



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Honea Path Elementary

Anderson 2

Grades: PK-4

Enrollment: 582

Principal: Mark Robertson

Superintendent: Mr. Thomas T. Chapman

Board Chair: Mrs. Brenda Cooley

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD/SILVER AWARD	AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
2008	Average	At-Risk	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2007	Good	At-Risk	N/A	Met	N/A
2006	Good	Below Average	N/A	Met	N/A

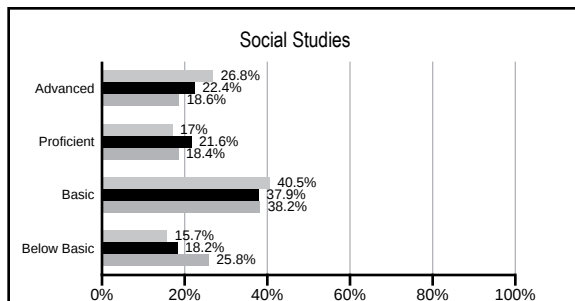
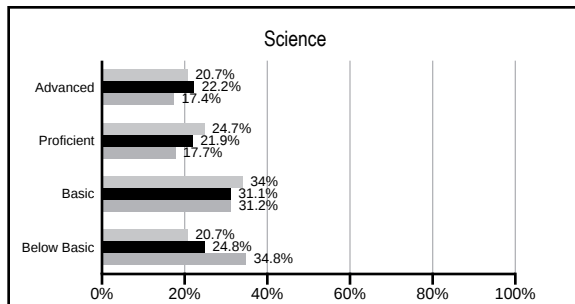
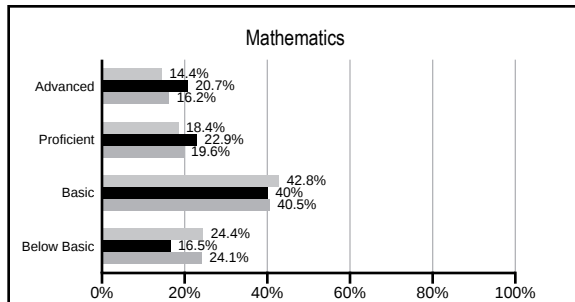
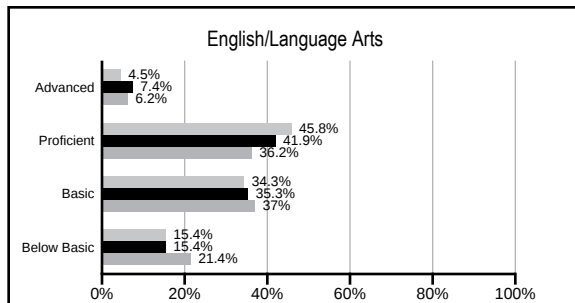
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
1	29	58	4	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 02/17/2009. Schools with Students like Ours are Elementary Schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PACT 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 GOAL

2010 Goal:

By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

2020 Goal: TBD

Abbreviations Key

N/A Not Applicable N/AV Not Available N/C Not Collected N/R Not Reported I/S Insufficient Sample TBD To be determined
NI Newly Identified CSI Continuing School Improvement CA Corrective Action RP Plan to Restructure R Restructure DELAY School Improvement Status HOLD School Improvement Status

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=582)				
Retention rate	4.4%	Up from 3.6%	2.1%	2.3%
Attendance rate	96.1%	No Change	96.4%	96.3%
Eligible for gifted and talented	10.4%	Up from 10.2%	14.1%	10.4%
With disabilities other than speech	8.8%	Up from 6.9%	7.0%	7.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent &/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=35)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	45.7%	Down from 47.1%	56.1%	56.7%
Continuing contract teachers	85.7%	Down from 91.2%	78.9%	77.3%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	92.3%	No Change	88.8%	86.4%
Teacher attendance rate	93.4%	Down from 99.5%	94.9%	94.9%
Average teacher salary	\$45,264	Up 5.6%	\$45,891	\$45,345
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	Down from 2.4%	0.0%	0.0%
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.9 to 1	Up from 22.2 to 1	19.3 to 1	18.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.1%	Down from 95.3%	90.2%	89.8%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil*	\$5,782	Down 9.8%	\$6,387	\$7,052
Percent of expenditures for instruction*	74.8%	Up from 69.6%	69.8%	69.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries*	63.1%	Up from 61.4%	65.5%	64.2%
% of AYP objectives met	92.3%		92.3%	85.7%

* Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	32	98	86
Percent satisfied with learning environment	90.6%	88.8%	87.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	84.4%	77.3%	80.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	87.5%	80.6%	73.3%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

HPE had a wonderful 2007-2008 school year! We have the best teachers and students, have great test scores, and we take great pride in being a community of learners. Students continue to come first at HPE!

We had a number of significant achievements at HPE this year. They are as follows: became an Exemplary Writing School 2006-2009; recognized by the State Department of Education for the sixth year in a row for Closing the Achievement Gap; had a 4th grade Chorus; continued to have Business Partners for each homeroom; had a highly successful Career Day; celebrated 3rd Annual Author's Tea; earned 40,000+ Accelerated Reader Points (a new school record); Quarterly Awards Day to recognize student achievement (Gr. 1-4); monthly Birthday Breakfast Celebrations; school received a 28 Mobile Laptop Station through a grant and district financing; 17 promethean and visual presenters are in the classrooms; Grits for Grandparents, Moms, and Dads Day were huge successes; Mrs. Karin Kelly was our 2007-2008 Teacher of the Year; Merit Academy/Afterschool Program; School-Wide Responsibility Program established; and Mentors for students.

It has been a year of accomplishment at HPE! Our school community is committed to providing an educational environment for our students that is exciting, standards-based, innovative, safe, and nurturing. We are proud to be a community of learners, and we provide an education that is second to none.

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Kathy Graham, SIC Chairman

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