2018–2019 Highlights
The District of Choice — Where Every School Is An Excellent Choice

STUDENTS

Class of 2019 — earned $147.4 million in college scholarship offers in academics, athletics and fine arts

Current on-time graduation rate — 87.2%

Blythewood High’s Honors Theatre students — Top winners at S.C. Theatre Association’s High School One-Act Play Festival

R2i2 Students — Lemelson-MIT InvenTeam & Samsung Solve for Tomorrow Contest state winner and national finalist

Sandlapper Elementary’s Kaleah Riley — Started Great Kindness Challenge at SES

State Champions:
RNE NJROTC Color Guard
RNE Track Athlete
RVH Boys Basketball Team
RVH Strength Team
RVH Track Athlete

Summit Parkway Middle Team Strawberries — eCYBERMISSION STEM State Winners

Ridge View High’s MacKenzie Gascon and Sierra Sconzo — S.C. High School Writing Contest finalists

Blythewood High’s Adrienne Luedicke and Richland Northeast High’s Gracie Boyce — Perfect ACT Scores

Richland Northeast High’s Annelisa Walter — National Economics Essay Contest Winner

STAFF

Superintendent Baron R. Davis, Ph.D. — Columbia Chamber’s Cathy Novinger Trailblazer Award & Professional Industry Award in Education & Arts from Francis Marion University

Richland Northeast’s Dr. Sabrina Suber — Magnet Schools of America’s National Principal of the Year

Dent Middle’s Kason Dalton — Gilder Lehrman Institute’s S.C. History Teacher of the Year

Instructional Support Services’ Rachel Lindman — SCAPEs Adaptive Physical Education Teacher of the Year

Kelly Mill Middle’s Warren Wise — S.C. STEM Educator of the Year

Teaching and Learning’s Mary Paige Boyce — S.C. Career and Technical Education Administrator of the Year

Center for Inquiry’s Jennifer Barnes — NAECTE Cengage Learning Outstanding Early Childhood Practitioner Award

DISTRICT/SCHOOLS

Jackson Creek Elementary — Learning by Design Outstanding Project and A4LE Merit Award

Pontiac Elementary — Leader in Me Lighthouse School

Richland Two — Best Communities for Music Education Award

Forest Lake Elementary and Spring Valley High — School of Excellence Awards from Magnet Schools of America

Forest Lake Elementary, Richland Northeast High and Ridge View High — Magnet Schools of America School of Distinction Awards

Blythewood High, Dent Middle, E.L. Wright Middle, Kelly Mill Middle and Ridge View High — S.C. Band Directors Association Outstanding Performance Awards

Lake Carolina Elementary Lower — S.C. ASCD Whole Child Award winner
Current enrollment: 28,565 PreK–12
- 2,515 students are military-connected
- Almost 68 native languages, representing 70 foreign countries/territories
- 54.8% families at/below poverty

Staff Population: 3,642
- 2,005 certified
- 1,516 support
- 121 administrators

18-19 GENERAL FUND BUDGET: $284,616,391

ACHIEVEMENT DATA (FROM STATE REPORT CARD)

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Vision: Richland Two strives to be the premier school district — a learning and working environment where all partners are committed to creating, sustaining, and investing in a culture and environment of excellence and where all are afforded the opportunity to maximize their gifts and talents as they pursue their pathways to purpose.