



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Golden Strip Career Technology Center
 Grades: 10-12 Enrollment: 393
 Director: Leroy Elrod
 Board Chair: Mr. Roger Meek
 Superintendent: Mr. Burke Royster

PERFORMANCE

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| YEAR | ABSOLUTE RATING | GROWTH RATING | PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD | | ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM | |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| | | | General Performance | Closing the Gap | ESEA Grade | Accountability Indicator |
| 2012 | Excellent | Average | TBD | TBD | Met | N/A |
| 2011 | Good | At-Risk | N/A | N/A | Met | N/A |
| 2010 | Excellent | Good | Gold | N/A | Met | N/A |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF CAREER CENTERS IN SC*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 20 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 2 |

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 12/13/2012. All Career Centers in South Carolina are included.

TECHNICAL SKILL ATTAINMENT

The percentage of students enrolled in career and technology courses at a center who earn a 2.0 or above on the final course grade.

| Our Center | | State Center Average (%) | |
|------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| n | % | n | % |
| 310 | 91.6% | | 89.2% |

GRADUATION RATE

The number of 12th grade career technology education students who graduate in the spring is divided by the number of 12th graders enrolled in the center and converted to a percentage.

| Our Center | | State Center Average (%) | |
|------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| n | % | n | % |
| 100 | 92.0% | | 95.4% |

PLACEMENT RATE

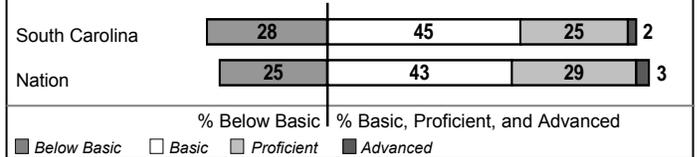
The number of career and technology completers who are available for placement in postsecondary instruction, military services, or employment is divided into the number of students over a three-year period who are actually placed and converted to a percentage. This criterion mirrors the Perkins standard.

| Our Center | | State Center Average (%) | |
|------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| n | % | n | % |
| 272 | 97.8% | | 96.5% |

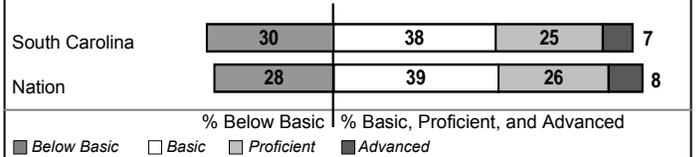
NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* 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.

Abbreviations Key

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Golden Strip Career Technology Center [Greenville]

SCHOOL PROFILE

| | Our Center | Change from Last Year | Median Career Center |
|---|------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Students (n=393) | | | |
| With disabilities other than speech | 9.2% | Up from 8.8% | 8.9% |
| Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations | 26.2% | Down from 76.4% | 19.4% |
| Enrollment in career/technology courses | 393 | Down from 488 | 619 |
| Students participating in work-based experiences | 15.3% | Up from 0.2% | 15.2% |
| Teachers (n=16) | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 6.3% | Down from 15.4% | 26.1% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 62.5% | Down from 76.9% | 73.1% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 89.6% | No Change | 90.4% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 93.7% | Down from 94.7% | 95.5% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$46,998 | Up 4.6% | \$47,713 |
| Professional development days/teacher | 16.1 days | Down from 16.3 days | 11.0 days |
| Center | | | |
| Director's years at Center | 8.0 | Up from 7.0 | 6.5 |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$3,800 | Down 21.3% | \$3,345 |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 56.2% | Down from 62.5% | 56.2% |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 67.0% | Down from 67.7% | 66.0% |
| Parents attending conferences | 85.2% | Up from 73.6% | 77.0% |

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

| | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned | 18 | 157 | 54 |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment | 83.3% | 89.7% | 88.5% |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 88.9% | 91.1% | 81.1% |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations | 72.2% | 88.5% | 79.6% |

* Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included.

REPORT OF DIRECTOR AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Golden Strip Career Technology Center is constantly seeking new avenues for our students not only to develop the skills they need to compete in today's competitive job market but also new ways to explore available job opportunities. This year, we have worked with several major companies to expose our graduating seniors to work/study programs where they have the opportunity to work part time for these companies and to attend a local technical college with financial assistance. These work study programs may lead to full time employment. We continue to give our students authentic learning experiences before they graduate through cooperative learning, job shadowing, summer internships, and field trips. We also believe that belonging to organizations such as SkillsUSA, Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA), Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA), and Future Farmers of America (FFA) are an integral part of the development of students. Our students annually attend state competitions in their respective fields. In order to raise the academic challenge and performance of our students, we are partnering with one of our feeder high schools to offer some Project Lead The Way (PLTW) courses to our students. This coming school year, 2012/13, we will offer the PLTW courses Biomedical Science and Human Body Development. Our partner high school already offers the foundation courses in PLTW engineering and in 2013/14 we will offer the advanced PLTW courses in engineering for those students. The success of our school is due to our partnerships with all of our stakeholders. We have dedicated students, supportive parents, a cooperative community, and an active School Improvement Council. Golden Strip Career Technology Center is positive about teaching and learning. We truly believe that all students can learn and can make positive contributions to society.

Leroy Elrod, Director
Mark Christopher, SIC Chairperson

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NI Newly Identified CSI Continuing School Improvement CA Corrective Action RP Plan to Restructure R Restructure DELAY School Improvement Status HOLD School Improvement Status