

## Honors and Accomplishments

### Team E.D.I.S.T.O.

#### Engagement

- In October, Edisto High School in conjunction with our SIC and Student Council hosted our first annual Trick or Treat Lane. Over 400 students in our feeder schools received candy and participated in Halloween themed games.
- In December, Edisto High School in conjunction with our SIC hosted our first annual Christmas Tree Lightening Ceremony. Activities included: making your own reindeer food, an essay contest, caroling, band and choral performances.
- Student Council collected money for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society.

#### Determination

- Simeon L. Gordon, of Edisto High, joined other outstanding high school students from across the nation in attending a unique academic and career oriented development experience, Envision Game and Technology Academy at George Mason University located in Fairfax, Virginia.
- Student Council collected over 500 canned food items in November to help stock local food pantries for Thanksgiving.

#### Integrity

- Our Edisto High School Air Force Junior ROTC unit SC-20021 earned an overall inspection assessment rating of "Exceeds Standards", the highest rating that a unit can attain. Cadets Tariq Parker and Cameron Coker were awarded "Top Performer" ribbons during the inspection for their outstanding inspection preparation.
- Edisto High School students, staff and community raised over \$8,000 for incentives to celebrate positive behaviors for students and staff.

#### Strength

- Edisto High School was recognized as the Number One Blood Donor Group in the region in 2018 by the RMC Blood assurance program.
- Edisto High School hosted 4 blood drives so far, collecting 110 units of blood.

#### Teamwork

- Our JROTC Edisto High School Air Force Junior ROTC unit has completed 1800 service hours and 25 service projects to date including: Roadside Cleanup, Thanksgiving/Easter Food Drive, Letters to Servicemen, Regional Blood Drive, School Emergency Evaluation Team.
- Edisto High School Student collected over 300 items to donate for Hurricane relief during the month of October.

#### Ownership

- Mrs. Vigen, teacher at Edisto High School received a Dick Horne Grant and took ESOL students to Columbia to the State House, the Governor's Mansion and the History Museum.
- As part of our new PBIS/MTSS process, EHS hosted our first E.D.I.S.T.O. Day in February to honor and reward students who had met academic and behavioral expectations.
- Team **E.D.I.S.T.O.** People of the month recognition for students, staff and teachers who meet our school-wide expectations.

## Athletic Highlights

- Senior Hi'keem Elmore won the Lower State Wrestling Championship. Hi'keem Elmore, Sebastian Thomas, and Johnathan Collins all qualified for the State Finals.
- Hi'Keem was selected as a Orangeburg Touchdown Club Award Winner.
- Sebastian Thomas and Christian Rutland placed in the top 10 in the Cross Country region meet and qualified for Lower State.
- Several student-athletes to date have signed with colleges to further their academic and athletic careers:
  - Ray'Quan Ryant, Limestone
  - Cadon Moore, Limestone
  - Tyquan Johnson, North Carolina A&T
  - Hi'keem Elmore, Citadel
  - Mary-Catherine Sanders, Columbia College
- Wrestling and both the Girls' and Boys' Basketball teams qualified the Class 3A Play-offs. The JV Boys' Basketball team went undefeated for the 2nd year in a row.
- The Cheerleading Team placed in the top 10 in the first annual SCHSL Gameday competition.
- Volleyball, Football, Basketball, Softball and Baseball hosted cancer games observance this year.

## Fine Arts Highlights

- Breonna Sharperson-Bowman, was selected as the 2018 District Christmas Card design winner.
- Edisto High School's "Blue Machine" Marching Band finished as a Class 2A State Championship Finalist
- Our Drumline earned the honors of Garden City Classic Best Drumline, Color Guard, and J.B. Hunt Grand Champion 2018.
- EHS Color Guard was named Palmetto Esprit De-Corps Best Color Guard 2018.
- EHS Drumline and Color Guard were named CWEA JF Byrnes First Place Drumline and Color Guard 2018.
- Milik Green was named to the SCBDA Region IV Senior Band.
- Mario Benito, Brennon Murray, Hakeem Allen, Skyler Stichert and Terel Wright all were named to the 2018 Edisto Conference Honor Band.
- Terel Wright and Milik Green were named OMEGA PSI PHI Finalists.
- To date, \$60,000 in musical scholarships have been earned.
- Chorus performed at the USC choral clinic this fall.
- Edisto High School Band and Chorus students performed in our Veterans' Day and Black History and Cultural Assemblies.

## Edisto High School

### Report to the People from the School Improvement Council 2019-2020

**Edisto High School**  
**Home of Team E.D.I.S.T.O.: A new tradition of Engagement, Determination, Integrity, Strength, Teamwork & Ownership in Academics, Athletics and the Arts.**

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#### MISSION STATEMENT:

Orangeburg County School District, through the use of innovative ideas and practices, will prepare our students to become productive members of society.



This report is issued from the EHS School Improvement Council in accordance with SC law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC and other accomplishments this school year.

**Rebecca Mount, SIC Chair**  
**Brad Coleman, Principal**  
Bobby Hall, Assistant Principal  
Allysha Ramcharan, Assistant Principal

## Key Performance Indicators and Academic Highlights

### SC SCHOOL REPORT CARD



- Excellent Report Card Rating for all levels of Student Engagement.
- The number of students scoring a C or better in Biology I and US History EOC's are above the district average.
- English Learners' Progress increased nearly 15% from needs improvement to average.
- 65% of seniors were deemed college or career ready.
- Seniors who completed college applications increased from 35% to 73%.
- 30% of seniors qualified for Life or Palmettos Fellows Scholarship.
- 70% of seniors enrolled in a 2 or 4 year college or technical school.
- 11th grade ACT Composite, English, Math, Reading, and Science scores are above the district average.
- The number of students who received Platinum, Gold, Silver and Bronze in the National Career Readiness Certificate are all above the district average.
- 84% of students taking the National Career Readiness Assessment received a qualifying certificate.
- 90% of juniors and seniors completed 6 hours of dual credit with a grade of C or better.

*Additional school data can be accessed on our School Report Card found at: <https://screportcards.com/overview/>*

## SMART Goals 2019-2020



- All students will demonstrate growth in Reading Informational Text as measured by their performance on the Reading USA Test Prep Assessment pretest and post-test.
- The percentage of C students will move from 24% to 29% when they take the EOC.
- The percentage of Biology students scoring C or better will increase by 5% when they take the EOC.
- The percentage of US History students scoring proficient or higher in US History/Constitution EOC will increase from 32% to 40% by the end of second semester as measured by the EOC administered prior to the end of the school year.
- The percentage of students scoring proficient or higher in College Readiness will increase from 25% to 30% by the end of June 2019 as measured by the ACT administered in the spring of 2020.
- The percentage of student graduating on time will increase from 76.20% to 80% by the end of the 2020 school year as measured by graduation rate.
- The percentage parents that report "My child's teachers and school staff prevent or stop bullying at school", will increase from 74% to 80% by the end of the school year as measured by SC School Report Card.
- The percentage of juniors participating in the Student Survey will increase from 76% to at least 80% by the end of the school year as measured by SC School Report Card.

## We are a Multi-Tiered Systems of Support School (M.T.S.S.)

**M.T.S.S. (formerly known as P.B.I.S.) is a research and evidence-based, school-wide academic and behavioral initiative that is:**

- Proactive instead of reactive
- Provides a common language between students staff and community
- Creates consistency & community
- Provides recognition for displaying E.D.I.S.T.O.