



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

MIDLAND VALLEY HIGH
Aiken
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 1,201
Principal: Carl White
Superintendent: Dr. Elizabeth Everitt
Board Chair: Ms. Rosemary B. English

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	Average	Below Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2009	Average	Good	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
10	10	20	1	2

*Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2010	2011	2010	2011
Passed 2 subtests (%)	72.9%	78.9%	77.8%	76.4%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	13.7%	11.1%	11.4%	13.8%
Passed no subtests (%)	13.4%	10.0%	11.0%	10.3%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2011

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	90.2%	90.9%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	315	288
Number of Diplomas	222	194
Rate (%)	70.5%	70.2%

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2011

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	79.4	75.2
English 1	56.8	63.6
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	64.6	65.6
Physical Science	48.1	54.5
US History and the Constitution	27.5	43.4
All Tests	54.6	60.5

NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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

READING – GRADE 8 (2011)



MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)



SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2009)



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	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=1,201)				
Retention rate	8.2%	Up from 5.5%	3.8%	3.4%
Attendance rate	94.1%	Down from 94.8%	95.1%	95.0%
Served by gifted and talented program	19.9%	Up from 15.3%	12.9%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	7.9%	Down from 12.0%	10.9%	9.9%
Older than usual for grade	11.5%	Down from 12.9%	7.4%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.1%	Up from 0.0%	0.9%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	14.2%	Down from 16.7%	12.9%	13.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	46.9%	Up from 38.2%	47.2%	51.7%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	37.9%	Down from 44.2%	30.2%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	8.1%	Up from 6.4%	2.9%	2.5%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	12.7%	Down from 13.7%	1.7%	2.9%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	597	Down from 663	362	419
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	71.9%	Up from 69.6%	80.5%	83.0%
Teachers (n=65)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	66.2%	Up from 62.9%	63.9%	61.1%
Continuing contract teachers	73.8%	Down from 77.4%	83.3%	80.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	88.4%	No Change	88.0%	86.5%
Teacher attendance rate	94.2%	Down from 95.0%	95.5%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,635	Up 1.3%	\$46,884	\$46,884
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.3%	Up from 0.8%	1.7%	2.2%
Professional development days/teacher	8.2 days	Down from 10.8 days	10.5 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 5.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	29.2 to 1	Down from 31.5 to 1	27.5 to 1	26.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	86.7%	Down from 88.4%	89.4%	89.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,087	Down 9.2%	\$7,412	\$7,804
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	58.3%	Up from 58.0%	56.8%	58.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	60.5%	Down from 61.6%	60.5%	60.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	Up from Good	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	76.2%	Down from 82.5%	97.3%	97.3%
Character development program	Good	Down from Excellent	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	76.5%	Up from 52.6%	63.2%	65.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Our mission is to promote academic success, respect, lifelong learning, and citizenship. All of our stakeholders have made a commitment to provide the most relevant educational opportunities to our students. 2010-2011 was another great year at Midland Valley High School. Sixty-one of MVHS seniors graduated with honors. Nine seniors were named Palmetto Fellows, and another eighty-eight are eligible for Life scholarships. Our seniors accumulated over \$6.4 million in combined scholarship money. MVHS students continued to compete and excel in local, regional, state, and national competitions. In athletics, our football team won a regional title. In weight lifting, three students were named region champions, and seventeen students were named to the all-region team. Two students participated in the North/South All-Star softball game and soccer game. Seven students were named to the All-State football, softball, baseball, and soccer teams. Our archery team ranked seventh in the world, and one student was ranked number one male high school archer in the world. Our FFA program received the National 3-Star Gold Emblem Chapter status which ranked us in the top three percent of all FFA programs in the nation. Our NJROTC program received the Unit Achievement Award, and one student was selected for the 2011 Honor Band of America, and one student was selected for the South Carolina All-State Orchestra. Our students volunteered many hours and assisted with various projects including the Marine's Toys for Tots campaign, the United Way of Aiken County, Meals on Wheels, Relay for Life, the Ronald McDonald House, and Special Olympics. Our School Improvement Council, composed of parents, students, teachers, community representatives and administrative personnel continues to promote student achievement. We are fortunate to have the support of our parents and our community.

Carl White, Principal
Rick Turnbull, SIC Chairperson

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	68	192	17
Percent satisfied with learning environment	80.9%	67.9%	82.4%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	89.7%	76.2%	88.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	55.9%	83.6%	64.7%

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

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