



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Mt. Pleasant Academy

CHARLESTON

Grades: PK-5

Enrollment: 564

Principal: Jane Davis

Superintendent: Dr. Nancy J. McGinley

Board Chair: Mrs. Cindy Bohn Coats

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
2014	Excellent	Good	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2013	Excellent	Good	GOLD	N/A	A	N/A
2012	Excellent	Excellent	GOLD	SILVER	A	N/A

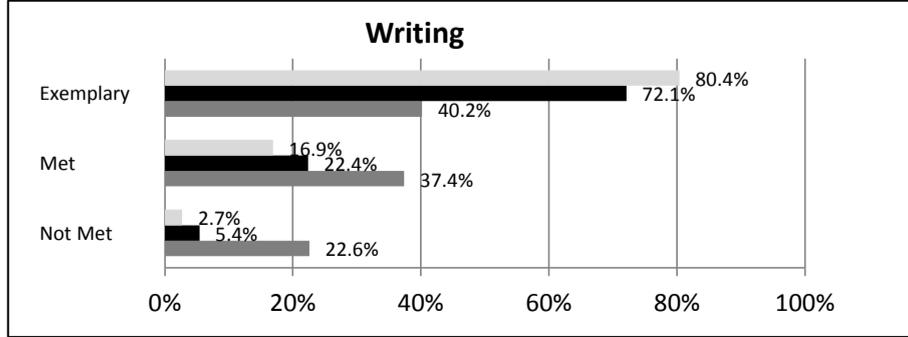
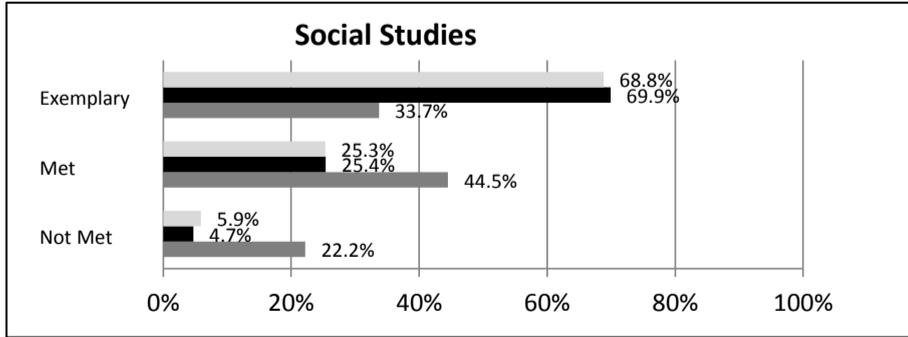
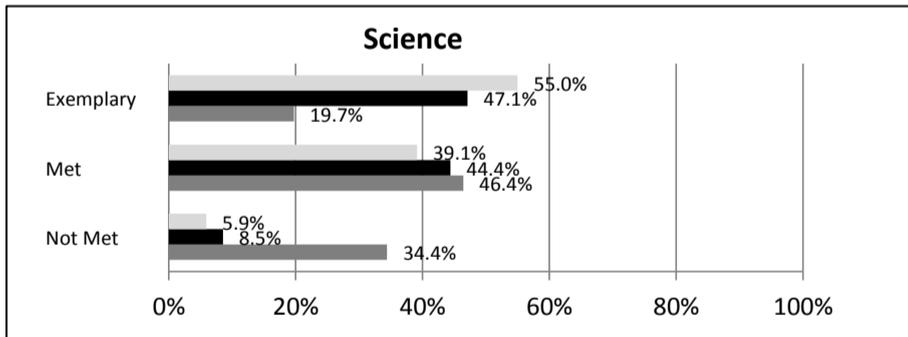
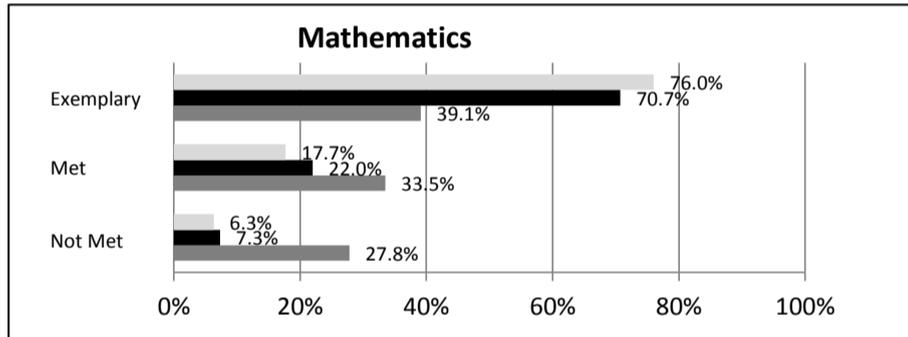
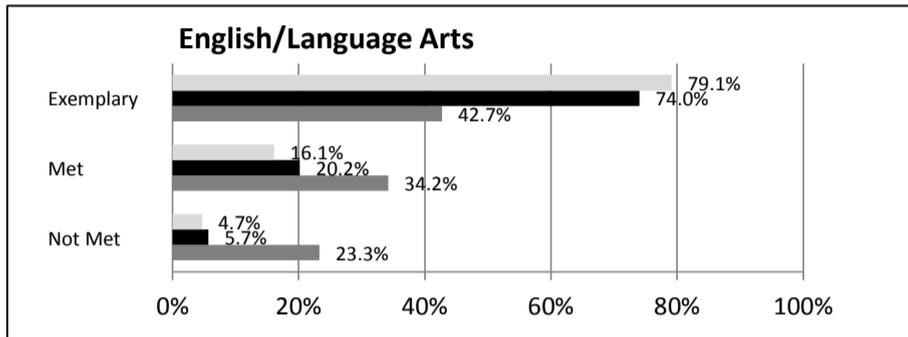
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
13	0	0	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

