

School District of Newberry County

The School District of Newberry County is the second largest employer in Newberry County. The District serves over 6,000 students in three attendance areas containing a total of 12 schools, an alternative school, an Adult Education program, as well as a technologically advanced Career Center.

2016-2017 Achievements at a Glance



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Award Winning District

Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting for 20 consecutive years.

In 2016, the School District of Newberry County had a 4-year graduation rate of **84.3%**; nearly **2%** above the state average.

Students received **\$5,144,434** in scholarship offers.

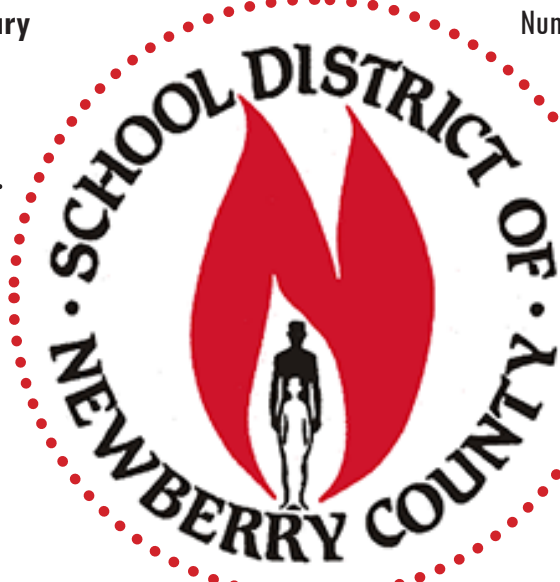


Little Mountain Elementary named as a finalist for the *Palmetto's Finest Award*

Numerous students across the District received perfect *SC PASS Assessment* scores.

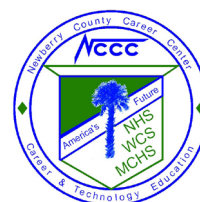


Mid-Carolina Middle School named *National School to Watch* by the National Forum to Accelerate Middle-Grades Reform



119 Industry Certifications

earned through 22 majors taught at the **Newberry County Career Center** successfully prepare students for collegiate level curriculum & high-tech, in-demand jobs.



Newberry Elementary, recognized among the healthiest schools in the nation by the *Alliance for a Healthier Generation*, received the *SC ASCD Whole Child Award*.

Newberry High School received the *Dave Ramsey Pathways to Financial Success Grant*.



2016-17 *Teacher of the Year*, **Frances Meetze**, Mid-Carolina High, Social Studies.

2016-17 *Support Staff of the Year*, **Debra Rowe**, Mid-Carolina High, Cafeteria Manager.



Award Winning Students



Mid-Carolina High School *Division II South Carolina Academic Challenge Champions* - Girls Tennis *AAA Upper State Champions* & State Champion in Girls singles

Newberry High School Varsity Girls Basketball Team *AAA Upper State Champions* - Boys Track Team *AAA Individual State Champions*.



All-State & All-Star Players in baseball, softball, football, basketball, volleyball, track, & tennis



Skills USA State Champions in **Customer Service & Cabinet Making**

The District is a **DUKE TiP**, gifted education program participant and has multiple students enrolled in the **SC Governor's School**.

State & National Junior & Senior *BETA Club* Honors & Recognition.



Award Winning Staff



Sally Dominick, Little Mountain Elementary, *2016-17 School Nurse of the Year* for the State of South Carolina



Principal **Reggie Wicker**, Newberry Elementary, was named an *Emerging Leader* by the SC Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.



Renee Joiner, Fifth Grade, Little Mountain Elementary, received the *National Presidential Award for Excellence in Math and Science Teaching*.



Lindsey Folk, Principal, Pomaria-Garmany Elementary, finalist for the *2016-17 SCIRA Administrator of the Year Award*



Candace Lominick, Pre-K, Reuben Elementary, *Sandra Ground Educator Award* recipient

Coach **Phil Strickland**, Newberry High, selected Head Coach for the *Shrine Bowl*



Coach **Chris Martin**, Whitmire Community School, selected to coach the *North/South Baseball Game*, & Coach **Jarrod King** named *Class A Strength Coach of the Year*



ONE DISTRICT, ONE TEAM, ONE MISSION