



Berkeley County Middle College High School

1001 South Live Oak Drive
Moncks Corner, SC 29461

Grades	11-12 High School	
Enrollment	93 Students	
Principal	Claire M. Freeman	843-899-8111
Superintendent	Dr. Rodney Thompson	843-899-8600
Board Chair	Doug Cooper	843-819-3320

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2013 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD



RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2013	N/A	N/A
2012	N/A	N/A
2011	N/A	N/A
2010	N/A	N/A
2009	N/A	N/A

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

SOUTH CAROLINA 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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ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
28	4	0	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 12/14/2013.

High School Assessment Program (HSAP) Exam Passage Rate: Second Year Students

Percent	Our High School			High Schools with Students Like Ours		
	2011	2012	2013	2011	2012	2013
Passed 2 subtests (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.5%	75.8%	85.5%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	18.0%	14.7%	9.6%
Passed no subtests (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	12.5%	11.7%	5.4%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013

Percent	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
	N/A	94.4%

Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012*	2013	2012	2013
Number of Students in Four-Year Cohort	67	44	261	347
Number of Graduates in Cohort	62	43	180	277
Rate	92.5%	97.7%	73.0%	80.1%

*Used to calculate current ESEA/Federal Accountability Grade.

Five-Year Graduation Rate

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
Number of Students in Cohort	26	66	270	343
Number of Graduates in Cohort	26	62	194	280
Rate	100.0%	93.9%	75.5%	82.5%

End of Course Tests

Percent of tests with scores of 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours*
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	.	78.3%
English 1	.	75.8%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	100.0%	82.0%
US History and the Constitution	88.2%	66.2%
All Tests	88.5%	75.5%

* High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

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School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=93)				
Retention rate	0.0%	No Change	2.7%	2.9%
Attendance rate	97.1%	Down from 97.3%	95.1%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/A	N/A	24.2%	17.5%
With disabilities	2.2%	N/A	10.9%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	0.0%	N/A	6.3%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	1.2%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.0%	No Change	22.4%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	54.0%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	30.2%	Up from 23.0%	34.0%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	Down from 1.1%	2.5%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	N/A	N/A	8.4%	7.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	58	Up from 11	793	418
Students participating in work-based experiences	N/A	N/A	15.2%	14.6%
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	96.4%	Up from 45.5%	85.2%	84.8%
Career/technology completers placed	N/A	N/A	98.4%	98.3%
Teachers (n=4)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	25.0%	No Change	66.7%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	75.0%	No Change	80.3%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	N/A	N/A	88.1%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	98.0%	Up from 95.4%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	I/S	I/S	\$50,212	\$48,699
Professional development days/teacher	13.6 days	Up from 10.0 days	11.5 days	9.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	23.3 to 1	Up from 22.8 to 1	28.7 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	94.3%	Up from 92.2%	88.6%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,307	Down 30.0%	\$7,331	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	53.0%	Up from 40.1%	60.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.0%	Down from 71.3%	62.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	Up from Poor	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	97.6%	97.7%
Character development program	Below Average	Down from Average	Good	Good
Modern language program assessment	N/A	N/A	N/A	11.0
Classical language program assessment	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.0

* Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

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Performance By Student Groups

	HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013		End of Course Tests Passage Rate		On-time Graduation Rate, 2013	
	n	%	t	%	n	%
All Students	N/A	N/A	52	88.5%	44	97.7%
Gender						
Male	N/A	N/A	22	95.5%	15	100.0%
Female	N/A	N/A	30	83.3%	29	96.6%
Racial/Ethnic Group						
White	N/A	N/A	39	92.3%	30	100.0%
African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disability Status						
Disabled	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Migrant Status						
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency						
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socio-Economic Status						
Subsidized meals	N/A	N/A	21	90.5%	19	94.7%

NOTE: n=number of students on which percentage is calculated; t=number of tests taken.

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Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

The Berkeley County Middle College High School is a school choice option partnership between Berkeley County School District and Trident Technical College. We provide a personalized learning community for students who want to accelerate toward fulfillment of college and career goals, and for groups of students underrepresented in postsecondary education.

As the only magnet high school in Berkeley County School District, the Middle College has successfully completed its third year. Our student body increased from 91 students in year two to 93 students in year three. Two of our seniors received Associate Degrees from the college on May 3, nearly a full month prior to receiving their high school diplomas.

Our students collectively attempted 434 dual credit college courses with a success rate (A, B or C) of 92.4%. Our US History EOC scores are among the highest in the district. The Class of 2013 earned a total of \$617,760.00 in academic scholarships and grants. Our students participated in the Quest academic competition and Storm the Citadel. Our Response to Intervention program was a tremendous success in supporting our students as they achieved a 100% pass rate in all high school courses. We look forward to expanding our intervention strategies to include a peer tutoring program and are preparing to develop a new and improved work-based learning initiative for the 2013-14 academic year.

We are located on the Berkeley Campus of Trident Technical College and serve students from the district's seven comprehensive high schools. Our partnership blends high school and college courses to provide students with rigorous academic pathways, comprehensive guidance support and job shadowing, as well as multiple opportunities each week for academic tutoring and advisement. Our faculty completed its first year of professional development in the Common Core State Standards

At Berkeley County Middle College High School, it continues to be our joy to help students begin their transitions into higher education and bright futures.

Claire Mason Freeman, Principal
Alex Sturgill, SIC Chairperson

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	5	44	29
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100%	97.7%	100%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100%	95.3%	96.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100%	92.8%	93.3%

* Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included.

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ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2013, the South Carolina Department of Education was granted a waiver from several accountability requirements of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This waiver allowed SC to replace the former pass/fail system with one that utilizes more of the statewide assessments already in place and combine these subject area results with graduation rate (in high schools) to determine if each school met the target or made progress toward the target. This analysis results in a letter grade for the school rather than the pass/fail system of previous years. For a detailed review of the matrix for each school and districts that determined the letter grade, please use the following link: <http://ed.sc.gov/data/esea/> or request this information from your child's district or school.

Overall Weighted Points Total	N/A
Overall Grade Conversion	I

Index Score	Grade	Description
90-100	A	Performance substantially exceeds the state's expectations.
80-89.9	B	Performance exceeds the state's expectations.
70-79.9	C	Performance meets the state's expectations.
60-69.9	D	Performance does not meet the state's expectations.
Less than 60	F	Performance is substantially below the state's expectations

Accountability Indicator for Title I Schools

Berkeley County Middle College High School school has been designated as a:

- Title I Reward School for Performance - among the highest performing Title I schools in a given year.
- Title I Reward School for Progress – one of the schools with substantial progress in student subgroups.
- Title I Focus School – one of the schools with the highest average performance gap between subgroups.
- Title I Priority School – one of the 5% lowest performing Title I schools.
- Title I School – does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
- Non-Title I School – therefore the designations above are not applicable.

Teacher Quality Data

	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.2%	2.3%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.2%	4.9%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes

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Two-Year HSAP Trend Data

	School Year	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Below Basic	% Basic	% Proficient	% Advanced	School % Proficient or Advanced*
English/Language Arts								
All Students	2012	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics								
All Students	2012	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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