



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Anderson 1 School District
Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 9,247
Superintendent: Dr. Wayne Fowler
Board Chair: Mr. Fred Alexander

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		
2011	Excellent	Good	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Excellent	Excellent	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2009	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
1	3	0	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. Districts with Students Like Ours are Districts with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

PASS

PASS	2011 Reading	2011 Math	2011 Science	2011 Social Studies	2011 Writing
	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above
District	85.4%	84.2%	85.2%	84.9%	82.5%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	78.4%	77.7%	73.8%	78.0%	77.3%
Average District	74.3%	73.6%	69.0%	73.0%	73.1%

PASS	2011 Reading	2011 Math	2011 Science	2011 Social Studies	2011 Writing
	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary
District	52.3%	43.7%	39.6%	48.4%	43.2%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	45.2%	40.1%	26.7%	38.8%	38.6%
Average District	40.4%	35.5%	23.3%	33.3%	33.7%

HSAP

HSAP: 2nd Year Students	Passed 2 Subtests (%)	Passed 1 Subtest (%)	Passed No Subtests (%)
District	90.5%	5.3%	4.2%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	84.7%	9.1%	6.2%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2011 (%)

District	96.2%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	93.5%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	76.1%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	74.5%

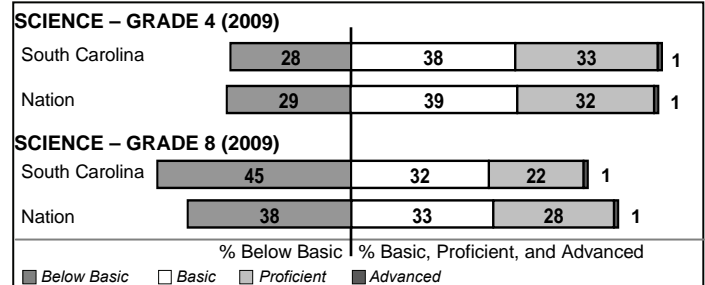
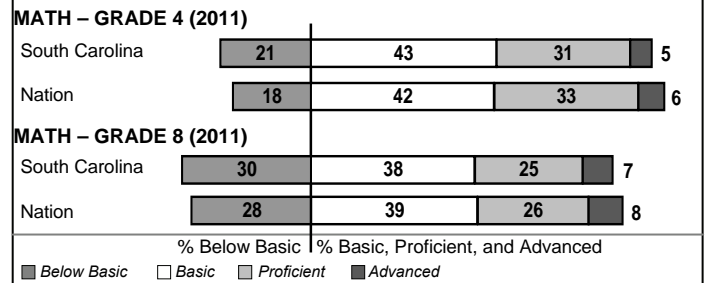
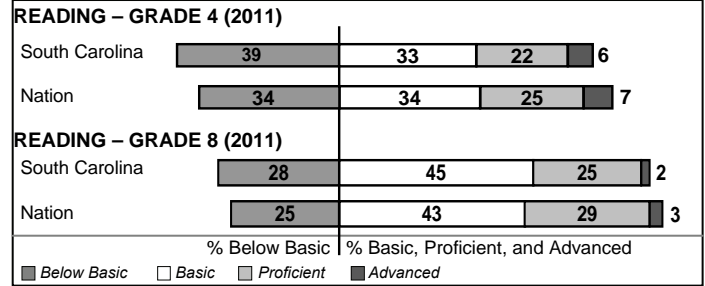
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	82.4%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	76.3%

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NAEP*

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



SC 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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DISTRICT PROFILE

	Our District	Change from Last Year	Districts with Students Like Ours	Median District
Students (n=9,247)				
Retention rate	1.2%	Up from 1.1%	1.4%	2.3%
Attendance rate	95.7%	Down from 95.8%	95.6%	95.8%
Served by gifted and talented program	22.1%	Up from 19.7%	20.1%	14.0%
With disabilities other than speech	6.1%	Down from 8.9%	6.0%	7.4%
Older than usual for grade	1.3%	Down from 1.6%	2.0%	3.0%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.1%	No Change	1.2%	0.5%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	11.2%	Down from 12.5%	25.5%	12.2%
Successful on AP/IB exams	59.8%	Up from 50.0%	60.0%	52.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	46.7%	Up from 39.9%	37.5%	30.3%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	201	Up from 91	247	66
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	84	Up from 63	153	35
Annual dropout rate	1.3%	Down from 2.2%	2.7%	2.8%
Teachers (n=514)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	62.5%	Up from 59.1%	61.4%	61.2%
Continuing contract teachers	89.7%	Up from 85.7%	86.2%	85.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	92.6%	Up from 91.5%	91.4%	90.3%
Teacher attendance rate	95.7%	Up from 95.3%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,475	Down 2.1%	\$46,450	\$46,166
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.0%	No Change	0.1%	0.0%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	1.1%	Up from 0.4%	1.1%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	7.4 days	Down from 7.7 days	10.8 days	12.2 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	7.0	Up from 6.0	7.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.8 to 1	Down from 23.5 to 1	23.5 to 1	21.7 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.8%	Down from 90.9%	90.6%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,997	Down 2.6%	\$7,726	\$9,140
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	57.2%	Down from 57.7%	55.7%	53.5%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	60.5%	Down from 60.6%	58.6%	56.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Number of schools	13	No Change	24	9
Portable classrooms	2.4%	Down from 3.6%	4.1%	1.4%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	13.0	No Change	23.0	8.0
Parents attending conferences	98.0%	Down from 99.7%	97.8%	96.6%
Average administrator salary	\$79,879	Down 4.5%	\$79,396	\$78,000
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	1	0
% of AYP objectives met	93.9%		94.3%	93.1%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES STUDENT PERFORMANCE

	PASS	HSAP	End-of-Course Tests
Passage Rate	I/S	N/A	N/A

CHARTER SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT

School Name	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating	Adequate Yearly Progress
There are no charter schools in this district.			

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Anderson School District One just completed an exceptional school year for 2010. The state Report Card Absolute Rating was Excellent. The district proudly recognized Powdersville Elementary as a National Blue Ribbon School, Wren High as Carolina First Palmetto's Finest School, Palmetto Middle earned the re-designation of National School to Watch and Cedar Grove Elementary was named a Title I Distinguished School finalist. Test scores for all grades and subjects were among the best in the state. Ten schools were recognized by the SCDE for Gold/Silver Awards for exceptional student performance on state assessments and three schools earned awards for Closing the Achievement Gap. The district building program continued which has resulted in updates to five elementary schools, three middle schools, two high schools and the completion of Powdersville High School, slated to open August 2011. Numerous teachers and students received local, state and national recognition for their accomplishments. The district received national accreditation and was designated as Highly Functional by the AdvancEd Quality Assurance Review Team. Anderson One maintains its tradition of excellence. Dr. Wayne Fowler, Superintendent

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