



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Mauldin Elementary School
 Greenville County
 Grades: PK-5 Enrollment: 928
 Principal: Michael J. Parker
 Superintendent: Mr. Burke Royster
 Board Chair: Mr. Chuck Saylor

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 | Good | Below Average | TBD | TBD | A | N/A |
| 2012 | Good | Good | Silver | N/A | A | N/A |
| 2011 | Good | Average | Silver | N/A | Not Met | N/A |

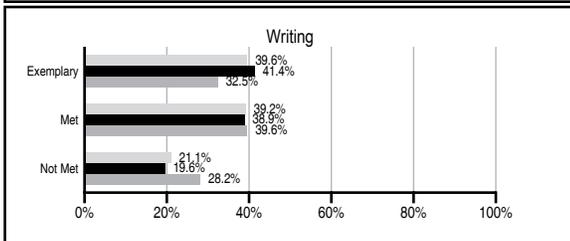
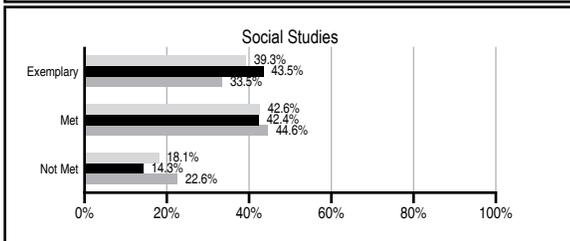
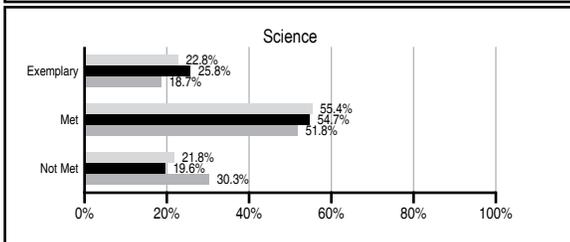
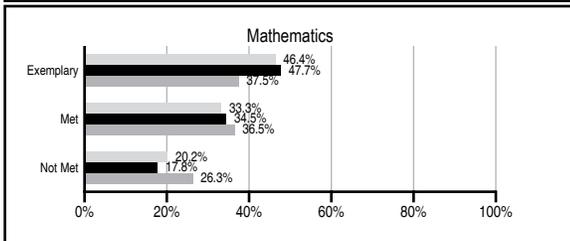
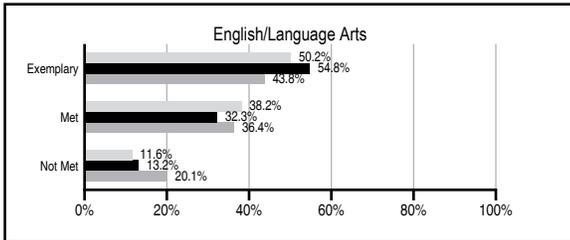
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 40 | 18 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

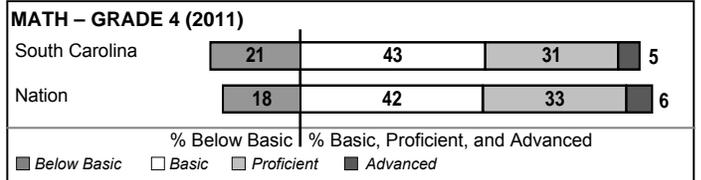
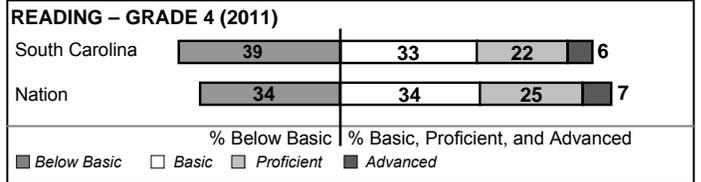
PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School
 Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours
 Elementary schools statewide



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.

