



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Roebuck Elementary  
 Spartanburg 6  
 Grades: K-5 Enrollment: 796  
 Principal: Annie J. Means  
 Superintendent: Darryl Owings  
 Board Chair: Mr. Alex Meadows

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2009	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2008	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2007	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

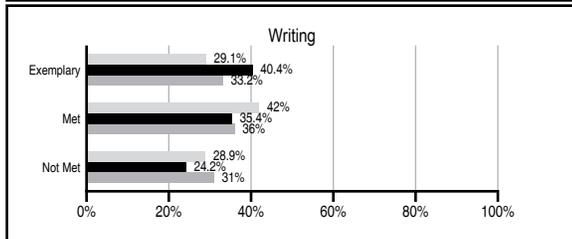
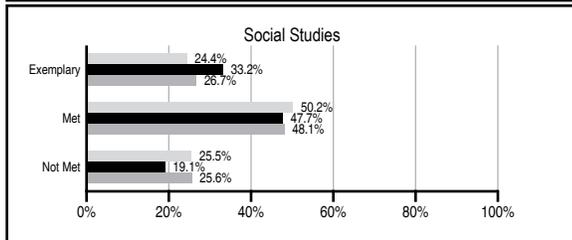
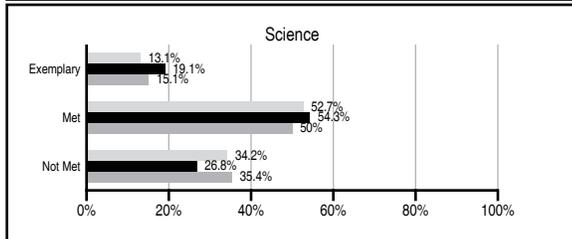
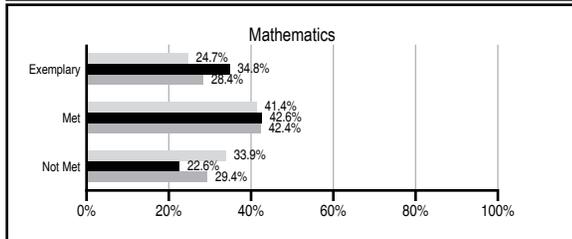
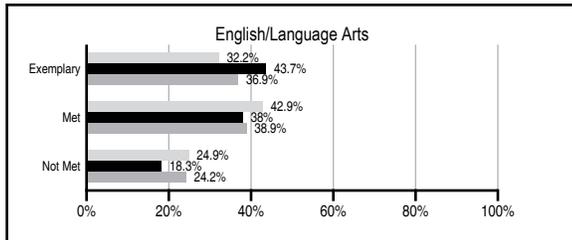
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
17	28	41	0	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 06/01/2010. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

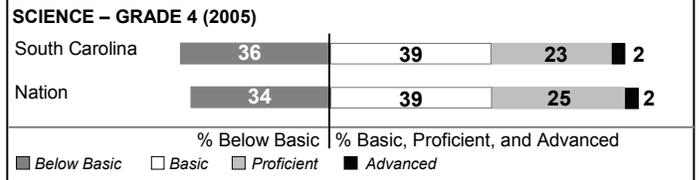
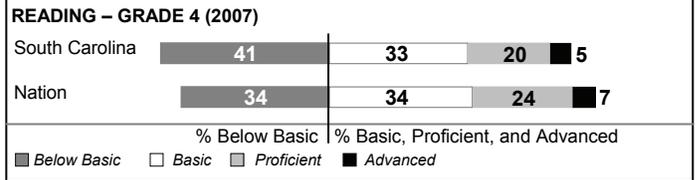
## PASS PERFORMANCE

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 GOAL

**2010 Goal:**  
 By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

**2020 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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## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
<b>Students (n=796)</b>				
Retention rate	1.4%	Up from 1.3%	1.8%	1.9%
Attendance rate	96.3%	Down from 96.6%	96.3%	96.3%
Eligible for gifted and talented	16.9%	Down from 17.0%	14.1%	10.0%
With disabilities other than speech	8.6%	Up from 7.3%	7.4%	7.7%
Older than usual for grade	0.1%	Down from 0.2%	0.3%	0.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=48)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	75.0%	Up from 74.5%	60.9%	59.4%
Continuing contract teachers	79.2%	Down from 83.0%	81.8%	80.0%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	91.1%	Up from 89.4%	88.5%	85.9%
Teacher attendance rate	96.9%	Down from 98.9%	95.2%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,426	Up 0.1%	\$47,548	\$47,149
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.0%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	19.3 days	Down from 19.7 days	11.5 days	11.1 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	12.0	Up from 11.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.9 to 1	Up from 20.9 to 1	19.1 to 1	18.8 to 1
Prime instructional time	93.0%	Down from 94.9%	90.5%	90.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	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**	\$6,023	Up 2.6%	\$6,963	\$7,458
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	74.7%	Up from 74.3%	69.2%	68.8%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	55.5%	Down from 71.9%	63.1%	63.2%
% of AYP objectives met	90.5%	Up from 71.4%	100.0%	100.0%

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	48	121	76
Percent satisfied with learning environment	97.9%	90.0%	90.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	97.9%	84.7%	90.5%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	85.0%	85.1%

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

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

At Roebuck Elementary School, our mission is to provide educational experiences for the whole child in a nurturing and challenging environment, which helps prepare students to be responsible, self-reliant citizens in a rapidly changing society. Our mission partnered with our motto, "Soaring High and Reaching for Excellence," is reflective of the high expectations established for our school community.

Our exemplary teachers and students have worked diligently and received many local and state awards and honors. Our outstanding physical education teacher was the recipient of the SC Elementary Physical Education Teacher of the Year award.

This year, our theme of "Eagles for the Earth – RES Goes Green!" set the tone for a wide array of learning opportunities, activities, and explorations for our students. Throughout the year, our school community focused on "being green" and taking care of our environment. Our RES Enviro-Week Extravaganza showcased the year long efforts of students' learning along with hands-on creativity in the visual and performing arts.

We continued our excellent tradition of service and care within our community. Our students collected over 3,000 cans of food for our local soup kitchen. Roebuck participated in several activities to promote literacy, wellness, and fitness among our students, parents, and faculty. Students participated in Jump Rope/Hoops for Heart and raised over \$4,500 in donations for the American Heart Association. Our Roebuck Relay for Life team raised an astounding \$18,000 for the American Cancer Society!

MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) continues to be used to measure academic growth from year to year. A significant number of our students met personal and school-wide reading goals through the use of the Accelerated Reader Program.

Our outstanding PTO, School Improvement Council, volunteers, and business partners continuously provide many contributions of time, resources, and support to our diverse school population. This continuous team effort and supportive atmosphere truly helps us fulfill our mission, to soar high and reach for excellence.

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