



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Georgetown School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 9,747
 Superintendent: Dr. H. Randall Dozier
 Board Chair: Mr. Jim Dumm

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	Good	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CA
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CA
2009	Below Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CA

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
2	7	11	2	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	71.3%	72.9%	63.4%	70.4%	68.1%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	74.2%	73.7%	68.5%	72.1%	72.5%
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	36.0%	32.8%	18.2%	29.7%	28.0%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	39.6%	34.8%	22.1%	31.3%	32.6%
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	74.6%	15.1%	10.4%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	78.3%	12.6%	9.2%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2011 (%)

District	91.6%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	92.1%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	61.9%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	64.7%

On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	83.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	77.7%

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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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Georgetown School District

DISTRICT PROFILE

	Our District	Change from Last Year	Districts with Students Like Ours	Median District
Students (n=9,747)				
Retention rate	2.9%	Up from 2.4%	2.0%	2.3%
Attendance rate	96.1%	Up from 95.4%	95.9%	95.8%
Served by gifted and talented program	20.0%	Up from 19.6%	17.2%	14.0%
With disabilities other than speech	6.9%	Down from 9.6%	8.0%	7.4%
Older than usual for grade	3.4%	Down from 4.5%	2.7%	3.0%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.4%	Down from 0.5%	0.4%	0.5%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	39.8%	Up from 31.1%	13.8%	12.2%
Successful on AP/IB exams	44.2%	Down from 44.7%	49.2%	52.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	32.2%	Up from 31.1%	37.6%	30.3%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	181	Down from 200	88	66
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	53	Down from 54	45	35
Annual dropout rate	1.9%	Down from 2.1%	3.0%	2.8%
Teachers (n=695)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	62.9%	Up from 60.2%	61.9%	61.2%
Continuing contract teachers	80.4%	Down from 81.8%	88.3%	85.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	91.2%	Up from 91.0%	91.4%	90.3%
Teacher attendance rate	94.1%	Down from 95.4%	95.2%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,165	Down 0.4%	\$47,107	\$46,166
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.0%	Down from 0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.9%	Up from 2.0%	1.3%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	14.6 days	Up from 13.1 days	12.2 days	12.2 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	7.0	Up from 6.0	3.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	17.7 to 1	Down from 18.7 to 1	20.8 to 1	21.7 to 1
Prime instructional time	88.5%	Down from 89.3%	89.9%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$9,546	Down 3.3%	\$9,233	\$9,140
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	54.1%	Up from 54.0%	54.8%	53.5%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	56.5%	Up from 56.3%	57.9%	56.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Number of schools	18	No Change	12	9
Portable classrooms	0.5%	Up from 0.4%	1.1%	1.4%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	18.0	No Change	12.0	8.0
Parents attending conferences	95.9%	Up from 94.6%	96.4%	96.6%
Average administrator salary	\$79,767	Down 1.5%	\$75,809	\$78,000
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	0	0
% of AYP objectives met	93.1%		93.1%	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	N/A	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

The 2010-2011 school year has been a very successful year for Georgetown County School District. We are very proud of the progress we made this year. This progress is the result of hard work and extra efforts made by our students, parents, teachers and our community working together to provide the best possible education for all our students. For the 2010-2011 school year, Georgetown County School District experienced a successful academic year with 14 of 18 schools meeting AYP. Our school district also has four "Palmetto Gold Award" winners (Waccamaw High School, Waccamaw Middle School, Waccamaw Intermediate School, and Waccamaw Elementary School). Georgetown County has three "Palmetto Silver Award" winners (Browns Ferry Elementary School, Sampit Elementary School, and Plantersville Elementary School). Our school district also has won "Closing the Achievement Gap Award" at three schools (Plantersville Elementary School, Sampit Elementary School, and Waccamaw Intermediate School). Georgetown County School District continues to work on several long-range plans, including improving our facilities and our technology used for instruction. We know it is vital to have quality, inviting, aesthetically appealing places for learning to take place. You will see a number of our schools receiving modifications and updates. This year you will see more laptops, notebooks, and white boards put into place. You will also continue to see updates regarding security and attempts to make our schools the safest place they can be in today's world. Georgetown County School District has placed a high priority on professional development for all employees to improve the overall operation of all facets of our programs. Professional personnel and classified staff have been provided many opportunities to expand their knowledge and attain life goals. All of these opportunities have supported student growth and reaching higher expectations which are part of the mission and strategic plan of the school district. Thank you for all you do to support our schools and students. We are extremely proud of our business partnerships and support from the community. We look forward to next year and more success stories for Georgetown County School District. Please stop by and visit our schools and see the good things that are happening.

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