Abbreviations Key

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Mauldin Elementary School [Greenville County]

SCHOOL PROFILE

| | Our School | Change from Last Year | Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours | Median Elementary School |
|--|------------|-----------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Students (n=923) | | | | |
| Retention rate | 1.6% | Up from 1.5% | 0.8% | 0.9% |
| Attendance rate | 96.5% | Down from 96.8% | 96.7% | 96.3% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | 13.9% | N/A | 10.6% | 7.2% |
| With disabilities | 11.4% | N/A | 11.3% | 12.4% |
| Older than usual for grade | 1.5% | N/A | 1.3% | 1.9% |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | 0.0% | No Change | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Teachers (n=52) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 53.8% | Up from 51.9% | 64.4% | 62.5% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 100.0% | Up from 98.1% | 83.3% | 83.3% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 90.4% | Up from 90.1% | 89.7% | 88.3% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 95.1% | Up from 93.9% | 95.3% | 95.0% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$50,384 | Up 4.3% | \$49,245 | \$48,193 |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 0.0% | No Change | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Professional development days/teacher | 9.7 days | Up from 7.6 days | 10.5 days | 11.0 days |
| School | | | | |
| Principal's years at school | 9.0 | Up from 8.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | 22.8 to 1 | Down from 23.0 to 1 | 20.9 to 1 | 20.1 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | 89.8% | Up from 89.5% | 90.8% | 90.0% |
| Opportunities in the arts | Good | No Change | Good | Good |
| SACS accreditation | Yes | No Change | Yes | Yes |
| Parents attending conferences | 100.0% | Up from 99.5% | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Character development program | Good | Down from Excellent | Excellent | Excellent |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$5,535 | Up 3.8% | \$7,001 | \$7,364 |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 68.0% | Down from 68.8% | 69.0% | 68.0% |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 67.0% | Down from 68.3% | 67.0% | 66.0% |
| ESEA composite index score | 91.7 | Down from 92.1 | 92.5 | 88.0 |

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

| | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned | 50 | 172 | 112 |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment | 82% | 86% | 87.5% |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 96% | 86% | 91.8% |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations | 96% | 90.6% | 82.9% |

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

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2012/2013 school year was one of continued improvement for Mauldin Elementary School. We were pleased to open the year with an "A" report card rating under the new federal accountability system for Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). We were also very pleased with our state report card ratings of "Good" for an absolute rating and "Good" for improvement. These ratings are based on our students' academic performance and earned MES a Palmetto Silver Award for overall achievement. These ratings once again confirm the great work we are doing to improve student academic performance each year.

During the school year our teachers continued implementation of Learning Focused best practices in classroom instruction. We also maintained our reading intervention program for kindergarten, first and second grade students, and once again included some third graders. We expanded our inclusion model for students with special needs and now serve qualifying students in grades two through five, ensuring their participation in the regular education curriculum. With the help of volunteers across our faculty and staff we further expanded our tutoring programs, providing some direct instruction along with the use of computer based programs.

We continued to work with our parent leadership and community to implement programs to address the total health and welfare needs of our students. As a part of the Coordinated Approach to Child Health (CATCH), we fully implemented the Culinary Creations healthy menu in our cafeteria, and completed a walking track on our lower field. We also continued with the Closet for Hope that provides donated clothing for families in need and the Back Pack program which provides students with meals on weekends and holidays.

Our school does face challenges that are brought on by necessary adjustments as the state transitions to the common core instructional standards. In addition, we are making the transition to a new balanced literacy curriculum that has been adopted by the district. However, both have long term benefits and have been embraced by our faculty. Even though we continue to face challenges with the resources available to us, we have been able to maintain our curriculum initiatives, as well as non-instructional initiatives that support the total school program.

During the school year we sent teams from our faculty to a number of different high performing schools in order to obtain fresh ideas on how to improve upon our own practice. In April our Faculty Council met as a final part of this process to synthesize what we learned and reach consensus on the most important changes to consider for the 2013/2014 year. We also updated our school improvement plan and made preparations for accreditation, as did all schools in the district. This combination of activities helped establish fresh goals for continued improvement and afforded us the opportunity to adjust strategies to reach those goals. We look to the coming years with a renewed focus on continuing improvements in student learning.

Michael J. Parker, Principal □ Craig Clayton, SIC Chair

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