

Achievements

- Three National Merit Finalists
- One National Merit Commended Scholars
- USNWP ranked DHS 2nd in Midlands, 9th in SC
- Dozens of CTE Completers in Business, Engineering, and AP Capstone graduates
- 73.7% pass rate for AP exams, well above state and national averages
- Mock Trial Team ranked Top 10 in SC
- One U.S. National Chemistry Olympiad Qualifier
- Two Golden Key Recipients for the SE Region for Scholastic Art Awards
- Student ranked Silver for Scholastic Art and Writing – Lower SC Region
- Student winner of SC Coalition Against Domestic Violence by SCCADVSA.
- 47 choral students named to R1 Honor Choir (out of 55 total) – 2019
- Seven choral students named to SCMEA All-State Chorus
- Nine dance students named to R1 Honors Dance Company (out of 20)
- Six band and three orchestra students named to SCMEA All-State Orchestra
- Five band students named to Senior Band
- One band and seven orchestra students named to All-Region Orchestra
- Orchestra students received 3 superior and 7 excellent ratings at ASTA Virtual Festival
- Eight guitar students named to SCMEA All-State Guitar Ensemble (out of 21)
- Marching Band earned superior rating and 6th place in the SCBDA State Championships - 2019
- 64 band members named to R1 Honors Band, 20 to Region Band, 5 to All-State Band, 16 to R1 Honors Jazz Band, and 2 to All-State Jazz Band – 2019
- Literary magazine *Whisper* rated “Merit” by NCTE
- Won State Chapter Select Competition for SC International Thespian Society - only school in SC to present at International Festival - 2019
- 13 theatre students received superiors at state level and 4 at national level
- State Boys Soccer 4A Champions - 2019

Dreher High School 20-21 SIC Members

Elected Members

Billings, Deborah	Parent
Dixon-Mokeba, Victoria	Parent
Godwin, Courtney	Teacher
Hailey Smith, Regina	Parent (Co-Chair)
Harvey, Falcia	Parent
Jacobs, Ayanna	Student
Kirkley, Kevin	Staff
Lamkin, Somoya	Student
Lee, Emmi	Student
McDonnell, Michelle	Parent
Myers, Sheila	Staff
Pinckney, Eliana	Student
Washington, Gloria	Parent (Chair)
Wheeler, David	Parent

Appointed Members

Duncan, Jack	Community Member
Edmond, David	Community Member
Headley, Shep	Community Member
Hughes, Ariella	Community Member
Kelley, Carroll	Community Member
Robinson-Grindley, Karen	Community Member
Rogers, B-Linda	Community Member

Ex-Officio Members

Hasinger, Kevin	Principal
Graham, Walter	DHS TotY

Purpose of the Report

This Report is issued by the Dreher High School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year.

Dreher High School

Annual School Improvement Council (SIC) “Report to the Parents” 2020-2021



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We are Dreher High School, a leader in transforming lives through education, empowering all students to achieve their potential and dreams.

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SIC Annual Goals

Goal 1: School Report Card Parent Survey. Increase the number of parents who participate in the Education Oversight Committee (EOC) School Report Card Survey* to 75% by 2022 and to 85% by 2024.

Accomplishment/Update – The 2020-2021 School Report Card Parent Survey was cancelled by the SCDOE and EOC due to COVID-19 activity and school closures.

Goal 2: Parental Involvement. Determine parental involvement with the school (open house, PTCs, athletics, arts, NJROTC, parent associations, etc.) for 2020-2021.

Accomplishment/Update – Collected data at the end of the 1st and 2nd quarters to determine the levels and location of parental involvement within our school programming.

Goal 3: Communication. Build a SIC presence on the school's website.

Accomplishment/Update – Working with school staff to maintain web pages for SIC linked from the Parents Resource section of Dreher web page.

For additional information, please visit the Dreher SIC Web Pages at <https://www.richlandone.org/Domain/1892>.

Student Achievement

Graduation Rate

On-Time Graduation Rate: 89.5%

2019 End-of-Course Exam Pass Rates

Algebra 1	75.6%
Biology	76.0%
English 1	73.5%
U.S. History	74.7%

Class of 2020 SAT Results

Composite of Evidence-Based Reading/Writing + Math	1089
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2020 ACT Results-12th Graders

Average Composite Score	19.5
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2019 WIN Results-11th Graders

Platinum	7.0%
Gold	7.0%
Silver	57.4%
Bronze	16.3%
No Rank	12.2%

Advanced Placement Results-2020

Score of 3 or higher	73.7%
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Source: 2019 State Report Card by the SC Department of Education; College Board.

Additional Information

Demographic Data for 2020-2021

Average Daily Membership	1152
African-American	46.8%
Caucasian	40.2%
Hispanic/Latino	8.2%
Multi-Racial	2.9%
Asian	1.2%
Native American/Alaska Native	0.7%
Male	50.6%
Female	49.4%

School Report Card

The last year the State Department of Education released Federal Accountability School Report Cards was 2019.

In 2019, Dreher High School's rating was "Excellent", making it the only high school in Richland County School District receive this demarcation.

Additional Items

National Network for Partnership Schools

(NNPS): The SIC serves as the Action Team for community partnerships.

Face Mask Fundraiser: Thanks to the support of our Dreher family, the SIC raised \$880.64 as a donation to a Dreher student with Leukemia.