

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 67.4% in 2017 to 74.4% in 2023.

Performance Goal II: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the Algebra I EOC assessment will increase from 23.6% in 2017 to 38.1% in 2023.

Performance Goal III: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the English I EOC assessment will increase from 62.8% in 2017 to 71.3% in 2023.

Performance Goal IV: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the English I EOC assessment will increase from 37.8% in 2017 to 47.8% in 2023.

Performance Goal V: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the Biology EOC assessment will increase from 67.1% in 2017 to 74.3% in 2023.

Performance Goal VI: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the Biology EOC assessment will increase from 51.8% in 2017 to 57.76% in 2023.

Performance Goal VII: The percentage of students who score Level 2 or higher on the US History EOC assessment will increase from 67.2% in 2017 to 74.3% in 2023.

Performance Goal VIII: The percentage of students who score Level 3 or higher on the US History EOC assessment will increase from 39.9% in 2017 to 49.4% in 2023.

Performance Goal IX: The percentage of students who graduate with a high school diploma with their class will increase from 88.8% in 2017 to 90.8% in 2023.

Performance Goal X: 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 71.1% in 2017 to 77.1% in 2023.

Performance Goal XI: The percentage of students satisfied with the learning environment will increase from an average of 68.8% in 2017 to 75.3% in 2023.

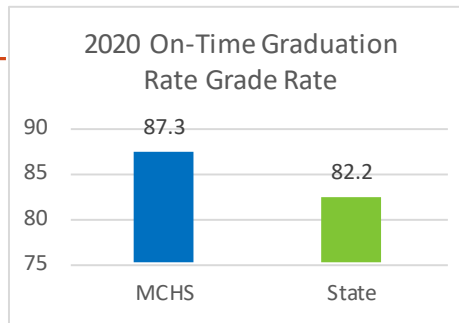
Performance Goal XII: The percentage of students satisfied with the social and physical environment will increase from 72% in 2017 to 81% in 2023.

Performance Goal XIII: The percentage of parents who feel welcome at MCHS will be maintained from 96.46% in 2017 to 97.71% in 2023.

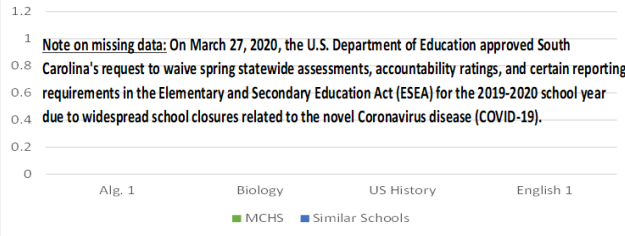
Performance Goal XIV: The percentage of parents who believe school expectations are "just right" will increase from 66.67% in 2017 to 73.92% in 2023.

Performance Goal XV: The percentage of students tested in their third year of high school who earn an 18 or higher on the ACT English Benchmark Test will increase from 48% in 2017 to 59% in 2023.

Performance Goal XVI: The percentage of students tested in their third year of high school who earn a 23 or higher on the ACT Reading Benchmark Test will increase from 32% in 2017 to 51% in 2023.



Percentage of Students Passing End-of-Course Exams (By Subject Area)



MCHS REPORT CARD Link:
<https://www.screportcards.com/overview/?q=eT0yMDIwJnQ9SCZzaWQ9MzYwMTAwMg>

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SIC Report to the Parents 2020-21 School Year



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

2019-2020 & 2020-2021 Awards & Accomplishments

- Scholarship money awarded to seniors totaled \$2,433,600.00.
- Of 154 graduates, 78 graduates received completer certificates from the Newberry County Career Center, 37 graduates earned a Newberry County Advanced Diploma, 16 graduates were named as Newberry County School District Honor Graduates, 8 graduates earned the South Carolina Academic Honors Award, 17 graduates were inducted into the National Technical Honor Society, graduates earned a total of 605 dual credit hours for transfer credit towards college degrees, 9 Palmetto Fellows recipients earned a potential scholarship total of \$262,800 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, 46 students earned a 3.0 or better and ranked in the top 30% of their class with a potential LIFE scholarship total of \$920,000 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, and 111 students met the 3.0 requirement that qualifies a student for the HOPE scholarship with a potential HOPE scholarship total of \$1,243,200 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree.
- A faculty member was selected as the School District of Newberry County's District Support Staff of the Year Runner-Up.
- A teacher was awarded the Newberry County Reading Council's Distinguished Literacy High School Teacher of the Year Award.
- MCHS Principal was selected as the SCAAA (South Carolina Athletic Administrators Association) 3A Principal of the Year 2021.
- One student scored in the top 2.5% on the PSAT/NMSQT among high school junior test-takers in our region during the 2019-2020 school year.
- The MCHS Guidance Department hosted the following virtual workshops this school year: ACT Parent Night and Piedmont Technical College Parent Night.
- 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 63 students in our community.
- Mid-Carolina High School brought home several awards from the South Carolina Beta Club Convention held virtually: 1st—Creative Writing Division 1; 1st—Language Arts 9th Grade; 3rd—Math 9th Grade; 2nd—Math 10th Grade; 3rd—Portfolio; 1st—Spanish 12th Grade; 3rd—Three-Dimensional Design; 3rd—Color Photography Division 1; 3rd—Fiber Arts Division 1; 1st—Sculpture Division 1; 1st—Fiber Arts Division 2; 1st—Recyclable Art Division 2; and Best of Show Division 2.
- The MCHS Academic Challenge team placed second in the Region for large high schools.
- The MCHS Academic Challenge team competed in the Eastern Seaboard Challenge and made it to the Quarter Finals. They will compete in the Nationals in June.

Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- Four band students were selected for the 2020 University of South Carolina Honor Band Clinic.
- Eight band students qualified for the 2021 Region 6 Bands: 2nd alternate alto, junior band; 2nd chair—clarinet, clinic band; 15th chair—clarinet, clinic band; 3rd chair—alto, clinic band; 6th alternate—trumpet, clinic band; 6th chair—tuba, clinic band; 6th chair—flute, senior band; and 8th chair—horn, senior band.
- Nine band students submitted virtual auditions for the SC Region 6 Honor Band. Three students scored high enough to advance to the All-State Level.
- MCHS, along with Army JROTC, created a virtual Veterans Day Presentation to recognize/honor military service and patriotism to our nation.
- Two senior archery team members qualified for the state archery tournament.
- One football player was selected to the AAA All-State Football Team.
- Five football players were selected to the 2020 Football AAA Region 4 All-Region Team.
- One MCHS football player and one girl's cross country team member were named to the HSSR All-State Team in their prospective sport.
- One MCHS football player was selected as the WLTX 19 Player of the Week.
- One MCHS football player was selected as the State Newspaper Player of the Week.
- Varsity volleyball team won the Region 4-AAA Volleyball Championship.
- One volleyball player was voted Player of the Year in the AAA Region-4 and was named to the AAA All-State Team.
- Four student athletes were selected for the 2020 All-Region Team in volleyball.
- The boys' basketball team were Region Co-Champs with Keenan High School.
- A boys' basketball player was named All-State for two consecutive years.
- A boys' basketball player was selected to the SCBCA All-Star Game (North vs. South) Game.
- A senior boys' basketball player became a 1000 point scorer.
- Two boys' basketball players were named to the All-Region team.
- Two wrestlers qualified and participated in the State Individual Wrestling Championship. One wrestler won third place and one wrestler won fourth place in their prospective weight classes.
- 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 a total of 77 former student athletes who have been inducted.
- The 2019-2020 MCHS girls' soccer team earned the United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award for exemplary performance in the classroom as a team during the 2019-2020 academic year. To qualify for the award, the team must have a minimum grade point average of 3.25 for the entire academic

Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- year. The team GPA is determined by adding every player's GPA, then dividing by the number of players. The MCHS girls' soccer team had a 4.74 GPA.
- The MCHS varsity girls' head soccer coach was selected as the United Soccer Coaches Association South Carolina 2020 State High School Coach of the Year for winter and spring seasons.
- The Cross Country team won the Region 4-AAA Championship.
- One girl's cross country student athlete received All-State.
- One coach was selected as the Region 4-AAA Cross Country Coach of the Year.
- Two swim team members qualified and competed at the state swim meet.
- One swim team member was selected as a Conference Swimmer of the Week.
- The girls' tennis team won the Region 4-AAA Tennis Championship.
- Two girl's tennis players were selected to play in the Girls State Singles Tournament.
- Three girl's tennis players were selected as All-Region.
- One girl's tennis player was selected as Region 4 Player of the Year.
- The Competitive Cheer Squad placed 4th at the AAA State Cheer Competition.
- One student was selected as the Newberry Exchange Club Youth of the Year for Mid-Carolina High School.
- MCHS participated with United Way.
- MCHS was a corporate sponsor for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life.



Due to the pandemic in March of 2020 our students began learning from home. Though challenging, we were committed to gathering the resources needed to ensure students had everything needed. This was a collaborative effort with our teachers, staff and SIC members. Prior to starting our efforts and implementing guidelines, our SIC met to ponder ideas and ways to ensure student safety. We had to be creative with EOY events and our graduation ceremony. Students will resume state testing in May 2021.