

## 2022-2023 School Highlights

- 2 Richland One Middle School Honor Dance Members
- 2 Richland One Middle School Honor Band Members
- 1 Richland One Middle School Jazz Honor Band Member
- 3 Excellent ratings-Solo and Ensemble
- 1 Middle School Scholars
- 20 New National Junior Honor Society Scholars
- 2023 Richland One Girls Track Champions
- Wrestling Girls Division 6th out of 33 teams represented in the state with 1st place finishes.
- SC State Federal Credit Union Grant Recipient
- Margie's Books & the Triangle Community Foundation Grant Recipient
- 2023-24 Teacher of the Year (Elect)**  
Ms. Dominique Bennett
- 2023-24 Classified Employee of the Year (Elect)**  
Mrs. Dasha Riley-Wider

## 2022-23 School Demographics

- Grades 6-8
- 55.7% Chronic Absenteeism Rate
- 94% African American
- 2% White
- 2% Hispanic
- 2% Two or more races
- 97.1% Poverty Index
- 24.3% Special Education
- 42.2% Student Mobility Rate
- 94.8% Teacher Attendance

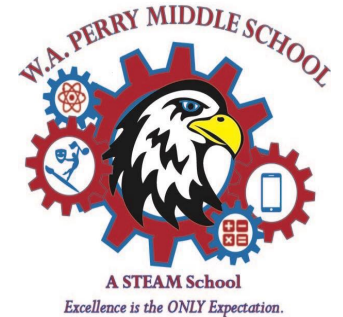
## School Improvement Council

- Dr. Robin Coletrain - Principal
- Dr. Andrea Gray - Chair
- Kia Muse – Secretary
- Pamela Kimpson Mack - Parent
- Michael Black - Parent
- Lorraine Brown - Classified Staff
- Antoinette Gibson - Teacher
- Julia Dawson - Teacher
- Edward Wright  
Parent & Family Engagement Specialist
- Monique Hessel- School Social Worker
- Emma Myers-Bailey - Community
- Rev. Leroy Cannon - Community



## PURPOSE OF THIS REPORT

*The School Improvement Council at W.A. Perry Middle School has prepared the annual school report for our community. The report reviews the previous year's progress and growth, reviews the previous year's test scores, and describes plans for improvement this year. Enclosed you will find an account of the progress we made toward accomplishing the goals in 2020-21, as well as, the desired results for student learning for this current school year. If you have any questions, please call Dr. Coletrain at 803-256-6347.*



“Excellence is the ONLY Expectation”

**2022-2023**

## SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

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**ALL IN: BRINGING OUR A GAME!**

## SIC Goals

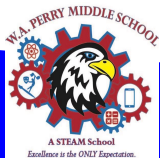
**Parent Involvement Goal:** W. A. Perry SIC will provide opportunities, initiatives, programs, events, and activities to increase parent involvement.

This year **W. A. Perry provided:**

- ⇒ Family nights, and data sessions for parents, students, and the community.
- ⇒ Interactive literacy and math activities for families.
- ⇒ Level Up 21st CCLC: Family Literacy & Numeracy Nights.
- ⇒ Opportunities for participation from families that fostered engaging learning experiences.

**Branding & Public Relations Goal:** W. A. Perry SIC, along with the community at large, will work on the following branding initiatives to establish a positive outlook on W. A. Perry:

- ⇒ Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Remind & YouTube).
- ⇒ As Richland One's 1st STEAM middle school, Family STEAM Activities.
- ⇒ Digital Learning Environment and training for students, teachers, and parents.
- ⇒ As Columbia's 1st Children's Defense Fund Freedom School, the program will continue for Summer 2023.
- ⇒ The NEW Aerospace Magnet will begin during the 2023-24 school year.



## 2022 State Testing Information

Per SCDE, districts and schools should use caution in interpretation of assessment results for this school year (2020-21) due to testing conditions as a result of the pandemic. Results should not be interpreted in the same way as results from other school years. While the administration of this test is state mandated, some families did not feel comfortable bringing their child in for testing. When participation rates are low, the summary results may not be representative of the district or school populations.

<b>SCREADY ELA</b>	Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 56%
<b>SCREADY Math</b>	Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 39.8%
<b>SC PASS Science-6GR</b>	Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 44.6%
<b>EOCEP</b>	100% Passage

## STAR Reading & Math

STAR is an assessment used to measure reading and math skills. At/Above Benchmark scores are below:

◆ <b>Fall 2022</b>	ELA 16.6%	Math 22.2%
◆ <b>Winter 2023</b>	ELA 17.1%	Math 27%

2022 SGP (Fall to Spring) Typical & High Growth

<b>Goal:</b>	65% at 35th percentile
◆ <b>Reading:</b>	68.2%
◆ <b>Math:</b>	63%

## Strategies

Early Bird Tutorial Program      Character Coaching  
Attendance Incentives      Academic Enrichment  
21st CCLC & Comprehensive Remediation Program4  
Reading & Math Interventions  
Problem-Based Learning  
Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS)  
School Wide Balance Literacy Focus  
Multi-Tiered System of Supports Team  
Freedom School & ESY Summer Programs  
AVID Elective Class & School-wide Strategies

## Programs & Community Involvement

- ◆ Family Math Night
- ◆ Family Literacy Night
- ◆ STEAM Day
- ◆ AVID Family Night
- ◆ AVID Signing Day
- ◆ Veterans Day Drive Celebration
- ◆ Love of Literacy Month Activities
- ◆ African-American Read-In Day
- ◆ Women's History Museum

## Extra-Curricular Activities

- ◆ Athletic Programs
- ◆ Cinema for Civics
- ◆ College Tours
- ◆ Student Council
- ◆ GEMS Girls Club
- ◆ Gospel Choir
- ◆ Mentoring Programs
- ◆ Mock Trial
- ◆ Project Lit Book Club
- ◆ Trinity Clubs
- ◆ TRIO Program
- ◆ 100 Black Men Group

## Community Service

- ◆ Perry Pays It Forward-School-wide can food drive
- ◆ Perry turns Pink for Breast Cancer Awareness
- ◆ United Way school-wide campaign.
- ◆ Polar Plunge benefitting Special Olympics

## Community Partners

Thank you to all of our incredible partners and patrons. For a full listing of partners and patrons see the W.A. Perry website:  
<https://www.richlandone.org/domain/1775>