

SOUTH HALL MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mission

It is **our** mission to offer **all** students the opportunity to learn, to grow **intellectually, emotionally, socially and physically** in a **caring, safe, and challenging environment**.

Vision

South Hall Middle School will provide a caring, safe, and challenging learning environment for students. The curriculum will be aligned to the Georgia Performance Standards, and students' mastery of this curriculum will be assessed continuously through best practices, including state mandated assessments. The instructional delivery will be standards-based practices that meet the needs of our diverse student population. Work designed for students will be of high quality and promote the creativity, critical thinking skills, cultural awareness, and people skills necessary to succeed in a rapidly changing global society, thus developing 21st Century learners.

Our Beliefs

- We believe every learner should be actively engaged and provided grade-appropriate, differentiated instruction, and multiple paths to understanding content.
- We believe every student is a unique individual who needs a secure, caring, and stimulating atmosphere in which to grow and mature emotionally, intellectually, physically, and socially.
- We believe students mature and develop healthily when they, parents, and school personnel collaborate.
- We believe every student should be taught 21st century learning skills to promote learning for the future.
- We believe every student should be taught *how* to learn, not simply what to learn.