



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

York Intermediate School
 York School District One
 Grades: 5-6 Enrollment: 716
 Principal: Keith McSwain
 Superintendent: Dr Vernon Prosser
 Board Chair: Shirley Harris

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Good	Excellent	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2011	Average	Good	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A
2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

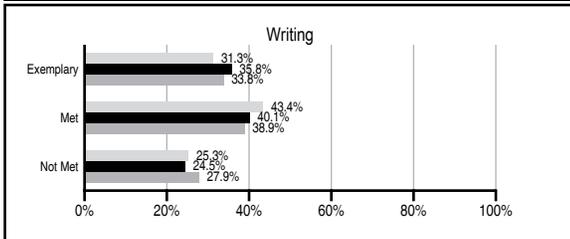
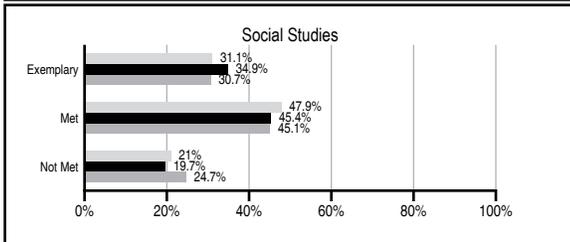
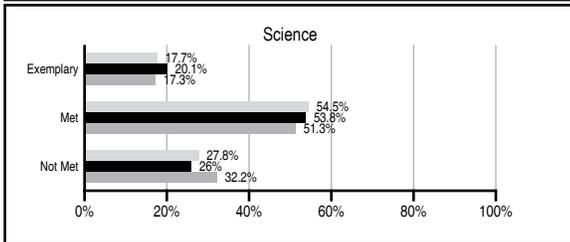
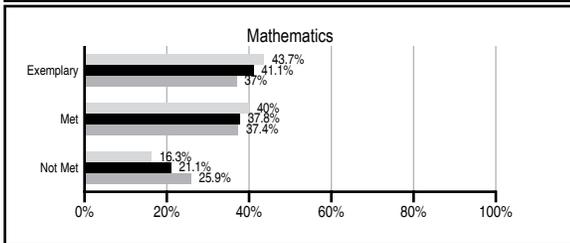
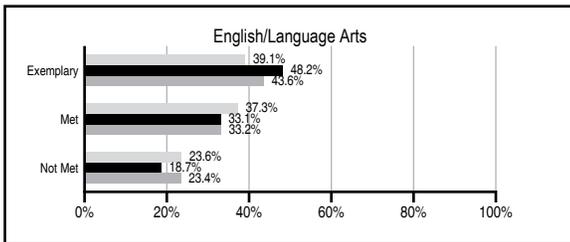
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
36	42	26	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School
 Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours
 Elementary schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC 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.

Abbreviations Key

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York Intermediate School [York School District One]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=716)				
Retention rate	0.4%	Up from 0.0%	0.9%	1.0%
Attendance rate	96.5%	Up from 96.4%	96.5%	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	0.3%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=44)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	68.2%	Up from 67.4%	62.8%	63.0%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	N/A	N/A	89.4%	88.7%
Teacher attendance rate	93.2%	Down from 93.7%	95.3%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$49,980	Up 4.3%	\$47,898	\$47,210
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	6.9 days	Down from 7.1 days	11.1 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	6.0	Up from 5.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.3 to 1	Up from 10.8 to 1	20.3 to 1	20.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.4%	Up from 89.3%	90.3%	90.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	93.3%	Down from 96.8%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,317	N/A	\$6,711	\$7,247
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	69.5%	N/A	68.8%	68.2%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	68.5%	N/A	66.4%	65.7%
ESEA composite index score	90.6	N/A	93.7	91.9

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	28	338	270
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	84.2%	88.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	84.2%	82.7%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	96.3%	86.2%	78.0%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

York Intermediate School serves fifth and sixth grade students in York School District One. Our mission statement is, "Working with the community, we will provide a diverse, innovative education in a safe environment enabling students to become responsible citizens in a global society."

During the 2011-2012 school year, our school experienced several successes during our second year as a 5th and 6th grade Intermediate School. We are proud to say that our school district received accreditation through Advanc-Ed. According to the Advanc-Ed report, "The school/school system performs at or above expected levels on all standards and requirements of the accreditation process." We received the 2011-2012 Palmetto Silver Award for improving student achievement and closing the achievement gap based on our PASS scores. Our students showed significant academic growth from Fall to Spring MAP testing in both reading and math. Our PTO organized and assisted with two very successful school fundraisers which allowed us the opportunity to purchase additional library books, student supplies, and student incentives for honor roll and perfect attendance.

York Intermediate School's primary focus this year was to maintain focus on our four district goals which consists of: Data Driven Decision Making, Promoting Literacy in all content areas, Extra Time and Extra Help for all students, and Increase use of technology in all classrooms.

To assist our teachers with these four goals, we participated in Professional Learning Communities twice a month facilitated by our school's Literacy Coach and Principal. These meetings not only allowed our teachers an opportunity to collaborate and plan together, they also allowed our teachers to interpret student data, identify strategies to differentiate instruction, increase use of technology in the classroom, and promote literacy across the curriculum.

For the 2012-2013 school year, we will continue to utilize MAP testing and the Descartes continuum to interpret student data and plan for instruction. Teachers will continue to differentiate instruction so that we can meet the needs of all our students. Literacy will continue to be a major focus at York Intermediate School. Our literacy coach will work with all teachers to provide lessons and best practices to use in the classroom. We will continue to set aside time for independent reading and student conferencing. Our teachers will continue to utilize technology through Promethean Boards, Document Cameras, and other sources of technology. Last of all, we will continue to provide students "extra time and extra help" through after school programs, Classworks computer assisted program, Math Prep and ELA Prep.

York Intermediate School is dedicated to "Sparking Potential and Inspiring Success" for all students.

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