Outside the Classroom

- Students travel to journalism conventions and film festivals to learn about their craft and improve their work. They become reporters and conduct interviews outside of school, film sports events with free entry, and attend field trips to news stations to observe real-world application.

- Media technology students have been able to secure real-world, paying film opportunities. Examples include filming hockey games at the coliseum, creating a music video for an out-of-state-band, filming weddings for a local film company, and creating promotional videos for Charleston companies.

Dorchester School District Two is committed to providing opportunities for students to ensure they are college and career ready, and at the same time,we strive to be a part of the solution for economic development in the region.

-Joseph R. Pye, Superintendent

MEDIA TECHNOLOGY

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MEDIA TECHNOLOGY CURRICULUM

The exploration of the field of communications through the study of audio and motion media industries, graphic design, computer graphics, animation and corporate communications. Classes are offered at Summerville High School.

MEDIA TECH 1

This course covers the basic knowledge required to use a video camera and camera controls with strong emphasis on compositional elements. Students will be introduced to technical and non-technical skills, including script writing, directing, and hands-on camera and studio skills such as lighting, sound, and editing.

MEDIA TECH 2 AND WBL

Course Objectives:
• Operate a video camera at a high level of proficiency to produce high quality footage based on industry standard principles of videography, editing, program design and engineering standards. ssociated with professional video production.

• Develop and demonstrate the ability to work as part of a team on professional video productions.of class projects an operational understanding of framing and composing an image.

CATE CLUSTERS IN DORCHESTER DISTRICT TWO

Career clusters connect what students learn in school with the knowledge and skills needed for success in college and careers.

CATE clusters provide students the opportunity to gain world-class knowledge and skills that parallel the tenets of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate. These career employability skills fall under three categories: WorkplaceSkills, Effective Relationships, and Applied Knowledge, and include:

Communication	Teamwork
Leadership	Problem Solving
Time Management	Work Ethic

WAVE TV

Media technology is the mother program of Summerville High School's news show, Wave TV. It is a multi-national award-winning program that teaches students the elements of film and journalism.

As of 2016, Wave TV has won two Pacemakers, placed at the national level for C-SPAN's StudentCam Documentary Contest, and achieved two regional Emmys.