# 2021-2022 School Highlights

2 Richland One Middle School Honor Dance Members

6 Visual Arts 2021-22 Art Show Winners

6 Excellent ratings-Solo and Ensemble

Girls Runner Up (Division 2) Track Championship

2 Middle School Scholars

20 New Beta Club Scholars

9 New National Junior Honor Society Scholars

Named Common Sense Media School 2021-2023

The Healthy School Bronze Award 2021

SC State Federal Credit Union Grant Recipient

Wrestling Girls Division-13th out of the 57 schools represented in the state

2022-2023 Teacher of the Year (Elect)

Ms. Antoinette Gibson

2022-2023 Classified Employee of the Year (Elect) Ms. Tracey Gadsden

## 2021-2022 School Demographics

Grades 6-8

32.4% Chronic Absenteeism Rate 95.8% African American 0.6% White

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2.2% Hispanic

1.9% Two or more races

o.3% Asian

98.2 Poverty Index

18% Special Education

28.5% Student Mobility Rate

95.7% 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

Vicki Vanderhorst - Teacher

Jennifer McGill - Teacher

Cindy Andre-Noel -

Parent & Family Engagement Specialist

Monique Hessell-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"

2021-2022

#### **SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS**

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Dr. Robin L. Coletrain, Principal

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### **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**:

- ⇒ Parent and community workshops, family nights, and data sessions for parents, students, and the community.
- ⇒ Interactive literacy 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 were held.
- ⇒ Digital Learning Environment and training for students, teachers, and parents.
- ⇒ As Columbia's 1st Children's Defense Fund Freedom School, the program was a huge success in Summer 2021. The program will resume in Summer 2022.

## 2021 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.

SCREADY ELA
Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 49.7%
SCREADY Math
Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 38.3%
SC PASS Science-6GR
Approaches/Meets/Exceeds 42.3%
EOCEP
60% Passage

## **STAR Reading & Math**

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

Fall 2021 ELA 16.2% Math 23.5%
 Winter 2022 ELA 16.1% Math 26.9%
 Spring 2022 ELA 18.2% Math 26.5%
 SGP (Student Growth Percentile from Fall to Spring)
 Typical & High Growth

**Goal:** 65% at 35th percentile

♦ Reading: 68.2%♦ Math: 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



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

#### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

- ♦ Student Council
- ◆ Project Lit Book Club

- ♦ Beta Club
- ♦ Morning News Show
- **♦USC Trio Program**
- ♦ Athletic Programs
- ♦ Mentoring Programs
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- ◆Trinity Clubs ◆GEMS Girls Club
- ♦ Girl Scouts
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- ♦ Virtual College Tours

## **Community Service**

- Perry Pays It Forward-School-wide can food drive
- Perry turns Pink for Breast Cancer Awareness.
   Virtual Walk for Life school-wide campaign
- United Way school-wide campaign

## **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.

