

## Mauldin Middle School

1190 Holland Road

Simpsonville, SC 29681

**Grades** 6-8 Middle School

**Enrollment** 1,198 Students

**Principal** Rosia D. Gardner 864-355-6770

**Superintendent** Mr. Burke Royster 864-355-3100

**Board Chair** Mr. Roger Meek 864-233-8587

# THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2012 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

### RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
<b>2012</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Excellent</b>
2011	Good	Good
2010	Good	Good
2009	Average	Average
2008	Average	Below Average

### 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.

<http://ed.sc.gov>

<http://www.eoc.sc.gov>

## Percent of Student PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

Percent of students tested in 2011-12 whose 2010-11 test scores were located

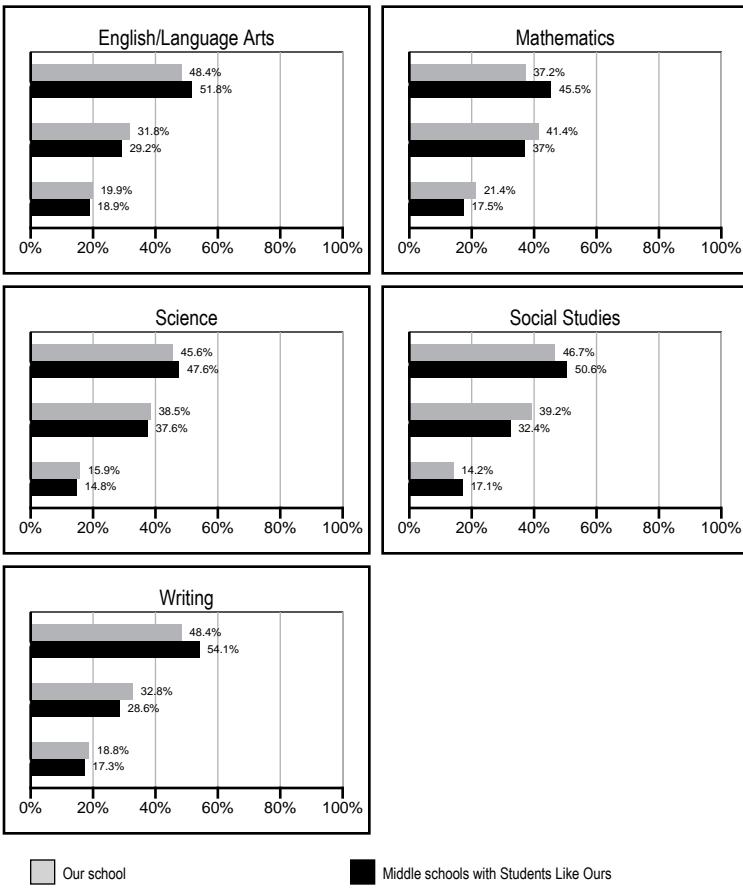
96.6%

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

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
7	0	0	0	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012.

## Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)



\* Middle schools with Students Like Ours are middle schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

## Definition of Critical Terms

Exemplary	"Exemplary" means the student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.
Met	"Met" means the student met the grade level standard.
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.

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## End of Course Tests

Percent of tests with scores of 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0%	99.6%
English 1	99.0%	99.6%
Physical Science	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	99.6%	99.6%

## School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
<b>Students (n=1,198)</b>				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	41.7%	Down from 50.7%	49.0%	22.9%
Retention rate	2.0%	Up from 0.9%	0.0%	0.8%
Attendance rate	97.2%	Up from 97.1%	96.8%	96.2%
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	0.8%	No Change	0.7%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=62)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	71.0%	Up from 69.5%	71.0%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	93.7%	No Change	87.3%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	95.7%	Up from 95.3%	95.7%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,304	Up 0.6%	\$48,584	\$46,422
Professional development days/teacher	6.9 days	Up from 6.8 days	8.6 days	10.0 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	13.0	Up from 12.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	25.5 to 1	Down from 26.0 to 1	24.6 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	92.4%	Down from 92.6%	91.5%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.3%	Down from 100.0%	99.6%	98.8%
Character development program	Good	No Change	Excellent	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$5,509	Down 4.4%	\$6,309	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	66.4%	Up from 66.0%	63.7%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	65.8%	Up from 65.1%	63.1%	60.9%

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

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

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## Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

Mauldin Middle School has been in existence for thirteen years. Our numerous accomplishments have been made through the conscious efforts of our teachers, students, parents, administrators and community members. We continue to closely analyze our test scores in order to maximize our staff development strategies and increase the number of students meeting or exceeding the state standard on the Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS). Our teachers are Highly Qualified as defined by the No Child Left Behind Act, and twenty-two of our teachers are National Board Certified Teachers. The school motto of "Expect the Best!" encourages all of our students to strive for their best grades, excellent behavior and impressive attendance. Mauldin Middle School was named a Red Carpet School twice due to our family friendly environment and outstanding customer service. The Mauldin Mustangs, our collective athletic, academic and performing groups, continue to distinguish themselves in district, state and national competitions. In conjunction with our school PTA, each student is given multiple opportunities to enhance his or her self-awareness through Beta Club, Sandlapper Club, Science Club, Student Council, Service Learning Corps, Step Team, Band, Strings, Chorus, as well as our athletic and academic teams. The extraordinary performance of "Aladdin" by our drama students capped off the academic year. Our PTA, School Improvement Council, Band and Athletic Booster Clubs have joined our business partners, including Publix, Arby's, Chic-Fil-A and Sam's Wholesale Club, to provide both teachers and students with additional resources and assistance in the successes we have enjoyed this year. Our school staff worked diligently as our school and district achieved international recognition as a high quality school system when awarded National Accreditation for AdvanceED Worldwide, a distinguished mark of quality for the school system, its schools, students, teachers, and community. Each staff member contributed suggestions and strategies to develop our Strategic Plan as we addressed each goal of the Greenville County Schools' Education Plan. We are proud of what we have accomplished in each of our thirteen years and we look forward to being a leader in middle school education for many years to come.

