



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Lake View Middle

Dillon 1

Grades: 5-7

Enrollment: 218

Principal: Van T. Gaffney, Sr.

Superintendent: Stephen Laird

Board Chair: Earl Gleason, Jr.

PERFORMANCE

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

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT

0

GOOD

0

AVERAGE

1

BELOW AVERAGE

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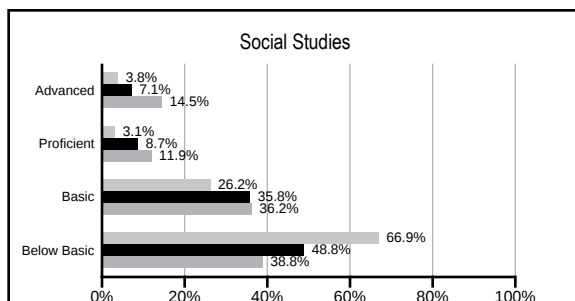
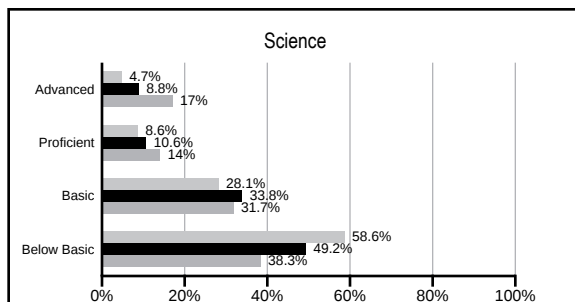
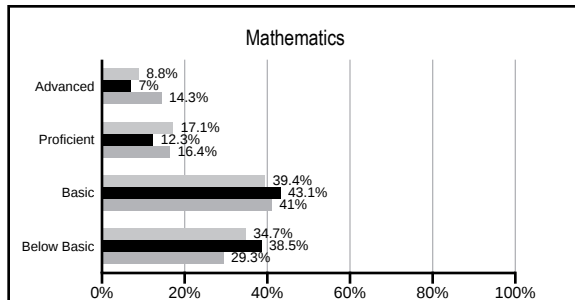
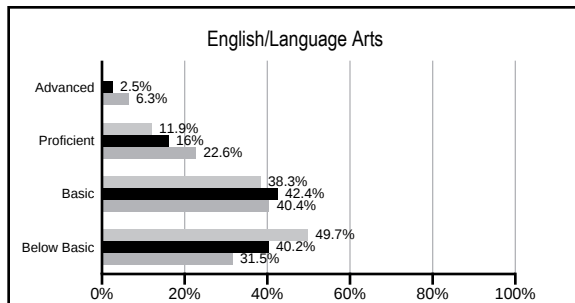
AT-RISK

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* Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/02/2009. Schools with Students like Ours are Middle Schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PACT PERFORMANCE

Our School Middle Schools with Students Like Ours Middle schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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

READING - GRADE 8 (2007)

South Carolina	31	44	23	2
Nation	27	43	27	2
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced Below Basic Basic Proficient Advanced				

MATH - GRADE 8 (2007)

South Carolina	29	39	24	7
Nation	30	39	24	7
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced Below Basic Basic Proficient Advanced				

SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2005)

South Carolina	46	31	21	2
Nation	43	30	24	3
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced Below Basic Basic Proficient Advanced				

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2008

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	0%	91.8%
English 1	0%	90.9%
Physical Science	0%	10.5%
All Subjects	0%	89.2%

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

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=218)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	0.0%	No Change	12.5%	19.4%
Retention rate	5.4%	Up from 2.0%	2.9%	1.8%
Attendance rate	96.8%	Down from 97.1%	95.1%	95.8%
Eligible for gifted and talented	4.8%	Down from 6.1%	10.2%	15.3%
With disabilities other than speech	18.8%	Up from 11.7%	14.0%	12.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent &/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.6%	0.7%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=14)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	21.4%	No Change	53.4%	55.0%
Continuing contract teachers	57.1%	Down from 64.3%	58.7%	70.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	18.2%	Up from 10.0%	13.0%	5.4%
Teachers returning from previous year	83.3%	Up from 80.6%	78.9%	83.4%
Teacher attendance rate	94.8%	No Change	94.9%	94.9%
Average teacher salary	\$37,249	Up 4.0%	\$44,195	\$44,706
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	3.9%	2.9%
School				
Principal's years at school	9.0	Up from 8.0	2.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	17.0 to 1	Down from 19.6 to 1	18.3 to 1	20.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.4%	Down from 88.5%	88.5%	89.3%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	No	No Change	Yes	Yes
Character development program	Below Average	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil*	\$8,065	Up 6.4%	\$7,604	\$7,097
Percent of expenditures for instruction*	50.5%	Down from 51.5%	64.1%	64.4%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries*	45.9%	Down from 46.8%	59.0%	59.4%
% of AYP objectives met	57.1%		57.1%	69.0%

* Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	11	65	57
Percent satisfied with learning environment	54.5%	64.6%	67.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	45.5%	64.6%	55.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	18.2%	84.6%	58.9%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Lake View Middle incorporates grades, five, six, and seven. We believe our entire school had a positive and productive year during 2007-2008. Lake View Middle has implemented a number of programs, plans and activities in order to improve PACT readiness and scores.

Our students were involved in many activities that benefited them and the community. One such service-learning project was the Pennies for Patients fundraiser. Activities were conducted to raise money for cancer research. Participating in St. Jude Math-a-thon, students were able to improve math skills and raise money for St. Jude Hospital, which treats seriously ill children at no charge. We also participated in the March of Dimes programs.

Our Academic Challenge team participated in many competitions with area schools. Their performance was a credit to our school and community. We implemented MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) focus groups to help with individualized instruction.

Forty-two of our 200 students were enrolled in the after-school programs this year. This program provided additional instruction, which enabled students to perform better in the classroom.

Our Family Night Program was very successful. Using standards-based instruction, our students and parents completed a beautiful mural of the school. These activities and programs have helped create a better atmosphere and successful programs for the parents and students.

At Lake View Middle, we continuously strive to create a climate of academic excellence for our students. No Excuses, Striving for Excellence.

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