



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

PALMETTO MIDDLE
Marion Two
Grades: 6-8 Enrollment: 406
Principal: Mr. Coleman Barbour
Superintendent: Dr. Dan Strickland
Board Chair: Mrs. Mollie Bethea-Floyd

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

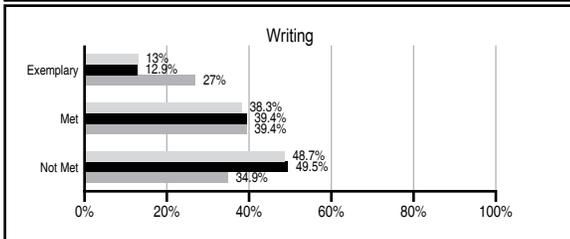
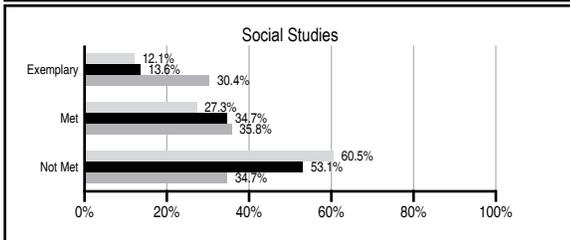
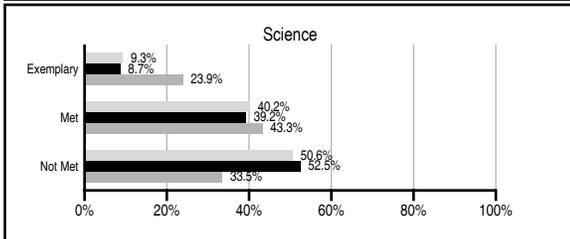
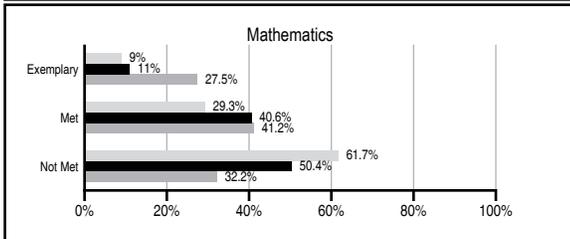
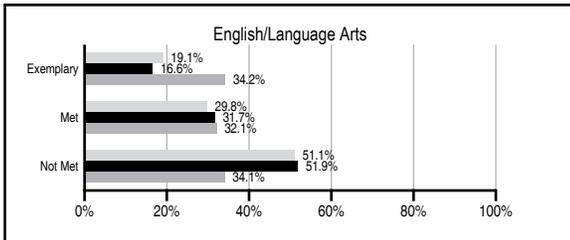
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	0	11	27	25

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

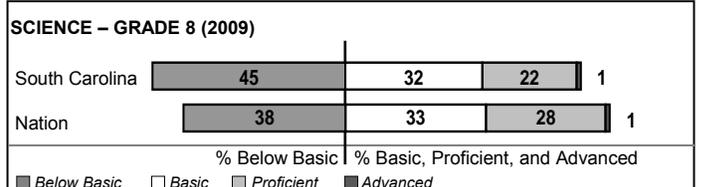
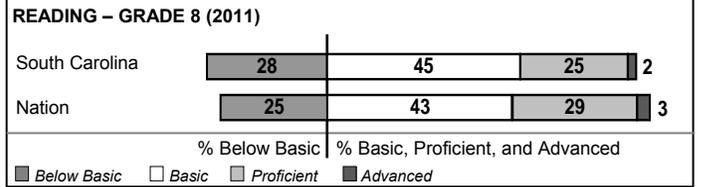
PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Middle Schools with Students Like Ours Middle schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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



END OF COURSE TESTS - 2011

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	68.4	88.0
English 1	N/A	86.5
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	N/A	36.8
Physical Science	N/A	16.8
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	68.4	87.4

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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PALMETTO MIDDLE [Marion Two]

SCHOOL PROFILE

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=406)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	N/R	N/R	13.4%	24.5%
Retention rate	0.0%	Down from 0.3%	1.0%	0.7%
Attendance rate	93.2%	Down from 94.1%	95.3%	95.9%
Served by gifted and talented program	16.8%	Up from 15.4%	5.6%	17.8%
With disabilities other than speech	8.4%	Down from 14.1%	11.2%	9.2%
Older than usual for grade	3.5%	Up from 1.7%	3.2%	1.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	N/R	N/R	0.3%	0.4%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=23)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	56.5%	Down from 60.7%	58.9%	60.0%
Continuing contract teachers	78.3%	Up from 75.0%	65.8%	82.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	72.7%	Down from 76.9%	77.3%	85.6%
Teacher attendance rate	92.5%	Down from 92.6%	95.4%	95.3%
Average teacher salary*	\$40,782	Down 2.1%	\$43,817	\$46,300
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	6.2%	Down from 16.3%	5.9%	1.2%
Professional development days/teacher	N/R	N/R	10.6 days	9.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	N/R	N/R	18.1 to 1	21.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	84.7%	Down from 85.6%	89.2%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Poor	Down from Excellent	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	N/R	N/R	98.0%	98.1%
Character development program	N/R	N/R	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,583	Down 7.3%	\$10,000	\$7,634
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.7%	Down from 67.1%	60.0%	64.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	56.4%	Up from 55.9%	55.7%	61.2%
% of AYP objectives met	47.6%	Down from 76.2%	70.6%	80.5%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	23	100	44
Percent satisfied with learning environment	87.0%	60.6%	56.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	91.3%	62.0%	52.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	60.9%	77.6%	69.0%

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

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