



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Wade Hampton High School (G)  
 GREENVILLE COUNTY  
 Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 1,604  
 Principal: C. Lance Radford  
 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
2014	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2013	Excellent	Excellent	GOLD	N/A	A	N/A
2012	Excellent	Excellent	GOLD	N/A	A	N/A

### ABSOLUTE RATING OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
14	2	0	0	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

### HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
Passed 2 subtests (%)	89.6%	85.0%	86.2%	83.7%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	6.4%	7.9%	9.1%	10.5%
Passed no subtests (%)	4.0%	7.1%	4.6%	5.8%

### HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2014

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	97.0%	95.3%

### ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	389	354
Number of diplomas	363	302
Rate (%)	93.3%	85.3%

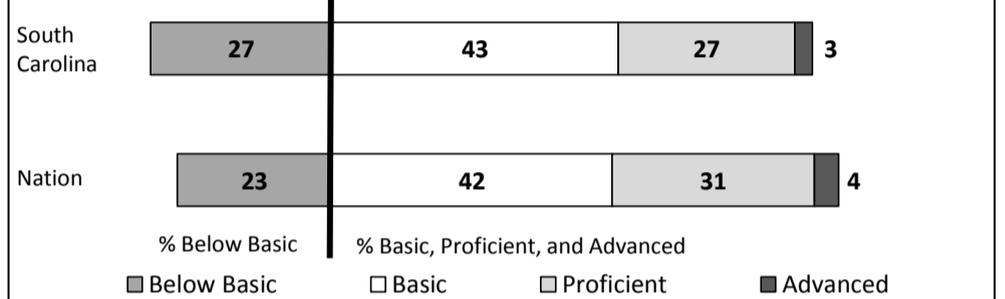
### END OF COURSE TESTS - 2014

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	93.6%	85.6%
English 1	83.3%	76.1%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	90.6%	86.8%
US History and the Constitution	82.4%	70.5%
All Tests	87.7%	80.6%

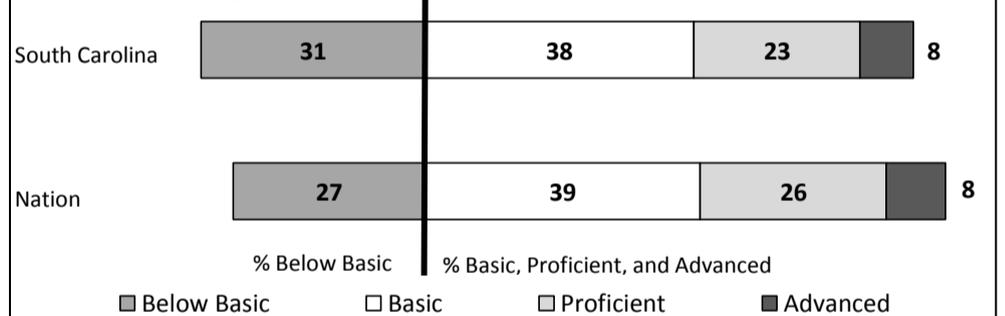
### NAEP\*

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

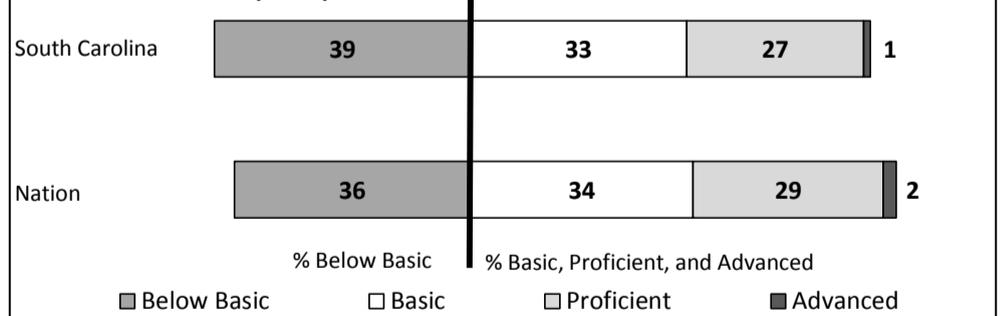
#### READING - GRADE 8 (2013)



