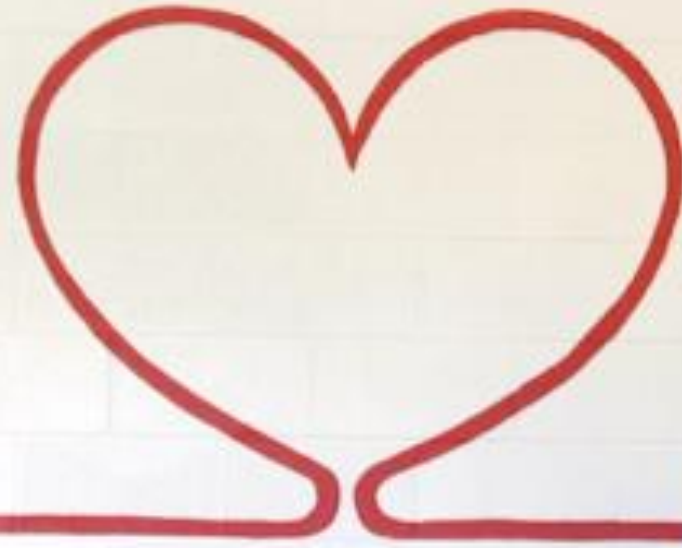


Grand Passions



One Heart Beat



Empowering The HEART

Dr. Akil E. Ross

2018 NASSP National Principal of the Year

@DrRoss_Akil



- But what the teachers are themselves.

Who Are You?

“If I can just make it to...”

TIME

I have a master's degree,
16 years of experience,
work two extra jobs
and donate blood
plasma to pay the bills.
I'm a teacher in America

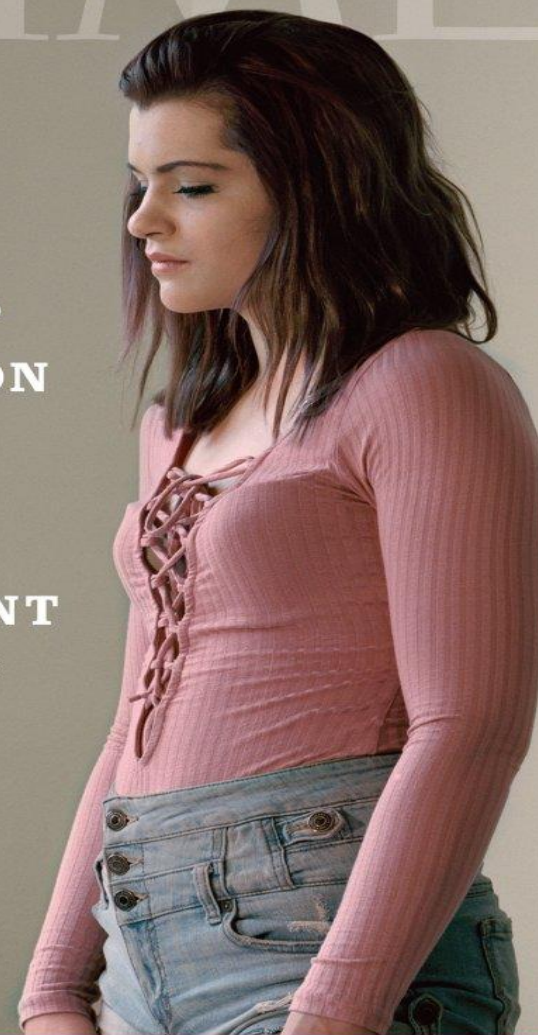
by KATIE REILLY

Hope Brown
Woodford County H.S.
Versailles, Ky.