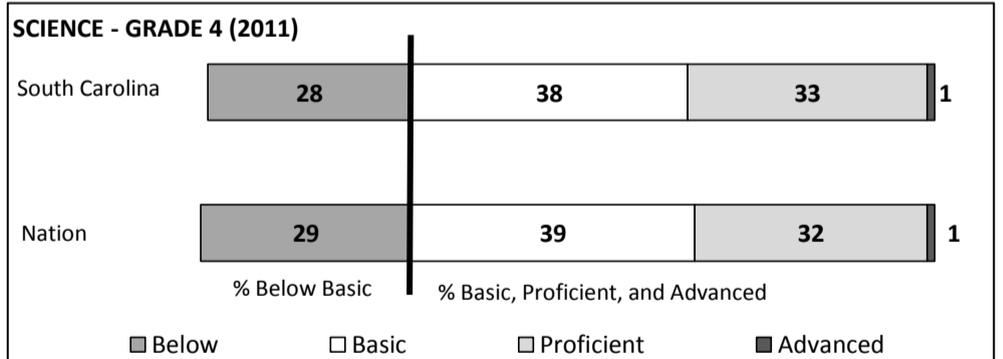
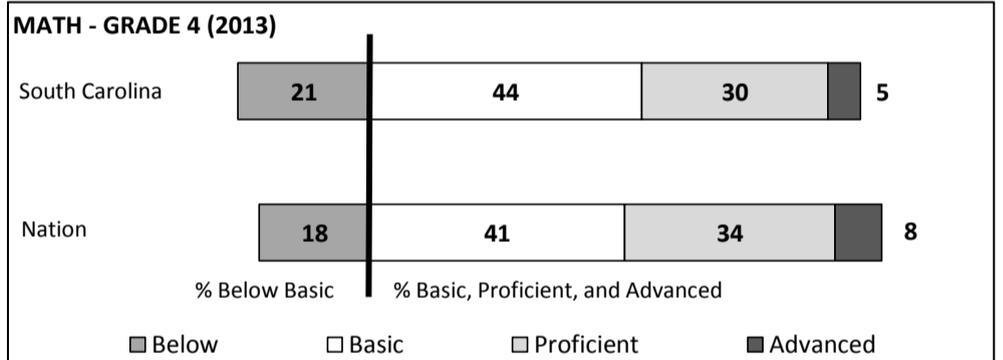
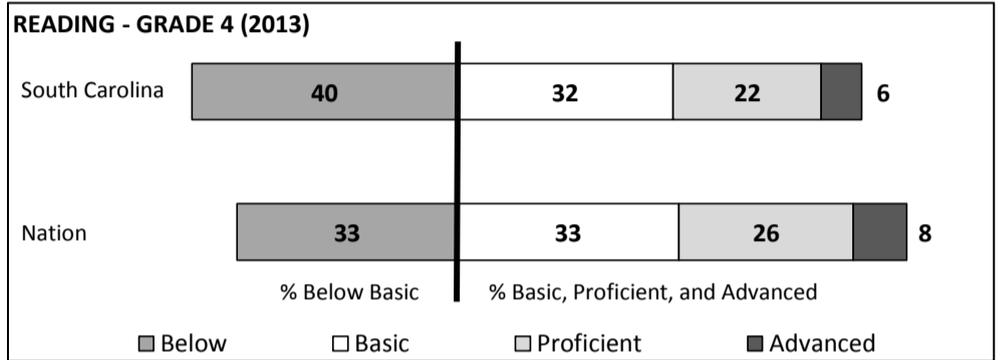
SC PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours Elem Schools Statewide



