



Blaney Elementary

7184 Highway 162
Hollywood, SC 29449

Grades	PK-6 Elementary School	
Enrollment	188 Students	
Principal	Reggie M. Terry	843-889-3992
Superintendent	Dr. Nancy J. McGinley	843-937-6319
Board Chair	Mr. Chris Fraser	843-725-7200

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2012 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD



RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2012	Below Average	Average
2011	Average	Below Average
2010	Average	Below Average
2009	Average	Average
2008	Below Average	Good

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

<http://ed.sc.gov>
<http://www.eoc.sc.gov>

Percent of Student PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

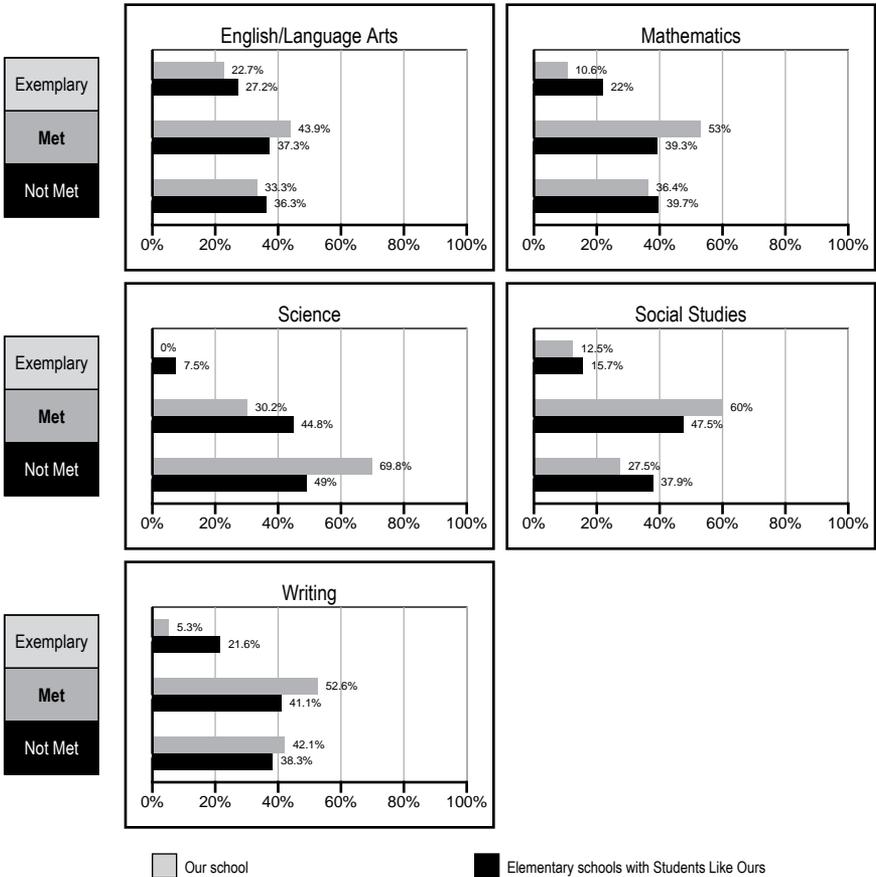
Percent of students tested in 2011-12 whose 2010-11 test scores were located | 94.1%

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
2	10	83	47	19

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012.

Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)



* Elementary schools with Students Like Ours are elementary schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Definition of Critical Terms

Exemplary	"Exemplary" means the student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.
Met	"Met" means the student met the grade level standard.
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.

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School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=188)				
First graders who attended full-day kindergarten	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%
Retention rate	0.6%	No Change	1.3%	1.0%
Attendance rate	97.2%	Up from 96.7%	96.3%	96.6%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.5%	Down from 1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=17)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	58.8%	Down from 68.4%	62.5%	63.0%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	81.1%	Up from 80.5%	85.4%	88.7%
Teacher attendance rate	98.6%	Up from 96.4%	95.4%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$42,650	Down 2.6%	\$45,018	\$47,210
Professional development days/teacher	10.5 days	Up from 3.1 days	9.7 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	No Change	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	18.2 to 1	Up from 13.5 to 1	18.0 to 1	20.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	95.5%	Up from 92.9%	90.7%	90.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	No	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 96.2%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$11,242	Up 6.0%	\$8,384	\$7,247
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	59.1%	Down from 62.1%	66.1%	68.2%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	55.7%	Down from 59.2%	62.9%	65.7%

* Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

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Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

C C Blaney Elementary School is a Title 1 school with a total enrollment of approximately 320 students. This rural community structured school located in Hollywood, SC, has a grade-span of three-year-old Head Start to 6th grade. Our pull-out resource program serves students with special needs. This year the school saw an increase of more than one hundred students due to the local Head Start moving under the Charleston County School District umbrella.

During the school-year, students and faculty worked with families and community leaders to participate in a variety of academic and social activities. Our student mission states "we believe that we shall strive daily to be the best we can be and that we will graduate". Staff members attended workshops and conferences, enrolled in courses and visited other classrooms to enhance instruction. Many students participated in our after-school enrichment program for PASS preparation. Title One, PTA and SIC sponsored many events including Breakfast Events, Donuts for Dad, Muffins for Moms, Grits and Gravy for Grandparents, PASS Family Night, Black History Celebration, Holiday Tea, and Spirit Days.