#### MATH - GRADE 8 (2013)



#### SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2011)



### 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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**SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
<b>Students (n = 1,604)</b>				
Retention Rate	0.9%	Down from 1.3%	2.2%	3.0%
Attendance Rate	96.0%	Up from 94.5%	96.2%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	42.0%	Down from 42.5%	26.1%	17.7%
With disabilities	9.6%	No change	9.5%	11.5%
Older than usual for grade	3.8%	Down from 3.9%	6.1%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	1.7%	Up from 0.7%	1.0%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	79.0%	Up from 40.4%	28.9%	15.4%
Successful on AP/IB exams	50.8%	Up from 41.0%	60.1%	52.8%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	32.0%	Down from 36.0%	31.9%	30.6%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	2.2%	Up from 0	10.1%	5.3%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	498	Down from 530	742	423
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	83.1%	Down from 86.9%	85.5%	84.5%
Annual dropout rate	1.1%	Down from 2.2%	2.1%	2.1%
<b>Teachers (n = 84)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	59.5%	Up from 59.3%	63.9%	64.3%
Continuing contract teachers	73.8%	Down from 79.1%	77.9%	77.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	90.9%	Up from 88.3%	86.0%	85.5%
Teacher attendance rate	95.1%	Up from 93.9%	95.4%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,489	Down 0.4%	\$48,754	\$48,414
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	Down from 1.1%	1.0%	3.0%
Professional development days/teacher	15.4 days	Up from 11.0 days	8.3 days	10.0 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	9.0	Up from 8.0	6.5	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	29.5 to 1	Down from 30.3 to 1	28.1 to 1	26.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.0%	Up from 87.5%	90.3%	90.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$5,792	Up 7.4%	\$6,821	\$8,238
Percent expenditures for teacher salaries**	59.6%	Up from 59.0%	59.2%	56.9%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	60.5%	Up from 60.0%	60.2%	58.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	90.2%	Down from 98.8%	98.2%	98.7%
Character development program	Below Average	Down from Good	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	94.2	Up from 92.0	91.2	84.1

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\*Prior year audited financial data available.

**EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	80	299	72
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	81.3%	88.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	86.3%	86.3%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	98.7%	84.2%	77.0%

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

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**REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL**

Continuing the tradition of excellence, Wade Hampton High School closed the 2013-2014 school year with an impressive collection of monikers. Beginning with Federal Accountability (the ESEA Waiver), WHHS again achieved the grade of "A", and notably it was the only "A" among the 14 regular Greenville County High Schools. The absolute rating of "Excellent" on the State Report Card for the fifth year in a row was heightened by a growth rating of "Excellent" for the second consecutive year. Wade Hampton was recognized by the SC Department of Education as a Palmetto Gold Winner for the fifth time in as many years. Additionally, Wade Hampton was recognized for the eighth time by Newsweek and for the third time by US News and World Report magazines as one of America's Best High Schools. Such distinctions, however, can only be fully appreciated in the students that we serve: Wade Hampton graduated 369 students in 2014 among whom included 118 LIFE and 23 Palmetto Fellows scholarship winners. The class included 7 National Merit Finalists, 3 National Merit Winners, 5 Teaching Fellows and received over \$12,000,000 in scholarship offers! The General's student body is led by an extremely talented team of faculty and administrators whose accolades throughout the year have added to the already impressive list of accomplishments. For the second year in a row, we had one finalist in the Greenville County Teacher of the Year selection process. Our students, led by an award winning student council, exemplify what it means to be a General. Collectively we raised over \$190,000 for The Frazee Dream Center during Spirit Week. While we enjoy the accolades bestowed upon us, we work diligently to establish new goals to guide us in the direction of excellence for all members of the Wade Hampton High School family. Cum audacia!

C. Lance Radford, Principal  
K. Strickland, SIC Chairperson

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