

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION AND CONTACT

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ABOUT THIS REPORT

The School Improvement Council at Heyward Gibbes Middle School has prepared the annual school report for our parents and the community, This report includes our progress last year and plans for improvement this year. We share information and plans for achieving our goals for the **2018-2019** school year. If you would like additional information regarding this report, please contact our principal, Ron Webb or our SIC chairperson, Victoria Glover.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Student Council, Afterschool Program, Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Track, Cheerleading, Project LIT (book club), Teen Talk, Young Teens (boys mentoring), Ladies of Excellence (7th grade girls mentoring), AVID Nights

Special Programs

Advancement Via Individual Determination

AVID

Positive Behavior Interventions Support

PBIS

Algebra I Saturday Boot Camp



HEYWARD GIBBES MIDDLE SCHOOL



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ANNUAL REPORT TO PARENTS

2018-2019

“S.O.A.R.ing Towards Excellence”

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Heyward Gibbes Middle School, in collaboration with an engaged community, is committed to ensuring that each learner achieves his/her potential in a safe, caring, academically challenging and diverse learning environment that will develop productive citizens for a changing world as we are soaring towards excellence.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS AND AWARDS

- Students selected to the Richland One Middle School Honors Orchestra and Midlands Region Orchestra
- Students selected to the Richland One Middle School Honors Band and Honors Jazz Band
- Healthy School and Wellness Policy
- Teacher of the Year: Tyler Henderson
- Classified Staff of the Year: Thomas Stephens

SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHICS

95% African American

2% Hispanic

1% Caucasian

2% Other

Richland One School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, handicap, sex, age, lineage or national origin.

TEST INFORMATION

SC READY

SC Ready replaced ACT Aspire assessment in spring 2016 and includes English language arts and mathematics. Student performance classify into four categories and administered to students in grades 3 through 8. Percent by readiness levels are given below.

Performance Level	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2YR Chg	5YR Chg
English							
Does Not Meet	NA	NA	43.1	50	54.7	4.7	NA
Approaches	NA	NA	40.2	35.1	32.2	-2.9	NA
Meets	NA	NA	14.8	14.3	10.8	-3.5	NA
Exceeds	NA	NA	1.9	0.6	2.2	1.6	NA
Math							
Does Not Meet	NA	NA	55.7	53	60.6	7.6	NA
Approaches	NA	NA	37.9	32.7	30.5	-2.2	NA
Meets	NA	NA	4.8	11.8	6.7	-5.1	NA
Exceeds	NA	NA	1.6	2.4	2.2	-0.2	NA

SC PASS

PASS (Palmetto Assessment of State Standards) is aligned to state standards and, as of 2015, only includes science and social studies for students in grades 4 through 8. Percent results (shown below) exclude students who tested with non-standard accommodations.

PASS	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2YR Chg	5YR Chg
Social Studies							
Not Met	35.8	46.7	45.7	59.6	55.5	-4.1	19.7
Met	46.7	37.4	40.6	32.6	24.4	-8.2	-22.3
Exemplary	17.5	15.9	13.7	7.8	20.1	12.4	2.7

PASS	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2YR Chg	5YR Chg
Science							
Does Not Meet	NA	NA	NA	56.8	65.9	9.1	NA
Approaches	NA	NA	NA	25.8	18.7	-7.1	NA
Meets	NA	NA	NA	12.9	9.9	-3	NA
Exceeds	NA	NA	NA	4.5	5.6	1.1	NA

Students in grades 6th-8th were administered the SC READY Assessment in the areas of Reading, Writing and Mathematics. Students also completed SC PASS in the areas of Social Studies and Science.

EOCEP

EOCEP (End of Course Examination Program) is mandated by the Education Accountability Act of 1986 which requires the development of end-of-course examinations in gateway or benchmark courses. Percent passing results are given below.

Algebra I						
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2YR Chg	5YR Chg
80	100	95.7	92.9	81.3	-9.6	13

English I						
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2YR Chg	5YR Chg
NA	NA	NA	NA	100	NA	NA

GOALS FOR NEXT YEAR

- Continue implementation of Project Based Learning
- Retain highly qualified teachers in all subject areas
- Provide continuous and engaging parental activities
- Incorporate Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS) schoolwide
- Implement mentoring programs by gender for all grade levels
- Increase Reading Inventory (RI) and Math Inventory (MI) scores each cycle

TECHNOLOGY

Students received Digital Learning Devices (DLEs) at the beginning of the school year. Each classroom has a Smartboard for interactive lessons. Document cameras are available for instructional delivery.

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