

School Organization and Contact

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL MEMBERS:

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ABOUT THIS REPORT.....

The School Improvement Council of W.G. Sanders Middle School has prepared the annual school report for you and the community. The report reviews the progress and growth made last year, reviews last year's test scores, and describes plans for improvement this year. Enclosed you will find an account of the progress we made toward accomplishing targeted goals in 2018-2019, as well as, the desired results for student learning that have been made a priority for this school year. If you have any questions about the information summarized here, please contact Andrenna Smith, Principal or Michelle Collins, SIC Chair at (803) 738-7575. Also, take the time to visit our school's website at sanders.richlandone.org.

Extra-Curricular Activities

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES:

Educational Talent Search	Step Team
Palmetto Health's Teen Talk	Community Service Projects
Tigers of Promise	Student Leadership Roles
FBLA and STEMS Club	Student Council
Fine Arts Productions	National Junior Honor Society
Tigerettes Girl's Talk Club	Golden Tiger Dancers
Robotics	Sanders Pageant Showcase
Step Team	Steel Band

So much more!

SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

Montessori Program
Career Exploration Magnet
Positive Behavior Intervention Support
Career Fair
School-wide Literacy Programs
Second Chance Breakfast
Safe Routes to School
Restorative Practices
Leader in Me

MISSION STATEMENT:

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



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W.G. Sanders Middle School



2018-2019 SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

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At W.G. Sanders Middle School
"We are Simply the Best!"

School Highlights & Awards

Traditional Program

Leader in Me (school-wide)
 2018 Healthier US School Challenge Award
 Second Chance Breakfast Amazon Award
 Fitness Gym (Grant Recipient/National Governor's Fitness Council)

Career Magnet Program

Extended Career Day Thursdays
 Disney Youth Leadership Experience Field Study
 New York Entrepreneurial/Financial Field Study in Engineering, Tourism and Hospitality, Government, and Entrepreneurship

Montessori Program

Self-initiated and instructor-initiated learning
 Service Programs
 Erdkinder

STEM/Pre-Engineering

Rubik's Cubes Champions
 RC Car Competition Winners
 I'm a Survivor Pageant

Academics

17 Middle School Scholars
 12 Junior Scholars

Visual and Performing Arts

Local and state honors students
 School-wide productions

School Demographics

Total Enrollment: 512

11.47% White 81.12% African American
 4% Hispanic 3.3% Other

54 Certified Teachers
 (4 National Board Certified)

Test Information

<u>SC-PASS</u>		2017	2018 Results
Science	Met	35.6	29.2
Social Studies	Met	58.1	60.7

<u>SC Ready</u>		2017	2018
ELA	Approaching	32.3	31.8
	Met	19.3	19.8
	Exceeding	11.9	11.8
Math	Met/Exceeding	31.2	31.5
	Approaching	29.1	29.5
	Met	14.2	15.1
	Exceeding	9.1	9.7
	Met/Exceeding	23.3	24.8

TECHNOLOGY

Each student at W.G. Sanders is afforded the opportunity to receive a Dell laptop, creating a one to one learning environment that fosters critical thinking and creativity through a digital lens. Curriculum is further enhanced through the use of interactive SMART Boards and 2-3 desktops that are readily accessible in every room. Students have access to 2 computer labs, a keyboarding lab, and a distance learning lab, which provides students a connection to outside teaching and learning. Digital technology, such as cameras, Ipads, document cameras, and air slates are utilized to enhance instruction.

Goals for Next Year

- Create opportunities for ongoing staff learning in the 7 Habits and The Leader in Me principles with intentional priority
- Ensure principal and school administration are champions of the school's leadership model and incorporate 7 Habits leadership principles into professional learning plans
- Input a system to ensure teachers follow a yearlong schoolwide curriculum plan that is integrated into the master calendar and specifically outlines how and when all students will be directly taught the 7 Habits and leadership principles using Leader in Me curriculum or teacher-developed equivalent lessons
- Ensure print, electronic, and/or verbal communications are systematic
- Develop a system that ensures the school calendar regularly scheduled opportunities for families to engage with the 7 Habits and leadership principles
- Implement a system to establish a high standard for the physical environment of classrooms and all areas of the school
- Develop systems to authentically involve students in the continuous improvement of all aspects of the school through opportunities to lead, innovate, and collaborate with staff
- Implement a system that includes annual review of data and calibration to drive growth by establishing schoolwide academic goals and tracks progress on public scoreboards, and celebrates attainment of goals.

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