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# Clubs, Athletics, & Programs

# Spring Valley High School

#### Leadership

Kim Watson, Chair Karen White, Vice Chair Aja Hill, Secretary

#### **Parents**

Fouzi Arammash, Dr. Tammy Shadd, Barbara Turner, Dinah Williams, Vonda Wilson

#### Students

Nusayba El-Ali, Hadley Hathaway, Max Miller, Chloe Walters, Maya Wright

#### **Faculty**

Ishmael Brown, Mary Katherine Coleman, Christopher Gill, Rodney Grantham, Ruth Hunt, Josh Keiper, Tammy Vaught

#### **Community**

Don Ball, Natacia Bloomfield, Dusty Broadway-Amick, Jamel Bradley, Sam Johnson, Trip Miller, Jason Phelps

#### **Ex-Officio Members**

Jeff Temoney, Principal
Stacey Baker, Assistant Principal
Jim Childers, Assistant Principal
Sean Glover, Assistant Principal
Dr. Linda Silvernail, Assistant Principal
Andrea Clutts, Technology Learning Coach
Jennifer Hutter, School Nurse

# Major Accomplishments & Areas of Focus Over the Last Two Years

- Established the SVHS Ambassador Program and focused on strategies to help new students and families acclimate to the school and its culture
- Strategies to reduce Freshman retention rate
- Updating the school's strategic plan (completed April 2018)

#### Clubs

Ablaze, Circle of Friends, Diamonds Dance Team,
Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Key Club,
International Club, Future Business Leaders of
America, Gaming Genesis, Gay/Straight Alliance,
Girls Who Code, Honor Societies (various), HOSA,
Latin Dance Club, Math Team, Mock Trial Team,
Quiz Bowl Club, Rho Kappa, Student Council, Skills
USA, SV Call to Action, Technology Student
Association, Tri-M National Music Society, WORD:
Poetry Club, Young Investors Club

#### **Athletics**

Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Wrestling

#### **Special Programs**

Adaptive Physical Education, AFJROTC, AVID, Career Information Center, FIERCE, GEAR UP, MAN UP, Teacher Cadet, Viking Way, Work-Based Learning, After School Tutoring Program

#### **Family Programs**

Study Skills Group, Parent University, Teen Talk,
College & Career Fair, Financial Aid Night, College
Information Night, FAFSA Workshop, Rising 9th
Grade Parent Orientation



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#### **Mission Statement**

Spring Valley High School, working together with its students, families and the community, will provide a secure environment and innovative educational experiences that will empower our students to achieve excellence and to take responsibility for their lives, their learning and the world in which they live.

#### **School Hours**

8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Total student enrollment: 2066 Grades 9—12

# Highlights & Awards

Test Scores

## Goals for Next School Year

Spring Valley High is a 450,000 sq. ft. state-of-the-art facility serving a diverse student body. We have cutting-edge technology, content-specific science and fine arts labs, and exceptional athletic facilities. In addition to our comprehensive CATE programs, Spring Valley houses two magnet math and science programs and a freshman academy.

Our science and math magnet program students earned over 121 awards in competitions and represented the school at two international competitions. Two Discovery students were chosen as Scholars in the 2018 Regeneron Science Talent Search.

Our Fine Arts program produced National Scholastic Art Award winners for the 7th consecutive year. Additionally, 24 student pieces were selected as Southeast Regional Level Scholastic award winners in 2018.

The Class of 2017 had 4 National Merit Finalists, 38 High School League Scholar Athletes, 49 Palmetto Fellows, 30 SC Academic Honor Graduates, 142 Hope Scholarships, 132 Life Scholarships, and earned \$43,999,500 in scholarship offers.

So far this school year, we have had 3 Region V AAAAA Championship athletic teams and 1 State Championship team.

# Student & Staff Information

51% African American 27% White 12% Hispanic 6% Asian 4% Other

143 Professional Staff
26 National Board Certified

**ACT & SAT School Averages** 

\*2017 ACT/SAT scores are based on school wide assessment given to all third-year students during the 2016-2017 school year.

	14-15	15-16	16-17
ACT	22.5	19.5	20.0
# Tested	250	445	446
SAT	1003	1006	1104
# Tested	363	291	313

#### **Current Student Awards & Recognitions**

- 5 National Merit Semi-Finalists
- 4 National Merit Finalists
- 7 Presidential Scholar Candidates
- 3 Presidential Scholar Semi-Finalists
- 1 Presidential Scholar Finalist
- 7 perfect section scores of 800 on the SAT
- 16 perfect scores of 36 on the ACT
- Band earned SCBDA "Outstanding Performance Award" for 13th consecutive year and the Concert and Symphonic Bands both earned the highest level of state concert performance assessment - "Superior with Distinction"
- Chamber and Concert Orchestras received Superior ratings and String Orchestra received an Excellent rating at 2018 SCMEA Region III Concert Festival
- The SVHS Choirs received Superior with distinction ratings for sight-reading and for performance at the 2018 SCMEA State Festival. Nine students participated in the 2018 SCMEA All-State Chorus and nine students sang the Faure Requiem at Carnegie Hall in New York
- Discovery students earned 59 awards at the SC Junior Academy of Science Written Research Paper and Oral Presentation Competition and 62 Awards at the SC Region II Science and Engineering Fair
- Student Council won 2nd place School Pride Award and Honor Council 2018

Richland Two does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, age, or other protected characteristics in its programs and activities.

- Achieve a graduation rate of 95%
- Achieve a 9th grade promotion rate of 95%
- Achieve an overall EOC pass rate of 90%
- Achieve an overall AP pass rate of 85%
- Create and maintain a personalized environment that supports each student's intellectual, ethical, social, and physical development

Magnet Programs
Named National Magnet School of Distinction by
Magnet Schools of America 2017

Named National Magnet School of Excellence by Magnet Schools of America 2018

<u>Discovery</u>: A four-year science- and math-based Honors/AP program incorporating two years of independent research for students committed to academic excellence.

Explorations: A four-year science- and math-based college preparatory program with an emphasis on forensic science, culminating with a 200-hour internship.

#### **Technology Available**

- 1-TWO-1 computing with Chromebooks
- Google Apps for Education
- Interactive Smart Boards in every classroom
- State-of –the-art document cameras, sound systems, and automated student response systems
- TI-Inspire system for mathematics
- Continuous technology professional development

#### **Spring Valley Education Foundation**

Dusty Broadway-Amick, Executive Director Susan Brill, President