

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

DREHER HIGH
Richland 1
Grades: 9-12 **Enrollment: 1,176**
Principal: Jeanne Stiglbauer
Superintendent: Dr. Percy A. Mack
Board Chair: Vince Ford

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		
2010	Excellent	Below Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2009	Good	Below Average	N/A	Silver	Not Met	N/A
2008	Good	Below Average	N/A	Silver	Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
3	16	7	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/24/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

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

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2009	2010	2009	2010
Passed 2 subtests (%)	74.6%	83.5%	78.5%	80.2%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	16.1%	7.5%	12.2%	11.6%
Passed no subtests (%)	9.4%	9.0%	9.3%	8.6%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2010

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	93.2%	92.3%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

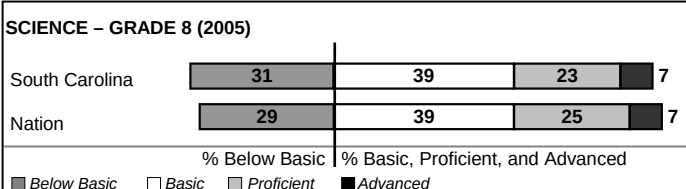
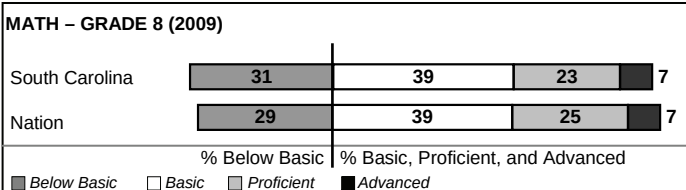
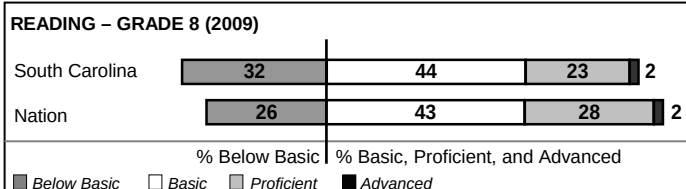
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	295	406
Number of Diplomas	235	302
Rate (%)	79.7%	73.0%

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2010

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	68.1	78.2
English 1	73.2	72.9
Physical Science	61.9	64.6
US History and the Constitution	59.6	51.4
All Tests	65.5	66.7

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 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
Students (n=1,176)				
Retention rate	3.7%	Down from 5.1%	2.8%	3.7%
Attendance rate	96.5%	Up from 95.7%	95.5%	95.4%
Eligible for gifted and talented	23.8%	Up from 17.4%	15.5%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	12.4%	Up from 11.2%	12.1%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	7.7%	No Change	7.6%	9.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	1.3%	No Change	1.4%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	65.9%	Up from 35.1%	18.7%	13.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	72.5%	Down from 81.6%	62.8%	50.4%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	35.1%	Down from 35.4%	30.8%	30.4%
Annual dropout rate	2.9%	Down from 3.4%	2.9%	3.1%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	2.3%	Down from 3.2%	1.3%	2.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	468	Down from 561	681	424
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	68.6%	Down from 77.4%	78.4%	78.7%
Teachers (n=71)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	80.3%	Up from 79.2%	61.7%	60.4%
Continuing contract teachers	77.5%	Up from 65.3%	78.6%	76.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	4.7%	Down from 6.2%	4.5%	6.5%
Teachers returning from previous year	89.1%	Up from 85.1%	88.4%	86.8%
Teacher attendance rate	95.2%	Down from 96.1%	95.8%	95.8%
Average teacher salary*	\$54,864	Up 2.7%	\$48,602	\$47,390
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.8%	Down from 1.3%	0.8%	2.8%
Professional development days/teacher	12.0 days	Up from 11.4 days	9.5 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	9.0	Up from 8.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	26.2 to 1	Down from 26.4 to 1	28.6 to 1	25.8 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.1%	Up from 91.0%	90.8%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,020	Up 2.2%	\$7,091	\$7,974
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	62.3%	Down from 63.7%	56.2%	55.4%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	69.0%	Down from 69.9%	61.5%	60.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	99.2%	Up from 87.5%	93.9%	96.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	88.2%	Up from 76.5%	73.7%	69.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	55	91	63
Percent satisfied with learning environment	76.4%	77.8%	91.8%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	87.3%	77.8%	87.1%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	76.4%	87.9%	88.7%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Dreher High School continued its proud tradition of excellence in academics and the arts in the 2009-2010 school years. We were proud to again be named by Newsweek Magazine as "One of America's Top High Schools." The school was again a Palmetto Silver Award winner and was recognized by the South Carolina State Department of Education for outstanding gains on the SAT. We strengthened our partnership with the High Schools That Work network and the federal Smaller Learning Communities grant program by expanding our literacy and advisor/advisee programs. Our dedicated staff included sixteen National Board Certified teachers and the district Teacher and Classified Employees of the Year.

The Class of 2010 received over sixteen million dollars in scholarship offerings. Dreher produced 3 National Merit Finalist, 1 National Merit Semi-finalist, 2 National Merit Achievement Semi-finalists, 12 College Board AP Scholars with Distinction, 7 AP Scholars with Honors, 6 AP Scholars, and a National Scholar. Eight seniors achieved a perfect score on an SAT section. Fourteen received the state Academic Achievement Honors Award diploma, and 18 were named as Palmetto Fellows. Among the selective colleges to which our seniors were accepted are Duke, Yale, Tulane, Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, University of North Carolina, Vassar, Bard, Wake Forest, Davidson, William and Mary and the honors colleges of our state universities. Our athletes won multiple regional titles. Collegiate opportunities were earned in football, track, golf, baseball and soccer. One of our track stars repeated as state champion in two events and will represent the U.S. in the International Youth Olympics in Singapore. Our Academic Decathlon team repeated as state champions, our younger math team placed first in the state and third in the region at the College of Charleston Math Meet. Our NJROTC program was named as the best in our district. One junior was named as a prestigious Princeton University Leadership Enterprise for a Diverse America Scholar.

Our arts program had a banner year. The band earned the highest ratings in a decade. One member was named to the MENC National Honor Band and the McDonald All-American High School Band. We have a member of the National Youth Choir. Arts students earned scholarships in drama, dance, choral and instrumental music. Our artistic productions are annual community highlights and included "Les Miserables," "Midsummer's Night Dream," and "The Nutcracker."

Our commitment to community, included the growth of service learning classes where each student planned and implemented an individual contribution to the community, a Haitian Relief fund, MS Walk fundraiser, Families Helping Families fund, Harvest Hope, children's book drive, Invisible Children's chapter, United Way fundraiser, National Honor Society tutorial services, and many other initiatives.

The Dreher staff remains committed to maintaining partnerships with our parents and community to provide all students with a learning environment that enriches academic, artistic vocational and personal growth. We continue our quest for excellence.

Ariana Derrick, SIC Chairperson

Jeanne F. Stiglbauer, Principal

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