



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

IRMO HIGH
Lexington/Richland 5
Grades: 9-12 **Enrollment: 1,933**
Principal: Rob Weinkle
Superintendent: Stephen W. Hefner, Ed. D.
Board Chair: Robert Gantt

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

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
16	6	5	0	0

*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 (%)	83.2%	81.3%	82.7%	83.9%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	10.2%	10.6%	10.2%	10.1%
Passed no subtests (%)	6.6%	8.1%	7.8%	6.7%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2011

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	94.3%	93.7%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

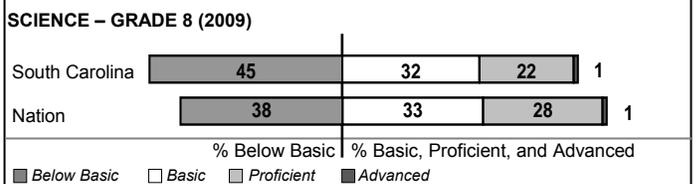
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	517	403
Number of Diplomas	425	311
Rate (%)	82.2%	78.4%

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	75.3	79.1
English 1	75.1	71.4
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	69.6	76.1
Physical Science	56.6	64.5
US History and the Constitution	59.0	55.8
All Tests	66.4	69.4

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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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=1,933)				
Retention rate	3.8%	Up from 3.6%	2.4%	3.4%
Attendance rate	97.0%	Up from 96.8%	94.7%	95.0%
Served by gifted and talented program	23.6%	Down from 29.4%	18.7%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	10.1%	Down from 11.0%	8.4%	9.9%
Older than usual for grade	6.2%	Down from 7.1%	4.9%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	2.2%	Up from 2.1%	0.9%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	39.0%	Down from 40.0%	21.9%	13.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	57.0%	Down from 59.3%	56.6%	51.7%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	61.6%	Up from 60.1%	36.9%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	1.7%	Down from 2.2%	2.4%	2.5%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	9.3%	Up from 4.2%	3.2%	2.9%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	1275	Down from 1310	738	419
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	5.0%	Down from 83.9%	83.4%	83.0%
Teachers (n=133)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	69.2%	Up from 64.7%	64.1%	61.1%
Continuing contract teachers	94.7%	Up from 93.5%	84.0%	80.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	87.8%	Down from 88.9%	88.2%	86.5%
Teacher attendance rate	95.4%	Up from 95.0%	95.5%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,220	Down 1.6%	\$48,541	\$46,884
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	16.7%	Up from 8.0%	1.3%	2.2%
Professional development days/teacher	11.3 days	Up from 8.5 days	11.4 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 5.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	25.2 to 1	Up from 22.6 to 1	29.8 to 1	26.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.8%	Up from 90.6%	89.3%	89.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,199	Down 11.4%	\$6,853	\$7,804
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	64.3%	Up from 58.2%	60.8%	58.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	66.0%	Up from 61.2%	62.7%	60.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 96.9%	99.0%	97.3%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	78.9%	Up from 71.4%	76.4%	65.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Irmo High School is proud to announce the following national, state and regional awards. These accomplishments reflect the tradition of excellence at Irmo High.

Three National Merit Scholarship Finalists
 Two National Achievement Scholarship Finalists
 State SkillsUSA First-Place Winners
 SC SkillsUSA Advisor of the Year
 WACH Fox Teens to Watch
 WLTX Player of the Week
 All-State and Region Band
 Symphonic Band Superior Rating
 SC Oratory Contest Runner-up
 National High School Coaching Association Junior Wrestling Title
 Outstanding Air Force JROTC Program
 Soccer Upper State Champions
 SC Athletic Coaches Association Hall of Fame
 SC Most Outstanding Gospel Choir
 2011 Columbia Urban League Young & Gifted Awards
 Special Olympics Third Consecutive Regional Championship
 National Hispanic Recognition Program Scholar
 Most Outstanding Artistic Achievement in the State
 First Place SC State Fair Student Competition
 Best International Overseas Cadet Award
 2011 SAFE Scholarship
 State Boys Basketball Champions
 All/State, All Region, North/South All Star Basketball
 National Board Certified Teachers
 Seventh-place State Track Meet
 Civinettes Club of the Year; Campus Project of the Year,
 Community Project of Year Female Junior Civitan of the Year
 One student with 12 years Perfect Attendance
 Girls & Boys State Awards
 Two Medhurst/Norton/Telfer Scholarships
 Jazz Band Superior Rating for the third consecutive year
 Gates Millennium Scholar
 Summer Health Career Awareness Program
 Stinger Palmetto Award & All-State Rating
 USC Carolina Scholar & Carolina Scholar Finalist
 AFJROTC Outstanding 2010 Adopt-a-Highway Group
 South Carolina State Fair Scholar

Rob Weinkle, Principal Toshia Addison, SIC President

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	107	396	51
Percent satisfied with learning environment	91.5%	71.5%	76.5%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	93.5%	76.2%	60.8%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	84.9%	84.8%	76.5%

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

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