

SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

York 2 - Clover School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 6,463
 Superintendent: Marc J. Sosne
 Board Chair: Mack McCarter

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 |
| 2013 | Excellent | Excellent | N/A | N/A | A | N/A |
| 2012 | Excellent | Excellent | N/A | N/A | A | N/A |
| 2011 | Excellent | Good | N/A | N/A | Not Met | N/A |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 01/16/2014. Districts with Students Like Ours are Districts with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

PASS

| PASS | 2013 Reading | 2013 Math | 2013 Science | 2013 Social Studies | 2013 Writing |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| | % Met or above | % Met or above |
| District | 86.8% | 86.7% | 86.8% | 86.9% | 85.9% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 85.6% | 85.1% | 85.1% | 86.8% | 83.2% |
| Average District | 76.9% | 73.4% | 73.0% | 75.7% | 74.5% |

| PASS | 2013 Reading | 2013 Math | 2013 Science | 2013 Social Studies | 2013 Writing |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary |
| District | 56.6% | 52.1% | 40.3% | 57.9% | 49.8% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 55.8% | 51.3% | 39.2% | 56.5% | 45.5% |
| Average District | 41.7% | 35.6% | 23.9% | 36.9% | 33.8% |

HSAP

| HSAP: 2nd Year Students | Passed 2 Subtests (%) | Passed 1 Subtest (%) | Passed No Subtests (%) |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| District | 90.0% | 7.4% | 2.6% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 90.0% | 6.9% | 3.1% |

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013 (%)

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| District | 97.0% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 97.3% |

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| District | 86.0% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 85.2% |

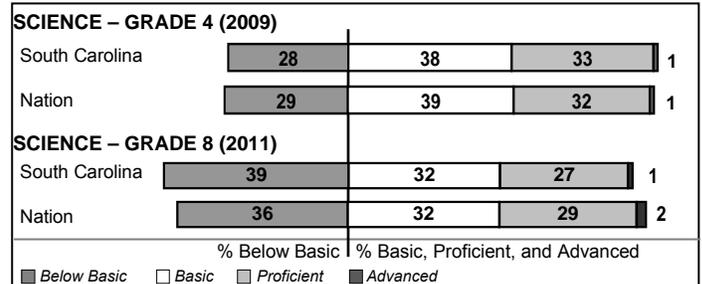
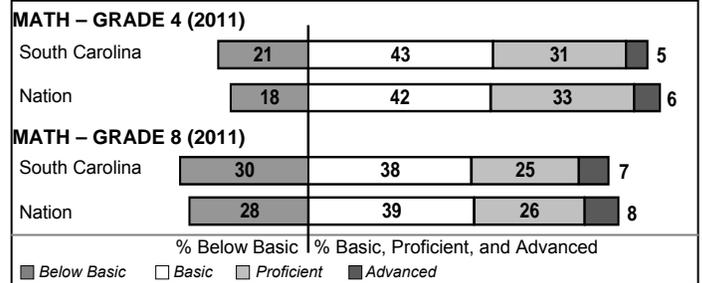
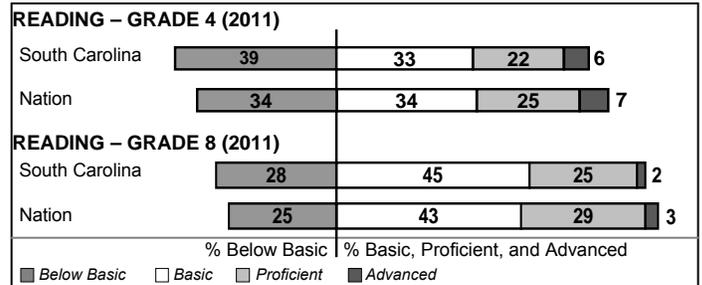
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

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|-------------------------------------|-------|
| District | 87.1% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 87.4% |

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NAEP*

* 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.

