

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Children's Attention Home
Rock Hill

Grades: K-8

Enrollment: 17

Principal: Deana R Peterson

Superintendent: Dr. Lynn P. Moody

Board Chair: Bob Norwood

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2009	Below Average	At-Risk	TBD	TBD	Not Met	NI
2008	At-Risk	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2007	At-Risk	Excellent	Silver	N/A	Not Met	N/A

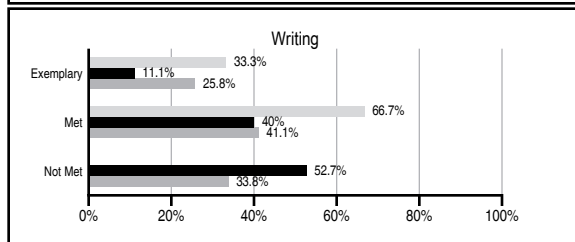
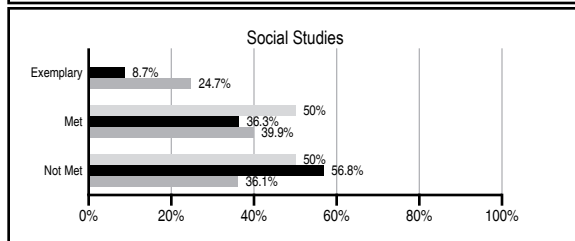
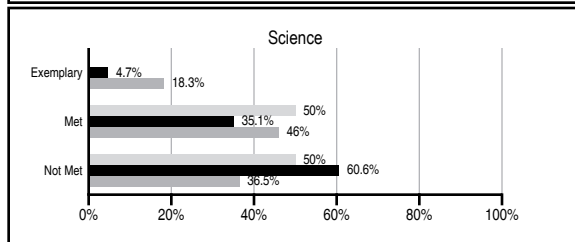
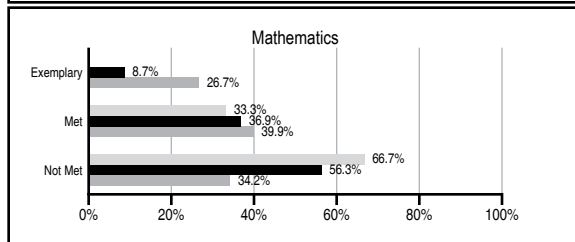
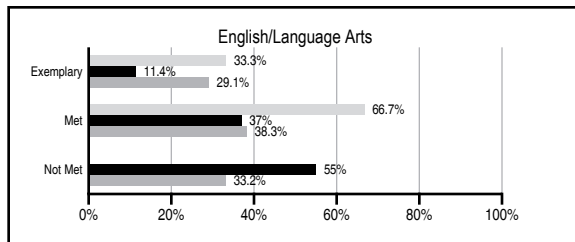
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	0	1	13	16

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 06/01/2010. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS 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
Nation	27	43	27
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced			
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient

MATH - GRADE 8 (2007)			
South Carolina	29	39	24
Nation	30	39	24
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced			
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient

SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2005)			
South Carolina	46	31	21
Nation	43	30	24
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced			
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2009

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	N/A	80.7
English 1	N/A	82.4
Physical Science	N/A	41.2
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	N/A	79.4

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 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	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=17)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	0.0%	No Change	17.0%	21.6%
Retention rate	0.0%	No Change	1.7%	1.2%
Attendance rate	99.2%	Up from 99.1%	95.6%	95.9%
Eligible for gifted and talented	0.0%	N/A	1.3%	14.8%
With disabilities other than speech	31.8%	Up from 20.0%	12.9%	12.6%
Older than usual for grade	6.3%	Up from 0.0%	3.7%	2.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.3%	0.6%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=3)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	0.0%	No Change	54.5%	56.9%
Continuing contract teachers	0.0%	Down from 100.0%	56.3%	72.7%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	N/A	N/A	16.3%	5.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	N/A	N/A	73.9%	82.9%
Teacher attendance rate	95.6%	Up from 92.5%	94.5%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	I/S	I/S	\$44,417	\$46,599
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	7.8%	2.4%
Professional development days/teacher	5.0 days	Down from 7.6 days	10.2 days	10.8 days
School				
Principal's years at school	0.0	Down from 1.0	2.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	8.5 to 1	Up from 6.6 to 1	15.4 to 1	20.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	94.6%	Up from 90.8%	89.3%	89.9%
Opportunities in the arts	Poor	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	Up from No	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	17.5%	N/R	96.4%	97.8%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Excellent	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	N/A	N/A	\$10,479	\$7,645
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	N/A	N/A	59.8%	63.4%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	N/A	N/A	53.2%	57.0%
% of AYP objectives met	80.0%	Up from 40.0%	84.6%	90.5%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	3	12	5
Percent satisfied with learning environment	I/S	75.0%	I/S
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	I/S	91.7%	I/S
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	I/S	80.0%	I/S

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The purpose of the Children's Attention Home Charter School is to provide individualized educational services to children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse, neglect, and/or abandonment and placed at the Children's Attention Home Emergency Shelter.

The teachers at the CAH Charter School receive special training provided by the Children's Home to deal with the social and emotional needs of the children. They also participate in professional development provided by the Rock Hill School District. All teachers participated in the South Carolina Charter Schools' Association April, 2009 three-day conference in Charleston.

During the 2008-09 school year, the Charter School Board made a decision to increase the school from 2 classrooms to 3 classrooms. With the assistance of funds raised by our association with Family Trust Credit Union and The Festival Golf Tournament, that goal will be realized for the 2009-10 school year. The Charter School will have a K-2 classroom, a grades 3-5 classroom, and a new grades 6-8 classroom.

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