



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Florence 4 School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 743
 Superintendent: Andre Boyd
 Board Chair: Richard Hodges

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 |
| 2013 | Below Average | Good | N/A | N/A | F | N/A |
| 2012 | At-Risk | At-Risk | N/A | N/A | F | N/A |
| 2011 | Average | Below Average | N/A | N/A | Not Met | CDI |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 1 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 1 |

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 01/16/2014. 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 | 2013 Reading | 2013 Math | 2013 Science | 2013 Social Studies | 2013 Writing |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| | % Met or above | % Met or above | % Met or above | % Met or above | % Met or above |
| District | 42.8% | 31.9% | 37.4% | 38.7% | 40.9% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 61.3% | 55.3% | 50.8% | 58.3% | 59.3% |
| Average District | 76.9% | 73.4% | 73.0% | 75.7% | 74.5% |

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|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary | % Exemplary |
| District | 13.5% | 3.9% | 3.0% | 4.6% | 8.6% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 23.7% | 17.5% | 8.9% | 17.0% | 18.1% |
| Average District | 41.7% | 35.6% | 23.9% | 36.9% | 33.8% |

HSAP

| HSAP: 2nd Year Students | Passed 2 Subtests (%) | Passed 1 Subtest (%) | Passed No Subtests (%) |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| District | 62.0% | 20.0% | 18.0% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 65.6% | 18.7% | 15.7% |

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013 (%)

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| District | 85.5% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 87.0% |

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

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| District | 42.4% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 53.9% |

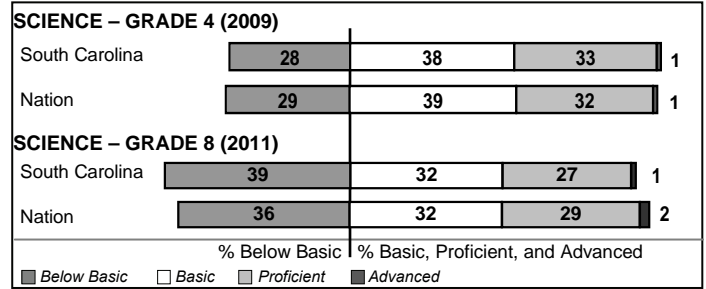
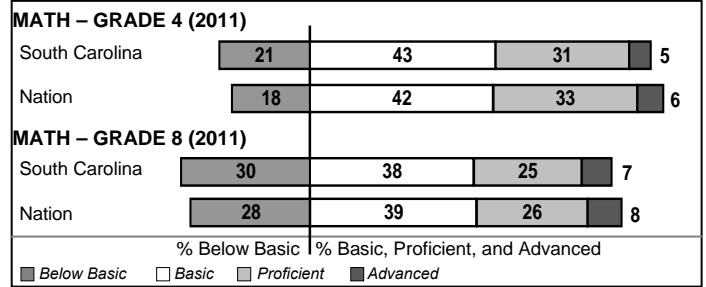
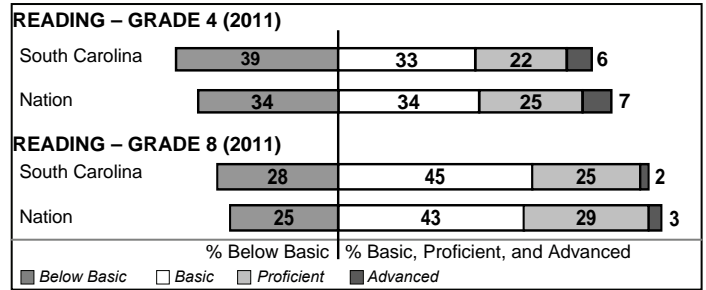
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

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|-------------------------------------|-------|
| District | 70.8% |
| Districts with Students Like Ours** | 76.2% |

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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.

Abbreviations Key

N/A Not Applicable N/AV Not Available N/C Not Collected N/R Not Reported I/S Insufficient Sample TBD To be determined

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DISTRICT PROFILE

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

| | Our District | Change from Last Year | Districts with Students Like Ours | Median District |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Students (n=743) | | | | |
| Retention rate | 4.6% | Up from 3.6% | 2.5% | 1.9% |
| Attendance rate | 96.9% | Up from 95.1% | 95.8% | 95.8% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | 0.0% | N/A | 5.6% | 12.0% |
| With disabilities | 11.7% | N/A | 13.0% | 12.7% |
| Older than usual for grade | 8.3% | N/A | 6.5% | 4.8% |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | N/R | N/R | 0.7% | 0.7% |
| Enrolled in AP/IB programs | N/R | N/R | 4.4% | 14.0% |
| Successful on AP/IB exams | N/A | N/A | 43.3% | 50.5% |
| Eligible for LIFE Scholarship | N/R | N/R | 27.3% | 31.8% |
| Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs | 1 | Down from 2 | 16 | 50 |
| Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs | 1 | Down from 2 | 14 | 37 |
| Annual dropout rate | 1.4% | Up from 0.0% | 1.9% | 2.3% |
| Teachers (n=44) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 56.8% | Down from 62.7% | 59.7% | 61.4% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 75.0% | Down from 78.4% | 71.8% | 80.0% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 74.8% | Down from 75.1% | 85.8% | 90.4% |
| Teacher attendance rate | N/R | N/R | 95.1% | 94.8% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$42,733 | Down 4.9% | \$43,967 | \$47,587 |
| Vacancies for more than nine weeks | N/R | N/R | 1.2% | 0.2% |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 64.1% | Up from 56.4% | 3.4% | 1.8% |
| Professional development days/teacher | N/R | N/R | 9.7 days | 10.3 days |
| District | | | | |
| Superintendent's years at district | N/R | N/R | 3.0 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | N/R | N/R | 20.9 to 1 | 22.2 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | N/R | N/R | 89.3% | 89.4% |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$8,128 | Down 15.6% | \$10,224 | \$9,101 |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 52.0% | Up from 48.2% | 48.0% | 52.0% |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 54.0% | Up from 50.2% | 51.0% | 56.0% |
| Opportunities in the arts | N/R | N/R | Excellent | Excellent |
| Number of schools | 3 | No Change | 6 | 11 |
| Portable classrooms | N/R | N/R | 1.1% | 0.9% |
| Number of schools with SACS accreditation | N/R | N/R | 5.0 | 10.0 |
| Parents attending conferences | N/R | N/R | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Average administrator salary | \$69,317 | Down 3.4% | \$75,136 | \$79,389 |
| Number of charter schools | 0 | No Change | 0 | 0 |
| ESEA composite index score | 47.0 | Down from 49.3 | 59.9 | 81.0 |

* 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. | | | |

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NI Newly Identified CDI Continuing District Improvement CA Corrective Action RP Plan to Restructure R Restructure DELAY District Improvement Status HOLD District Improvement Status