



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Flat Rock Elementary School  
 Anderson County School District Three  
 Grades: PK-5 Enrollment: 383  
 Principal: Carolyn H. Brown  
 Superintendent: Gail Southard  
 Board Chair: Curtis Wiles

## 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	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2011	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Met	N/A

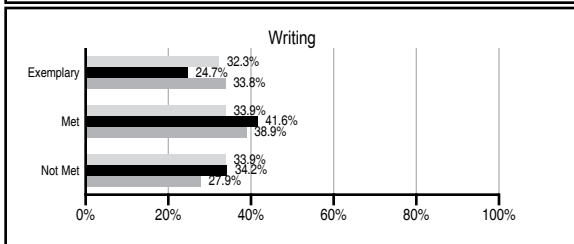
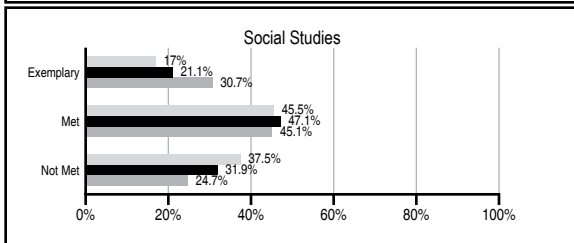
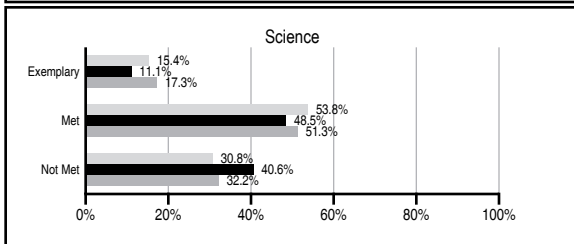
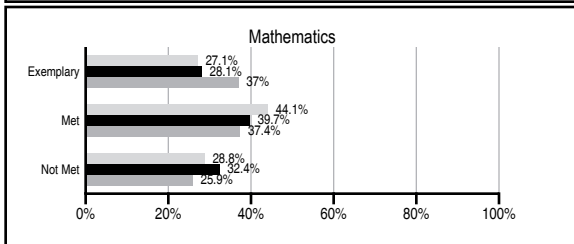
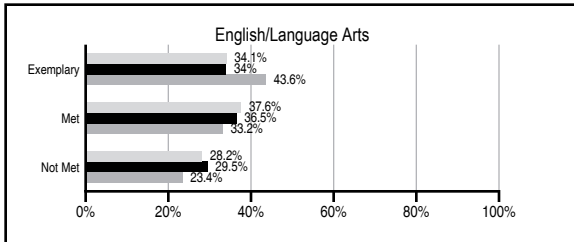
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
9	19	94	21	5

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School  
 Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours  
 Elementary schools statewide



## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* 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.*

### Abbreviations Key

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**[Anderson County School District Three]**

**SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
<b>Students (n=383)</b>				
Retention rate	1.8%	Up from 1.0%	1.3%	1.0%
Attendance rate	96.1%	Down from 96.3%	96.3%	96.6%
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	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=26)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	65.4%	Up from 64.3%	60.9%	63.0%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	88.3%	N/A	87.9%	88.7%
Teacher attendance rate	93.8%	Down from 94.0%	94.9%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$45,134	Up 1.0%	\$46,105	\$47,210
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	33.0 days	Up from 24.9 days	10.7 days	10.5 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	18.5 to 1	Up from 17.6 to 1	19.2 to 1	20.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.0%	Down from 89.7%	90.0%	90.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	98.5%	Down from 100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,307	Down 7.6%	\$7,559	\$7,247
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	65.1%	Down from 66.0%	67.3%	68.2%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	61.4%	Down from 62.2%	63.8%	65.7%
ESEA composite index score	94.6	N/A	88.4	91.9

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

**EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	29	66	62
Percent satisfied with learning environment	96.6%	90.9%	79.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	89.2%	85.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	93.1%	87.7%	85.5%

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

**REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL**

Flat Rock Elementary School welcomed our students, staff, and community for the 2011-2012 school year to the theme of "Saddle Up With Success."

Our math instruction was delivered with increased math time and supported through the "Study Island" math computer program. Our Reading curriculum was delivered through a balanced literacy approach with an emphasis on individual reading and writing. The progress of our students was monitored through our MAP benchmarks. Character education was emphasized with our Core Essentials program. Our students were recognized for success through our Terrific Kid program, attendance, AR celebrations, and honor roll recognition. Our community outreach program focused on recycling projects that were integrated with writing and creative projects. Partnerships with the YMCA, Girl and Boy Scouts, Good News Organization, and school PTO supported our students.

Our focus will continue to embrace and challenge every student every day.

Carolyn Brown, Principal  
 Hannah Vernon, School Improvement Council Chairman

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