



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

**MICHAEL C. RILEY ELEMENTARY**  
**Beaufort County**  
**Grades: PK-5** Enrollment: 766  
**Principal: Adrienne Sutton**  
**Superintendent: Dr. Valerie Truesdale**  
**Board Chair: Fred Washington**

## 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		
2011	Good	Excellent	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2010	Good	Excellent	Gold	Silver	Met	N/A
2009	Average	Good	Silver	Silver	Met	N/A

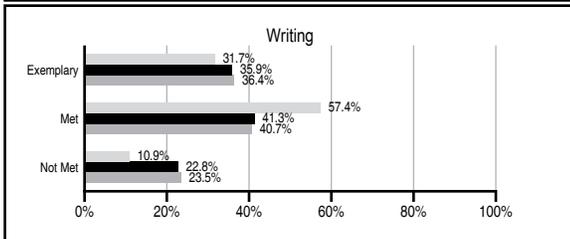
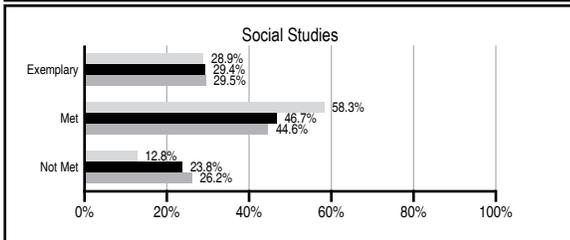
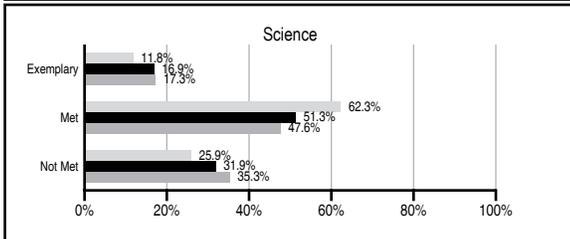
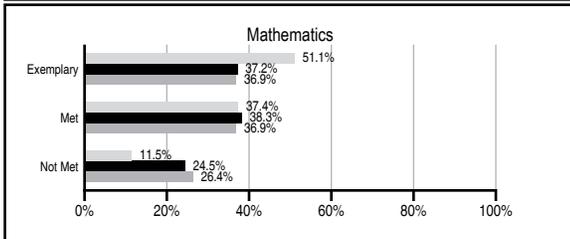
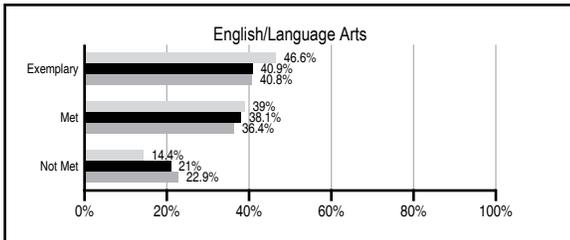
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
17	38	62	3	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. 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.*

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## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
<b>Students (n=766)</b>				
Retention rate	2.4%	Down from 2.9%	1.2%	1.1%
Attendance rate	96.2%	Up from 96.1%	96.1%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	20.7%	Up from 20.1%	14.2%	13.4%
With disabilities other than speech	4.2%	Down from 8.3%	5.2%	4.1%
Older than usual for grade	0.9%	Up from 0.6%	0.2%	0.3%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=60)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	60.0%	Up from 59.4%	61.2%	62.5%
Continuing contract teachers	83.3%	Up from 73.4%	90.0%	88.2%
Teachers returning from previous year	85.5%	Down from 85.7%	88.6%	87.8%
Teacher attendance rate	95.1%	Up from 94.2%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$49,415	Up 4.1%	\$46,690	\$46,773
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	Down from 7.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	18.0 days	Up from 12.8 days	10.5 days	10.5 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 13.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	18.8 to 1	Down from 21.3 to 1	20.0 to 1	19.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.2%	Up from 88.5%	90.2%	90.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	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**	\$7,403	Up 5.6%	\$7,307	\$7,447
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	74.6%	Up from 74.4%	68.1%	68.4%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	72.6%	Down from 72.7%	65.9%	65.8%
% of AYP objectives met	93.1%	Down from 100.0%	92.7%	90.5%

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	74	99	72
Percent satisfied with learning environment	79.2%	90.9%	100.0%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	95.9%	82.5%	91.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	87.7%	84.5%	89.9%

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

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Our comprehensive commitment to classroom instruction and parent involvement has resulted in high levels of student achievement. M.C. Riley was a Palmetto Silver Award winner in 2009 and 2010, this year we were Palmetto Gold winners!! We met Annual Yearly Progress, on our state report card. Our growth rating is "excellent" and absolute rating is "good". These awards and improvement ratings inform us as educators and parents that all socio-economic sub groups are achieving at high levels. Measures of Academic Progress; MAP, testing scores in the fall of 2010 and winter 2011 indicate we are continuing to improve individual and school wide test scores in ELA and Math. Our 2010 scores include: Students coring at Met or Exemplary on PASS in ELA: Grade 3- 82%, Grade 4- 82%, Grade 5-89%. Students scoring at Met or Exemplary on PASS in math: Grade 3- 79%, Grade 4- 85%, Grade 5-84%.

Our two building facility enjoyed renovations this year. We opened the school year with new and improved fields to support student physical education and recreation. New play equipment was added to the field. An intricate infrastructure of draining and irrigation systems supports our new play fields, and hopefully will keep them in use for years to come. The main building enjoyed updates as well. We now have an updated, secure entry area. Prior to the beginning of school our heating and air conditioning systems and plumbing facilities were updated. Three bathroom areas were renovated to include new flooring, walls, floors and fixtures. We opened the school year for the first time with the Early Childhood Center in place! As a principal new to the M.C. Riley ECC and Elementary School I have been impressed with the breadth of opportunities parents have to participate with their student and family in school activities. Our school year begins with an Orientation and Ice Cream Social sponsored by the M.C. Riley P.T.O.. We commemorate military members and families during American Pride Ceremony. Families are invited to grow and learn through school sponsored programs including: Family Math Night, parent visitation days, Annual Food Drive, Kids Club, Project Reach, Health Fair, Arts Festival, Honor Roll Assemblies and Pep Rally, parent conferences, Career Fair, Field Day, School Spirit Week and the International Festival. Our active M.C. Riley P.T.O. plans events to include students and families. The M.C. Riley P.T.O. sponsored a well attended Riley Family Fun Festival which kicked off our Riley Run fundraiser. In December the community participated in the M.C. Riley Holiday Craft Fair. In March we collaborated with Monster Pizza on a Take and Bake Pizza fund raiser. Our parents and P.T.O. Board support us on a daily basis, the M.C. Riley teachers, parents and students live our motto, "A school where school and community come together".

Sincerely,  
Adrienne Sutton Principal Sue Campion, SIC Chair

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