

## DORCHESTER COUNTY CAREER & TECHNOLOGY

507 School House Rd  
Dorchester, SC 29437

<b>Grades</b>	10-12 Career Center	
<b>Enrollment</b>	736 Students	
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# THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2011 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

## RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
<b>2011</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Good</b>
2010	Below Average	Below Average
2009	Below Average	At-Risk
2008	Excellent	Excellent
2007	Excellent	Good

## DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

## SOUTH CAROLINA 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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**ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF CAREER CENTERS\***

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
17	14	3	4	1

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/18/2011.

**School Profile**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Median Career Center
<b>Students (n=736)</b>			
With disabilities other than speech	7.6%	Down from 12.4%	8.2%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	13.5%	Up from 10.7%	21.6%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	736	Up from 643	608
Students participating in work-based experiences	10.6%	Up from 4.4%	16.2%
<b>Teachers (n=23)</b>			
Teachers with advanced degrees	4.3%	Up from 3.6%	23.8%
Continuing contract teachers	73.9%	Up from 60.7%	76.5%
Teachers returning from previous year	83.5%	Down from 90.9%	90.8%
Teacher attendance rate	N/R	N/R	95.4%
Average teacher salary*	\$41,513	Down 5.5%	\$46,840
Professional development days/teacher	5.0 days	Down from 13.7 days	10.9 days
<b>School</b>			
Director's years at Center	7.0	Up from 6.0	6.0
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,357	Down 29.5%	\$3,211
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	39.6%	Up from 33.4%	58.4%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	45.0%	Up from 39.0%	66.9%
Parents attending conferences	57.7%	Down from 96.9%	79.8%
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes

\* Includes current year teachers contracted for 185 or more days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data are reported.

**Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	24	145	41
Percent satisfied with learning environment	95.8%	91.0%	82.5%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	93.7%	75.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	83.3%	87.2%	75.6%

\* Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

N/A–Not Applicable N/AV–Not Available N/C–Not Collected N/R–Not Reported I/S–Insufficient Sample

**Performance By Student Groups**

	Technical Skill Attainment			Graduation Rate			Placement Rate		
	This Center		State Center Average %	This Center		State Center Average %	This Center		State Center Average %
	n	%		n	%		n	%	
<b>All Students</b>	359	80.8%	87.6%	147	87.8%	94.7%	372	96.0%	96.3%
<b>Students with Disabilities on Diploma Track</b>	53	58.5%	75.9%	21	52.4%	70.3%	23	87.0%	95.6%
<b>Gender</b>									
Male	243	76.5%	84.8%	89	84.3%	93.6%	189	96.3%	96.5%
Female	116	89.7%	90.9%	58	93.1%	95.9%	183	95.6%	96.2%
<b>Racial/Ethnic Group</b>									
White	196	100.0%	100.0%	79	100.0%	100.0%	192	97.9%	96.8%
African American	159	100.0%	100.0%	63	100.0%	100.0%	164	93.3%	95.6%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3	I/S	100.0%	2	I/S	100.0%	6	100.0%	97.5%
Hispanic	6	100.0%	100.0%	2	I/S	100.0%	5	100.0%	96.1%
American Indian/Alaskan	3	I/S	100.0%	1	I/S	93.1%	2	I/S	88.0%
<b>Migrant Status</b>									
Migrant	0	N/A	50.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
<b>English Proficiency</b>									
Limited English Proficient	4	I/S	85.1%	1	I/S	93.7%	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
<b>Socio-Economic Status</b>									
Subsidized meals	357	80.7%	87.6%	146	88.4%	94.8%	145	93.8%	95.0%

\* n = number of students on which percentage is calculated.

**Definitions of Performance Rating Terms**

- \* Technical Skill Attainment --- The percentage of students enrolled in career and technology courses at the center who earn a 2.0 or above on the final course grade.
- \* Graduation Rate --- The percentage of 12th grade career and technology students who graduate in the spring.
- \* Placement Rate --- The percentage of career and technology completers available for placement over a 3-year period who are actually placed in postsecondary instruction, military services, or employment.

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No Child Left Behind

School Adequate Yearly Progress

YES

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