

2024 Impact



Building Game Changers



464

Registered
Participants



31

Trained
Coaches



10

Program
Partners



17,000+

School and Community
Participants



68%

Teen
Retention



46%

Overall
Retention



31%

Female
Diversity



22%

Diverse
Participants

At First Tee – Aiken, kids develop inner strengths they’ll carry with them everywhere – whether that’s in the classroom, in social situations, or any other field, court, or course they play on.

Young people in our program are ...

- More confident in school
- Supported by coaches, who they view as caring mentors
- Active community members
- Always feel welcome regardless of financial circumstance

Testimonials

“One key commitment I’ve learned is the importance of collaboration with others. I’ve learned that when we work together, we can accomplish more than if we try to do everything on our own.” – Participant, age 12



The best skill I’ve learned is the ability to manage my emotions. By controlling my temperament, I build character that helps me in golf and everyday life.” – Participant, age 16

“We’ve seen some amazing growth in our son over the last couple of years!” – Parent

“All of the coaches are genuinely concerned and care about each participant.” – Parent

“First Tee taught me confidence and social skills. When I started to play golf I was shy and worried about not doing well. When I did First Tee, I met new friends and learned that I can make mistakes and still play well.” – Participant, age 9