Positive Character Education and Response to Intervention (RTI) continue to be two major focuses for the school and the means of guiding our efforts in developing solid citizens. The school's CORE Team met weekly to address the diverse needs of the student population both inside and out of the classroom. The school utilized several research-based intervention programs to assist struggling learners, including Cars and Stars, Voyager Expanded Learning, Reading Workshop and Writer's Workshop. The school implemented a First Grade Academy and Sixth Grade Academy designed to provide prescriptive interventions in areas of literacy and math.

Blaney Elementary School is committed to the success of each child. Our students continue to grow in all areas: academically, socially, and physically. We are committed to providing a child-centered and developmentally appropriate learning environment to ensure success for all children.

Reggie M. Terry, Principal
Richardine Chaplin, SIC Chairperson

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	20	15	13
Percent satisfied with learning environment	55.0%	86.7%	66.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	75.0%	80.0%	84.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	55.0%	73.3%	92.3%

* Only students at the highest elementary school grade level and their parents were included.

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ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2012, the South Carolina Department of Education was granted a waiver from several accountability requirements of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This waiver allowed SC to replace the former pass/fail system with one that utilizes more of the statewide assessments already in place and combine these subject area results with graduation rate (in high schools) to determine if each school met the target or made progress toward the target. This analysis results in a letter grade for the school rather than the pass/fail system of previous years. For a detailed review of the matrix for each school and districts that determined the letter grade, please use the following link: <http://ed.sc.gov/data/esea/> or request this information from your child's district or school.

Overall Weighted Points Total	65.5
Overall Grade Conversion	D

Index Score	Grade	Description
90-100	A	Performance substantially exceeds the state's expectations.
80-89.9	B	Performance exceeds the state's expectations.
70-79.9	C	Performance meets the state's expectations.
60-69.9	D	Performance does not meet the state's expectations.
Less than 60	F	Performance is substantially below the state's expectations

Accountability Indicator for Title I Schools

Blaney Elementary school has been designated as a:

- Title I Reward School for Performance - among the highest performing Title I schools in a given year.
- Title I Reward School for Progress – one of the schools with substantial progress in student subgroups.
- Title I Focus School – one of the schools with the highest average performance gap between subgroups.
- Title I Priority School – one of the 5% lowest performing Title I schools.
- Title I School – does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
- Non-Title I School – therefore the designations above are not applicable.

Teacher Quality and Student Attendance

	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	4.3%	2.6%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	8.3%	5.1%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes
Student attendance rate	97.2%	94.0%*	Yes

* Or greater than last year

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Performance By Group

Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Social Studies Mean	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested
Grades 3-5						
All Students	642.0	629.3	586.3	618.5	100.0	100.0
Male	641.6	632.1	588.9	623.6	100.0	100.0
Female	642.4	626.7	584.7	612.0	100.0	100.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
African American	639.7	627.9	586.3	616.5	100.0	100.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disabled	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized meals	642.5	630.2	583.3	616.8	100.0	100.0
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	630.0	630.0	630.0	630.0	95.0	95.0
Grades 6-8						
All Students	624.9	610.3	585.0	610.6	100.0	100.0
Male	629.7	620.4	580.0	613.0	100.0	100.0
Female	620.8	601.5	591.7	609.2	100.0	100.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
African American	624.2	612.1	585.0	609.3	100.0	100.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disabled	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized meals	623.8	607.0	580.2	610.6	100.0	100.0
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	624.0	624.0	624.0	624.0	95.0	95.0

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PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
English/Language Arts							
2011	3	20	100	26.7	33.3	40	73.3
	4	29	96.6	18.5	44.4	37	81.5
	5	16	100	38.5	53.8	7.7	61.5
	6	24	100	37.5	41.7	20.8	62.5
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	3	17	100	33.3	20	46.7	66.7
	4	17	100	29.4	52.9	17.6	70.6
	5	19	100	21.1	63.2	15.8	78.9
	6	15	100	53.3	33.3	13.3	46.7
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics							
2011	3	20	100	66.7	26.7	6.7	33.3
	4	29	100	18.5	55.6	25.9	81.5
	5	16	100	53.8	38.5	7.7	46.2
	6	24	100	29.2	62.5	8.3	70.8
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	3	17	100	40	53.3	6.7	60
	4	17	100	35.3	52.9	11.8	64.7
	5	19	100	21.1	63.2	15.8	78.9
	6	15	100	53.3	40	6.7	46.7
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Science							
2011	3	10	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	4	29	100	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	59.3
	5	9	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	6	12	100	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	41.7
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	3	10	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	4	17	100	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	41.2
	5	10	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	6	7	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
Social Studies							
2011	3	10	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	4	29	100	25.9	55.6	18.5	74.1
	5	7	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	6	12	100	33.3	50	16.7	66.7
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	3	7	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	4	17	100	29.4	52.9	17.6	70.6
	5	9	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	6	8	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S	I/S
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Writing							
2011	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	17	100	38.5	53.8	7.7	61.5
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	19	100	42.1	52.6	5.3	57.9
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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