Abbreviations Key

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DISTRICT PROFILE

| | Our District | Change from Last Year | Districts with Students Like Ours | Median District |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Students (n=6,463) | | | | |
| Retention rate | 1.1% | Down from 1.5% | 1.0% | 1.9% |
| Attendance rate | 96.3% | Down from 96.6% | 97.1% | 95.8% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | 20.4% | N/A | 25.9% | 12.0% |
| With disabilities | 7.7% | N/A | 10.4% | 12.7% |
| Older than usual for grade | 2.2% | N/A | 2.0% | 4.8% |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | 1.4% | Up from 0.2% | 1.2% | 0.7% |
| Enrolled in AP/IB programs | 25.1% | Up from 14.6% | 39.3% | 14.0% |
| Successful on AP/IB exams | 63.7% | Down from 70.4% | 59.2% | 50.5% |
| Eligible for LIFE Scholarship | 23.9% | Down from 26.5% | 32.3% | 31.8% |
| Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs | 43 | Up from 36 | 88 | 50 |
| Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs | 36 | Up from 26 | 55 | 37 |
| Annual dropout rate | 2.0% | Down from 2.7% | 1.7% | 2.3% |
| Teachers (n=478) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 60.7% | Down from 61.6% | 65.8% | 61.4% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 80.1% | Down from 85.9% | 84.0% | 80.0% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 93.0% | Down from 93.6% | 92.6% | 90.4% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 95.3% | Down from 95.6% | 94.9% | 94.8% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$51,630 | Up 3.6% | \$51,582 | \$47,587 |
| Vacancies for more than nine weeks | 0.2% | Up from 0.0% | 0.2% | 0.2% |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 0.4% | Up from 0.2% | 2.8% | 1.8% |
| Professional development days/teacher | 9.5 days | Down from 14.1 days | 9.6 days | 10.3 days |
| District | | | | |
| Superintendent's years at district | 6.0 | Up from 5.0 | 4.5 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | 23.7 to 1 | Up from 23.1 to 1 | 22.5 to 1 | 22.2 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | 90.1% | Down from 90.8% | 90.7% | 89.4% |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$10,098 | Up 2.5% | \$10,161 | \$9,101 |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 55.0% | Down from 55.8% | 55.5% | 52.0% |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 58.0% | Down from 58.1% | 57.5% | 56.0% |
| Opportunities in the arts | Excellent | No Change | Excellent | Excellent |
| Number of schools | 9 | No Change | 15 | 11 |
| Portable classrooms | 0.0% | No Change | 2.6% | 0.9% |
| Number of schools with SACS accreditation | 9.0 | No Change | 14.5 | 10.0 |
| Parents attending conferences | 100.0% | No Change | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Average administrator salary | \$87,115 | Up 4.0% | \$91,352 | \$79,389 |
| Number of charter schools | 0 | No Change | 0 | 0 |
| ESEA composite index score | 92.6 | Down from 94.6 | 91.8 | 81.0 |

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES STUDENT PERFORMANCE

| | PASS | HSAP | End-of-Course Tests |
|--------------|------|------|---------------------|
| Passage Rate | N/A | N/A | N/A |

CHARTER SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT

| School Name | Absolute Rating | Growth Rating | ESEA Grade |
|--|-----------------|---------------|------------|
| There are no charter schools in this district. | | | |

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

In 2012-2013, Clover School District continued to reach its strategic goals and objectives and to provide each child with excellent academic, athletic and extra-curricular opportunities. The district began the year with eight schools earning an "A" and one school earning a "B" on the new Federal Report Card. Additionally, eight of nine schools earned an "Excellent" absolute rating and "Excellent" improvement rating on the State Report Card. With these strong performances, eight schools proudly received state Palmetto Gold or Silver Awards.

The graduation rate in Clover continued its steady climb moving from 77.3 percent in 2011 to 84.4% in 2012. This year, Clover High School graduated its largest senior class in history with 471 seniors. These students earned over 10 million dollars in scholarships, shattering the record set by the previous class by over 4 million dollars. The district's advanced placement program and Middle College also saw tremendous increases in student participation. In 2012-13, 218 honor students took over 289 Advanced Placement exams and 13 seniors who attended the Western York County Middle College, a partnership established with York School District and York Technical College, earned 254 hours of college credit while in high school.

The district has continued its steady pace to implement Common Core State Standards. Grades K-2 and Algebra 1 in the middle and high schools began teaching the new standards fully in 2012-13, while grades 3-8 taught the SC state standards along with several "gap units" to help students with new standards they will need for common core next year. The district hired six new elementary technology instructors to begin teaching K-5 students keyboarding, research, word processing, Power Point, and Excel. These technology skills will be needed as students prepare for online Smarter-Balanced testing in 2014-2015.

The district also upgraded all schools with new security cameras to booster its safety protocols and wireless overlays so that all students and teachers can use technology seamlessly. The schools in Clover had over 1200 iPads in circulation along with laptop carts and several computer labs to integrate technology into classroom instruction daily. The district will add an additional 800 devices in 2013-14, which will facilitate the implementation of a pilot project called "Connected Classrooms". Thirty teachers and approximately 800 students will pilot a one-to-one technology environment during the next school year. In the elementary and middle schools, the "connected classrooms" will have iPads for every student. At Clover High School, "connected" students will have Microsoft tablets. The district plans to be one-to-one for all students in 2014-2015.
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NI Newly Identified CDI Continuing District Improvement CA Corrective Action RP Plan to Restructure R Restructure DELAY District Improvement Status HOLD District Improvement Status