NAEP*

*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.

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**Mt. Pleasant Academy
CHARLESTON**

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary Schools
Students (n = 564)				
Retention rate	0.5%	Down from 0.8%	0.5%	1.0%
Attendance rate	97.3%	Up from 97.1%	97.1%	96.5%
Served by gifted and talented program	24.2%	Up from 20.7%	20.9%	7.3%
With disabilities	7.6%	Up from 6.7%	9.1%	12.5%
Older than usual for grade	0.4%	Up from 0.2%	0.5%	1.8%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 35)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	74.3%	Up from 71.0%	64.8%	62.3%
Continuing contract teachers	94.3%	Up from 93.5%	86.0%	81.2%
Teachers returning from previous year	93.5%	Up from 91.3%	91.4%	88.4%
Teacher attendance rate	96.1%	Up from 95.2%	96.1%	95.3%
Average teacher salary*	\$50,294	Up 1.9%	\$49,971	\$47,902
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No change	1.6%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	8.1 days	Down from 8.9 days	9.6 days	10.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	26.0	Up from 25.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.8 to 1	Up from 21.6 to 1	21.8 to 1	19.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	93.3%	Up from 91.7%	91.6%	90.7%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	No	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No change	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,572	Up 2.3%	\$7,180	\$7,680
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	69.5%	Down from 70.0%	70.7%	66.8%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	68.9%	Down from 69.0%	69.8%	66.0%
ESEA composite index score	100.0	No change	98.0	85.7

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

**Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	38	86	33
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	83.8%	84.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	87.0%	100.0%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	84.9%	66.6%

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

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The Mt. Pleasant Academy faculty and staff and the School Improvement Council are proud to share our successes with you. We have had another exciting year of enthusiastic teaching and engaged learning.

Mt. Pleasant Academy is a National No Child Left Behind Blue Ribbon School where all children are challenged to reach their full potential. We continue to be among the highest achieving elementary schools in South Carolina, and we have been awarded the Palmetto Gold Award by the State Department of Education every year. We continually earn an absolute rating of excellent on the South Carolina Annual School Report Card. We have also been awarded the Palmetto Silver Award for our progress in closing the Achievement Gap.

Academic excellence is a priority at Mt. Pleasant Academy. In building excellence, we embrace the mission of our school: to work in partnership with families and the community, to assist each student to excel academically, to act responsibly, and to expand talents and social skills by providing diverse learning experiences in a nurturing environment. Our mission is accomplished through a cohesive partnership among teachers, students, parents, and community members working together with the common goal of providing high quality education.

We support Vision 2016, Charleston Achieving Excellence, and we will continue to work together to provide an exemplary educational program for every child at Mt. Pleasant Academy.

Jane Davis, Principal
Chairperson

Bryson Geer, SIC

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