TIME

ANXIETY,
DEPRESSION
AND THE
MODERN
ADOLESCENT

By Susanna Schrobsdorff

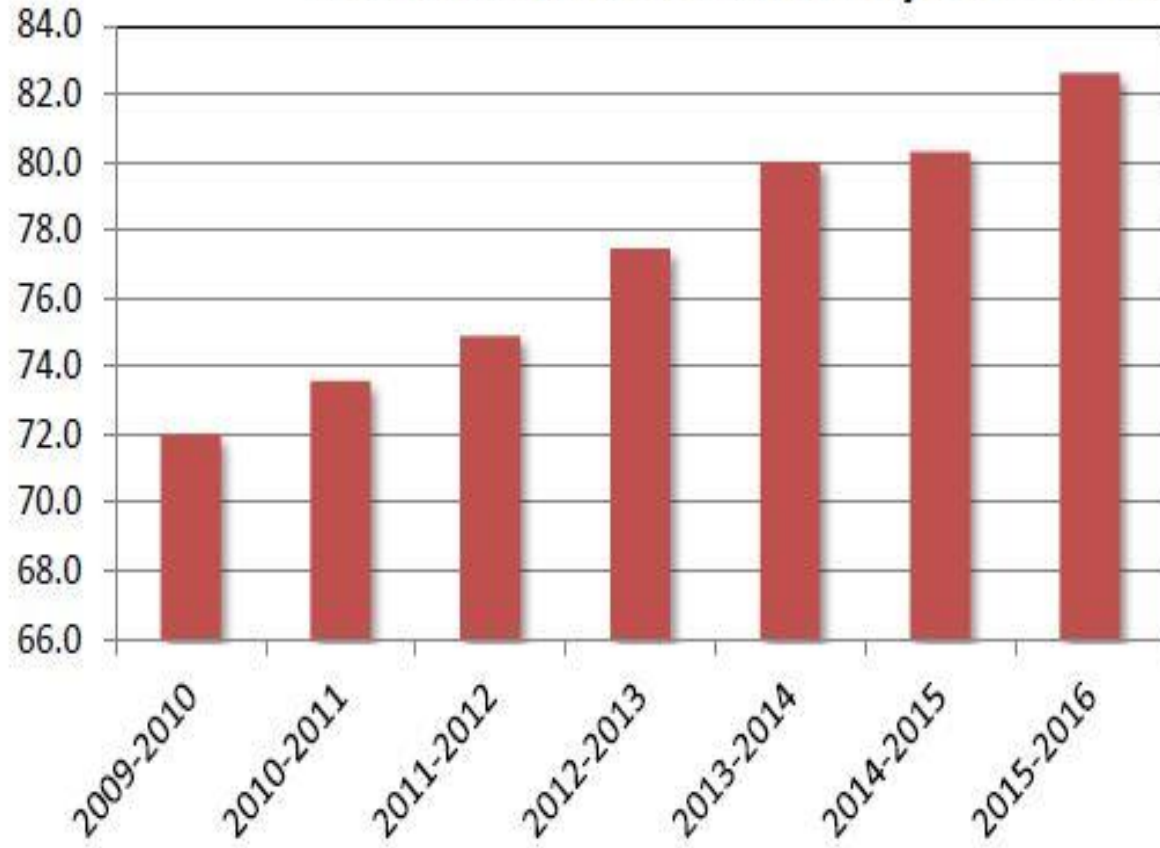


Intentions are Not Enough

**We must make our Intent,
our Reality**

What is Our Intent?

