

# 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.

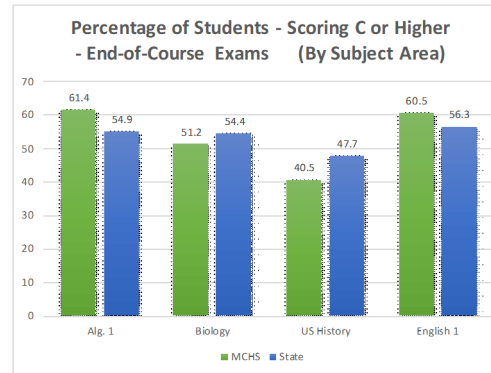
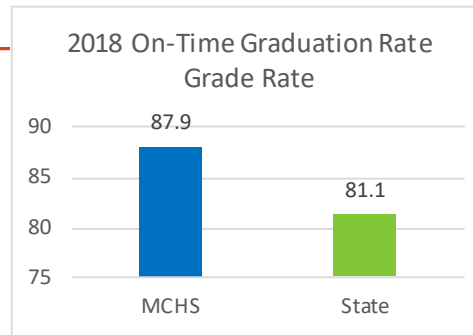
**Performance Goal XII:** The percentage of students satisfied with the social and physical environment will increase from 72% in 2017 to 81% in 2023.

**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.



### 2019-2020 School Improvement Council Members

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## Mid-Carolina High School

### Summary Report 2019-20 School Year



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

## 2018-2019 & 2019-2020 Awards & Accomplishments

- Scholarship money awarded to seniors totaled \$3,473,424.00.
- Of 187 graduates, 117 graduates received completer certificates from the Newberry County Career Center, 55 graduates earned a Newberry County Advanced Diploma, 24 graduates were named as Newberry County School District Honor Graduates, 6 graduates earned the South Carolina Academic Honors Award, 43 graduates were inducted into the National Technical Honor Society, graduates earned a total of 610 dual credit hours for transfer credit towards college degrees, 13 Palmetto Fellows recipients earned a potential scholarship total of \$379,600 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, 42 students earned a 3.0 or better and ranked in the top 30% of their class with a potential LIFE scholarship total of \$840,000 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree, and 89 students met the 3.0 requirement that qualifies a student for the HOPE scholarship with a potential HOPE scholarship total of \$996,800 towards a four year Bachelor's Degree.
- A teacher was awarded the Newberry County Reading Council's Distinguished Literacy High School Teacher of the Year Award.
- MCHS hosted a celebration for ESOL students who showed great improvement on their WIDA test scores.
- MCHS hosted a summer reading celebration for students who completed their summer ready assignments.
- Mid-Carolina High School's Counseling Department and Link Crew hosted its 12th Annual Freshmen Orientation.
- MCHS hosted an Open House.
- The MCHS Guidance Department hosted several workshops throughout the school year: Ninth Grade Parent Orientation Night, Senior Information Night, Junior Information Night, PTC Dual Enrollment Night, Ed-OP, Financial Aid Night—"The College Plan", and College Application Day.
- The MCHS Guidance Department took our 9th grade students on a Career Exploration of the Newberry County Career Center.
- Student Council sponsored Senior Sunset for the class of 2019 and Senior Sunrise for the class of 2020.
- Mid-Carolina High School Student Council hosted two blood drives.
- 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.
- Student Council sponsored a Homecoming Dance.
- MCHS Beta Club inducted 132 new members during their annual 2019-2020 induction ceremony.
- Mid-Carolina High School brought home several awards from the South Carolina Beta Club Convention held in Myrtle Beach: 2nd - Quiz Bowl; 3rd - Service Learning Showcase; 1st - Speech division 1; 1st - Speech division 2; 2nd - 3D Design; 2nd - Drawing division 1; 2nd - Drawing division 2; 1st - Painting division 2; 1st - Recycled Art division 1; and the Gold Key Award.
- The MCHS Academic Challenge team hosted an Academic Challenge meeting and won all three matches.
- Art students participated in their annual window painting project.
- Art students competed to design the best program cover for the South Carolina Association of Teacher Educators Annual Conference. One MCHS Art student's design was chosen.
- Art students had a great showing at the SC State Fair. One student received 1st place and one received Honorable Mention.
- Fifteen MCHS art student's had artwork selected for the Newberry County School District Student Art Show.
- One art student had artwork selected into the Converse College Young Women in Art Exhibition.

## Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- Sixteen senior chorus members auditioned to participate in the 2019-2020 All-State Chorus at Winthrop University. Two members were selected.
- The Choirs of Mid-Carolina performed their annual Winter Concert.
- Twenty-one Mid-Carolina Choir students participated in the South Carolina Music Educator's Association Region Chorus at Newberry College.
- Two MCHS Choir students attended the 2020 All-State Choir at Winthrop University.
- The Mid-Carolina High School band received the SCBDA Outstanding Performance Award for the 2018-2019 school year.
- Three band students were selected to perform in the 39th Annual Winthrop University Invitational Band Clinic.
- The Rebel Regiment placed 4th in division 2 at the Midlands Marching Classic, 2nd in division four and 4th overall in the Silver Division at Palmetto Esprit de Corps, 2nd in division three with 3rd overall in the Silver Division at the Reservation Tournament of Champions, 6th overall at Upper State, and 11th at the State Championship.
- Five band students were selected for the 2019 Newberry College Honor Band Clinic.
- The MCHS Band hosted a Master Class with special guest Julian Bliss.
- Four band students received All-State Band audition call backs.
- One band student was selected to participate in All-State Band.
- Seven band students qualified for the 2020 Region 6 Bands: 4th chair—horn, clinic band; 5th chair—flute, senior band; 12th chair—flute, senior band; 10th chair—clarinet, senior band; 1st alternate—baritone saxophone, senior band; 2nd alternate—trumpet, senior band; and 8th chair—horn.
- The Mid-Carolina High School JROTC Battalion conducted their Adopt-A-Highway roadside cleanup community service project.
- The Mid-Carolina High School JROTC Battalion conducted its Fall Promotion Ceremony.
- MCHS, along with Army JROTC, held our annual Veterans Day Assembly to recognize/honor military service and patriotism to our nation.
- The MCHS JROTC drill team participated in the JL Mann High School Jack Frost Dill Meet.
- The MCHS JROTC Color Guard Team had the honor of Presenting the Colors at the start of the November 2019 South Carolina State Board of Education Meeting.
- The MCHS JROTC participated in the annual Prosperity Christmas Parade.
- Thirteen JROTC Raider team members competed in the Paladin Battalion JROTC Raider Challenge competition at Furman University.
- The Mid-Carolina High School Army JROTC Battalion hosted its annual and prestigious Military Ball.
- 2019-20 Army JROTC Academic Bowl Level II Results
- The MCHS JROTC qualified to advance to the 2020 Army JROTC Academic Bowl Championship.
- Two senior archery team members were awarded scholarships.
- Several student athletes were selected to All-Region teams for the 2018-2019 Spring Sports Seasons: Girls' Track—one; Boys' Track—one; Boys' Tennis—two; Golf—two; Girls' Soccer—four; Boys' Soccer—four; Softball—two; Baseball—three.
- Several student athletes were selected to All-Region teams for the 2019-2020 Fall and Winter Sports Seasons: Football—three; Boys' Basketball—two; Girls' Basketball—one; Volleyball—two; Girls' Tennis—two; Wrestling—one; Cross Country—two.
- One MCHS coach was selected to coach the 2019 North-South All-State baseball game.
- One MCHS baseball player was selected to play in the 2019 North-South All-State baseball game.

## Awards & Accomplishments (continued)

- One MCHS golf team member finished third overall at the 2019 Class AAA State Golf Tournament, was chosen to play in the North-South All-Star Golf Tournament, and was named Region Player of the year.
- Three track team members competed at the 2019 State Track Meet. One track team member won the 2019 Class AAA State Title for Shot Put.
- Two MCHS football players were selected to play in the Columbia Metro Senior Bowl at Brookland-Cayce School.
- One MCHS football player and one boys' basketball player were chosen for All-State in their prospective sport.
- One MCHS volleyball player was selected to participate in the South Carolina Coaches Association of Women's Sports All-State Volleyball Team.
- Twelve MCHS wrestlers participated in the Region 3 AAA individual tournament. They all placed in the top four of their weight classes advancing them to Upper State.
- Four student athletes signed a national letter of intent at the end of the 2018-2019 school year to play in their prospective sport: soccer—one at Southern Wesleyan University; baseball—three at USC Union.
- Four student athletes signed a national letter of intent during the 2019-2020 school year to play in their prospective sport: cheer—one at Limestone College; football—two at Newberry College; football—one at Myrtle Beach Prep.
- 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. Twelve graduates were inducted into the Wall of Fame. We have a total of 79 former student athletes who have been inducted.
- The 2018-2019 MCHS girls' soccer team earned the United Soccer Coaches Team Academic Award for exemplary performance in the classroom as a team during the 2018-2019 academic year.
- The MCHS varsity girls' soccer team head coach was named Co-Coach of the Year in the Region.
- One MCHS girls' soccer team member received All-State.
- The MCHS varsity girls' soccer team and coaches received the 2019 Team Ethics Gold Award of Merit from the United Soccer Coaches.
- The girls' cross country team placed 12th at the SCHSL State Championship.
- One MCHS girls' cross country team member placed 3rd overall at the Cross Country State Championship and received All-State.
- Three swim team members qualified and competed at the state swim meet in Columbia at USC.
- The girls' tennis team finished the 2019 season with a 10-4 record.
- One boy's tennis player was selected to play in the Boys State Singles Tournament during the 2018-2019 season.
- The Competitive Cheer Squad placed 1st at the Solver Fox Invitational, 1st at the Viking Invitational, 1st at the Lake Murray Invitational, and 2nd at the 3A State Cheer Championship.
- One coach was selected as Cheerleader Coach of the Year by the South Carolina Athletic Coaches Association Board of Directors.
- MCHS hosted an assembly on the dangers of Vaping with guest speaker Mr. Luka Kinard.
- 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.