Rosia Gardner – Principal  
Tracy Dixon- SIC Chair

## Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	58	365	118
Percent satisfied with learning environment	91.4%	69.6%	78.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	93.1%	74.0%	77.1%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	98.3%	83.9%	73.3%

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

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## ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2012, the South Carolina Department of Education was granted a waiver from several accountability requirements of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This waiver allowed SC to replace the former pass/fail system with one that utilizes more of the statewide assessments already in place and combine these subject area results with graduation rate (in high schools) to determine if each school met the target or made progress toward the target. This analysis results in a letter grade for the school rather than the pass/fail system of previous years. For a detailed review of the matrix for each school and districts that determined the letter grade, please use the following link: <http://ed.sc.gov/data/esea/> or request this information from your child's district or school.

Overall Weighted Points Total	93.9
Overall Grade Conversion	A

Index Score	Grade	Description
90-100	A	Performance substantially exceeds the state's expectations.
80-89.9	B	Performance exceeds the state's expectations.
70-79.9	C	Performance meets the state's expectations.
60-69.9	D	Performance does not meet the state's expectations.
Less than 60	F	Performance is substantially below the state's expectations

## Accountability Indicator for Title I Schools

Mauldin Middle School school has been designated as a:

- Title I Reward School for Performance - among the highest performing Title I schools in a given year.
- Title I Reward School for Progress – one of the schools with substantial progress in student subgroups.
- Title I Focus School – one of the schools with the highest average performance gap between subgroups.
- Title I Priority School – one of the 5% lowest performing Title I schools.
- Title I School – does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
- Non-Title I School – therefore the designations above are not applicable.

## Teacher Quality and Student Attendance

	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.1%	2.6%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	3.2%	5.1%
	Our School	State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%
Student attendance rate	97.2%	94.0%*

\* Or greater than last year

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## Performance By Group

Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Social Studies Mean	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested
<b>Grades 6-8</b>						
All Students	659.8	653.3	654.8	651.2	99.9	99.9
Male	657.2	656.2	655.6	660.3	99.8	99.8
Female	662.4	650.5	654.1	643.0	100.0	100.0
White	667.8	661.6	662.9	656.8	100.0	100.0
African American	638.4	628.4	633.3	633.3	99.6	99.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	667.9	678.1	671.4	666.3	100.0	100.0
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	100.0	100.0
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disabled	593.1	589.3	593.4	597.6	99.0	99.0
Limited English Proficient	638.3	642.3	630.0	641.9	100.0	100.0
Subsidized meals	638.1	629.9	631.9	628.1	99.7	99.7
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	624.0	624.0	624.0	624.0	95.0	95.0

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## PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
<b>English/Language Arts</b>							
2011	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	399	100	18.9	37.3	43.8	81.1
	7	397	100	20.1	31.1	48.8	79.9
	8	371	100	26.1	31.9	42	73.9
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	408	100	17.7	29.8	52.4	82.3
	7	395	100	17.3	33.8	49	82.7
	8	388	99.7	24.4	31.3	44.3	75.6
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	399	100	25.5	39.9	34.6	74.5
2011	7	397	100	21.4	37.7	40.9	78.6
	8	371	100	26.1	45.1	28.9	73.9
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	408	100	15.9	40.4	43.7	84.1
	7	395	100	21.7	40.3	38	78.3
	8	388	99.7	26.5	43.5	30	73.5
<b>Mathematics</b>							
2012	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	399	100	25.5	39.9	34.6	74.5
	7	397	100	21.4	37.7	40.9	78.6
	8	371	100	26.1	45.1	28.9	73.9
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2011	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	408	100	15.9	40.4	43.7	84.1
	7	395	100	21.7	40.3	38	78.3
	8	388	99.7	26.5	43.5	30	73.5
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	197	100	33.5	54.3	12.2	66.5
2012	7	397	100	17.4	41.1	41.6	82.6
	8	186	100	20.9	26.6	52.5	79.1
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	202	100	21.9	51	27	78.1
	7	395	100	11.5	37.1	51.4	88.5
	8	198	99	18.1	28.5	53.4	81.9

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## PASS Performance By Grade Level

	Grade	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Not Met	% Met	% Exemplary	% Met or Exemplary
<b>Social Studies</b>							
2011	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	203	100	20.4	49	30.6	79.6
	7	397	100	23.9	31.1	45	76.1
	8	185	100	23.3	42.8	33.9	76.7
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	207	99.5	9.7	48.7	41.5	90.3
	7	394	100	13.6	38.4	48	86.4
	8	190	99	19.7	31.1	49.2	80.3
<b>Writing</b>							
2011	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	368	99.7	21.6	37	41.5	78.4
	3	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2012	5	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	6	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	389	99	18.6	32.9	48.5	81.4

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