



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

BERKELEY COUNTY MIDDLE COLLEGE
 Berkeley
 Grades: 11-12 Enrollment: 74
 Principal: Claire Mason Freeman
 Superintendent: Rodney Thompson
 Board Chair: Kathy Schwalbe

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	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	N/A	N/A
2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
4	2	19	0	1

*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 (%)	N/A	N/A	73.4%	69.5%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	N/A	N/A	14.3%	18.0%
Passed no subtests (%)	N/A	N/A	13.3%	12.5%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2011

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	N/A	88.5%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

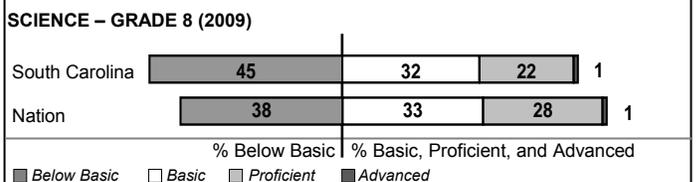
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	26	182
Number of Diplomas	26	133
Rate (%)	100.0%	71.7%

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	100.0	73.2
English 1	.	56.6
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	.	56.8
Physical Science	50.0	47.9
US History and the Constitution	61.4	36.2
All Tests	61.7	52.4

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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BERKELEY COUNTY MIDDLE COLLEGE [Berkeley]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=74)				
Retention rate	0.0%	N/A	3.8%	3.4%
Attendance rate	97.1%	N/A	95.3%	95.0%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/A	N/A	14.2%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	13.7%	N/A	10.4%	9.9%
Older than usual for grade	5.5%	N/A	9.1%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	N/R	0.4%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.0%	N/R	6.4%	13.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	37.1%	51.7%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	22.2%	N/R	27.8%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	N/A	N/A	2.9%	2.5%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	N/A	N/A	5.7%	2.9%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	7	N/A	241	419
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	100.0%	N/A	83.2%	83.0%
Teachers (n=5)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	33.3%	N/A	60.6%	61.1%
Continuing contract teachers	66.7%	N/A	78.7%	80.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	N/A	N/A	84.3%	86.5%
Teacher attendance rate	97.8%	N/R	95.6%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	N/A	I/S	\$46,795	\$46,884
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	18.3%	N/A	3.4%	2.2%
Professional development days/teacher	12.4 days	N/R	9.6 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	N/R	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	18.5 to 1	N/R	24.8 to 1	26.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	94.7%	N/R	90.6%	89.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	N/A	N/A	\$8,097	\$7,804
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	N/A	N/A	56.0%	58.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	N/A	N/A	59.9%	60.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Poor	N/R	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	N/R	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	98.2%	N/R	96.9%	97.3%
Character development program	Average	N/R	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	N/A		58.8%	65.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The Berkeley County Middle College High School is a partnership between Berkeley County School District and Trident Technical College. We provide a personalized learning community for students who want to accelerate toward fulfillment of college and career goals, and for at-risk groups underrepresented in postsecondary education.

This was the inaugural year for Berkeley County Middle College. The graduation rate for our Class of 2011 was 100%. Sixty-five of our students attempted 232 dual credit college courses with a pass rate of 86.7%. The pass rate for high school courses was 99%.

In the report, College Ready, commissioned by the Gates Foundation, we are reminded that "In today's world, a college diploma has become as important as a high school diploma used to be...higher education—whether a two- or four-year college, a technical school, or a certificate program—has emerged as the critical path to opportunity for students and the avenue to achieve their dreams."

Located on the Berkeley Campus of Trident Technical College, our magnet high school can serve up to 100 students from the district's seven comprehensive high schools. Our partnership blends high school and college courses to provide students with rigorous academics, guidance support, career information, mentors, service learning opportunities, and other essential resources.

The goals of the Middle College are to create a more pervasive college-going culture through: increasing high school graduation rates and reducing dropout rates by providing a school-wide support system and an individualized academic plan that challenges each student to succeed; improving academic performance in a non-traditional high school environment which allows student access to greater educational opportunities; and, increasing collegiate access to provide a seamless transition from high school to college.

At Berkeley County Middle College High School is our joy to help students begin their transitions into higher education and bright futures.

Claire Freeman, Principal
Jennifer Easler, SIC Chairperson

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	4	44	35
Percent satisfied with learning environment	I/S	90.9%	94.3%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	I/S	86.4%	94.1%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	I/S	90.9%	88.6%

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

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