SC Statewide Grad Rate by School Year



Source: SC Department of Education, 2017

% of SC HS Grads Entering Post Secondary Institutions



Source: SC Commission on Higher Education, 2017

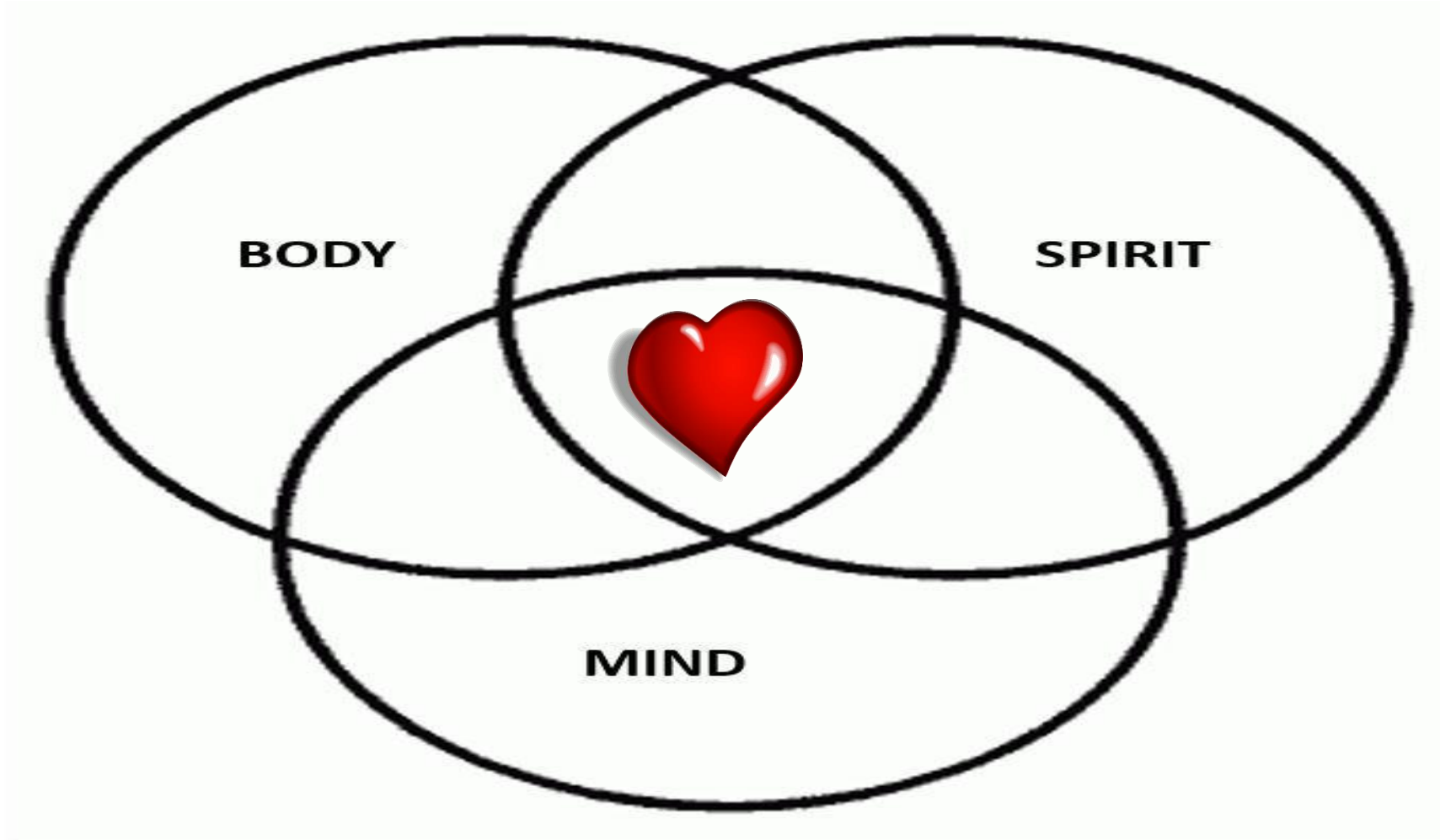
**Graduation Rate
&
Preparation Rate**

**Empowered People,
Empower People**

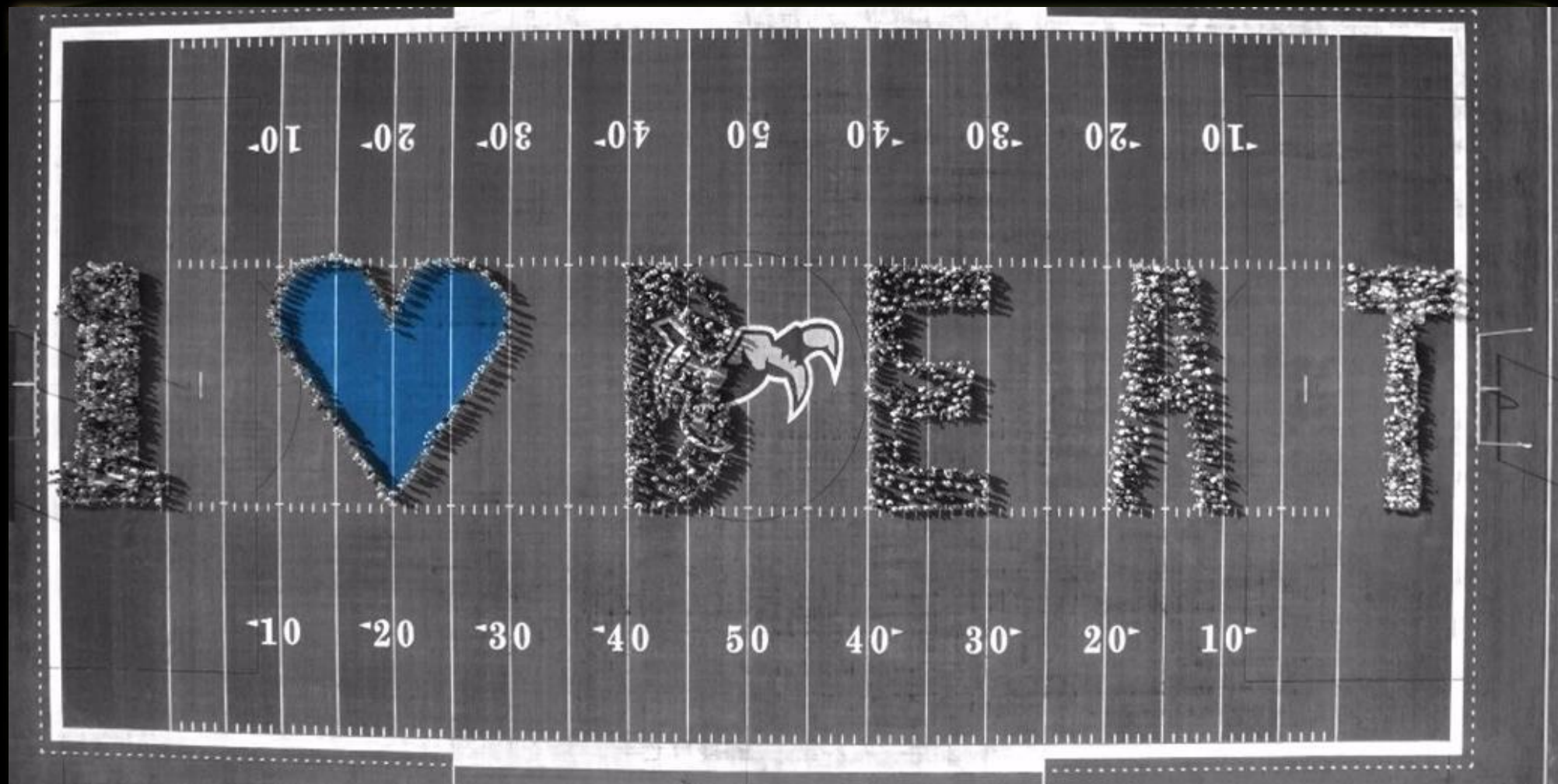
We are Educators

EDUCARE – “To Train”

EDUCERE – “To Lead Out”

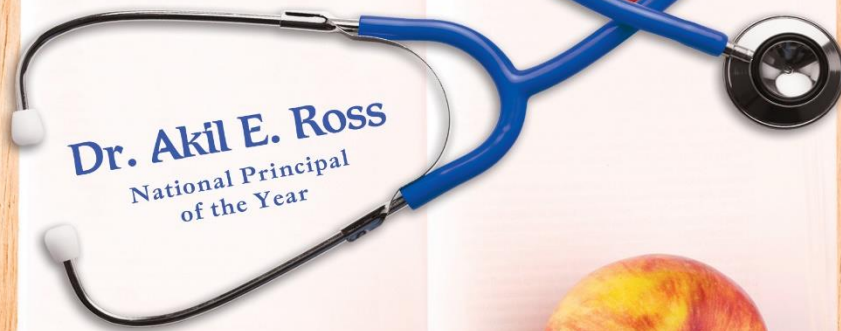


EDUCATE THE HEART



EMPOWERING

THE



Reviving & Renewing
Today's Education

$$E = K + G$$

Empowered =
Know your gift
+

Give your gift



Watch Chapin principal react to surprise national award announcement

Chapin principal Akil Ross didn't know the assembly at was for him.

By McClatchy

EDUCATION

He flunked third grade. Now he's the best high school principal in the nation



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LEXINGTON COUNTY, SC — The newly crowned national high school principal of the year — Chapin's Akil Ross — flunked third grade.



He repeated the grade because he was “not up to par” as a student. He also tried to doctor his report card, turning the Fs into As, in an unsuccessful attempt to convince his mother he was a top student. Eventually, he learned that a better way to turn Fs into As was studying

Who Are You?









BE-EMPOWERED



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