2024 State Championship in the 200-yard freestyle and one finished 2nd in the 500 freestyle.
- The girls' tennis team won the Region Championship.
- One girls' tennis player was selected to play in the S.C. Singles tournament for Region II-AA girls tennis.
- The Competitive Cheer Squad placed 1st at the Silver Fox Invitational, 1st the Battle at the Bluff, 1st at the Falcon Invitational, 1st at The Best at the Nest, 2nd at the 3A State Qualifiers, and 3rd at the 3A State Cheer Finals.
- Boys' basketball finished 6th place in Region II-AA. One player was selected All-Region II-AA.
- The varsity wrestling team finished third in Region II-AA. One wrestler was selected All-Region II-AA.
- Five wrestlers qualified to compete at State Finals. Two wrestled in the Championship match, both placed second and were named All-State Wrestlers.
- The Wall of Fame honors Mid-Carolina graduates who have played at the college level, earned a letter at the college level and graduated from college, or played professionally. We have over 90 former student athletes who have been inducted.
- Nine student athletes signed a national letter of intent during the 2024-2025 school year to play in their prospective sport: two football—Newberry College; softball—USC Union; softball—Belmont Abbey; baseball—College of Charleston; baseball—Newberry College; cheerleading—Erskin; track and volleyball—University of Mount Olive; soccer—USC Union.
- One student was selected as the Newberry Exchange Club Youth of the Year for Mid-Carolina High School.
- MCHS participated with United Way.
- MCHS Relay for Life team held its 4th Annual Holiday Market to raise funds for the American Cancer Society.
- MCHS was a corporate sponsor for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life.

