



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Spartanburg 5 School District School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 7,695
 Superintendent: Dr. Scott Turner
 Board Chair: Mr. Steve Brockman

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Excellent	Excellent	N/A	N/A	A	N/A
2011	Good	Good	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CDI
2010	Good	Excellent	N/A	N/A	Not Met	NI

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
6	6	1	0	1

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. 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	2012 Reading	2012 Math	2012 Science	2012 Social Studies	2012 Writing
	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above
District	79.7%	80.1%	78.0%	80.4%	82.0%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	77.4%	76.7%	74.9%	77.5%	76.2%
Average District	74.9%	74.3%	72.1%	74.8%	74.0%

PASS	2012 Reading	2012 Math	2012 Science	2012 Social Studies	2012 Writing
	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary
District	49.5%	44.2%	28.6%	41.3%	46.7%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	46.1%	39.0%	27.0%	38.0%	40.2%
Average District	42.7%	36.3%	24.8%	34.6%	37.3%

HSAP

HSAP: 2nd Year Students	Passed 2 Subtests (%)	Passed 1 Subtest (%)	Passed No Subtests (%)
District	81.0%	10.8%	8.2%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	80.8%	11.9%	7.3%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2012 (%)

District	94.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	92.1%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	80.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	75.2%

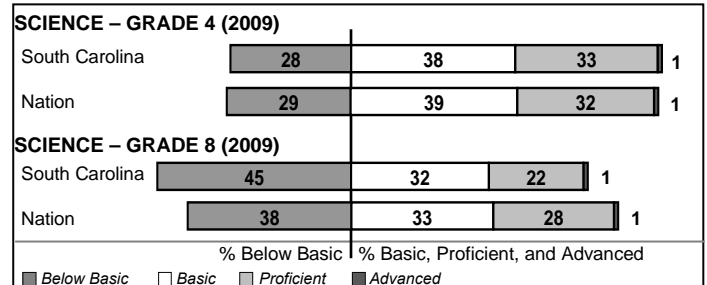
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	81.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	74.2%

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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=7,695)				
Retention rate	1.4%	Down from 1.5%	1.7%	2.0%
Attendance rate	96.5%	Up from 96.1%	96.0%	96.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.3%	No Change	0.5%	0.6%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	16.5%	Down from 20.4%	20.7%	13.5%
Successful on AP/IB exams	73.4%	No Change	49.1%	49.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	55.4%	No Change	37.5%	30.3%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	56	Down from 106	110	59
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	39	Down from 64	74	31
Annual dropout rate	2.8%	Down from 3.1%	3.0%	2.7%
Teachers (n=524)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	70.4%	Up from 70.2%	62.8%	62.4%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	95.4%	Up from 93.3%	92.5%	91.1%
Teacher attendance rate	94.9%	Down from 95.4%	95.2%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$50,031	Up 3.1%	\$47,331	\$46,595
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.0%	No Change	0.1%	0.1%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	1.4%	2.1%
Professional development days/teacher	11.4 days	Up from 8.9 days	11.7 days	12.4 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	8.0	Up from 7.0	5.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.2 to 1	Up from 21.0 to 1	22.7 to 1	21.7 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.9%	Down from 90.6%	89.9%	89.9%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,862	Down 0.2%	\$8,189	\$8,866
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	59.6%	Up from 58.8%	56.4%	53.1%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.4%	Up from 61.8%	58.9%	55.9%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Number of schools	12	No Change	18	9
Portable classrooms	0.0%	No Change	1.3%	1.4%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	12.0	Up from 11.0	16.0	8.0
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 90.1%	100.0%	99.5%
Average administrator salary	\$81,394	Up 4.2%	\$80,157	\$77,744
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	0	0
ESEA composite index score	91.7	N/A	89.1	85.6

* 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	ESEA Grade
There are no charter schools in this district.			

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Spartanburg District Five is an exemplary educational system by any measure. The efforts our students, parents, teachers, administrators, community members, and members of our Board of Trustees have resulted in exceptional accomplishments in every aspect of our mission.

During the 2011 school year District Five met 94% of the academic objectives set by the federal accountability system. Simply stated, this means our students are achieving well beyond the levels established by federal and state accountability requirements.

The district's on-time graduation rate continued to improve along with improved achievement on end of course exams in algebra, English, science, and U.S. History. The percent of students passing the high school exit exam improved for the third consecutive year. The level of achievement also increased in reading, math, science, and writing for students in grades 3 through 8 as measured by the state's annual PASS assessment.

As our state continues to struggle with providing the financial resources to support a 21st century educational experience for students, District Five continues to advance in all areas of our mission to prepare students to be successful in college and careers.

Thankfully, District Five continues to enjoy the benefits of enormous family and community support. We appreciate your commitment to our schools and the children of our community.

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