



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Spartanburg 5 School District
 Grades: PK-12 Enrollment: 7,534
 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
2013	Excellent	Excellent	N/A	N/A	A	N/A
2012	Excellent	Excellent	N/A	N/A	A	N/A
2011	Good	Good	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CDI

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
7	5	0	0	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	79.4%	79.4%	78.7%	78.6%	79.9%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	79.1%	75.6%	75.3%	78.2%	77.2%
Average District	76.9%	73.4%	73.0%	75.7%	74.5%

PASS	2013 Reading	2013 Math	2013 Science	2013 Social Studies	2013 Writing
	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary
District	45.4%	42.2%	27.1%	39.8%	39.3%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	44.8%	38.4%	25.6%	39.7%	37.5%
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	87.0%	8.3%	4.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	84.6%	9.9%	5.5%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013 (%)

District	93.8%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	91.9%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	80.7%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	76.8%

On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	81.6%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	76.0%

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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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Spartanburg 5 School District

DISTRICT PROFILE

	Our District	Change from Last Year	Districts with Students Like Ours	Median District
Students (n=7,534)				
Retention rate	0.7%	Down from 1.4%	1.4%	1.9%
Attendance rate	96.1%	Down from 96.5%	95.8%	95.8%
Served by gifted and talented program	19.4%	N/A	17.5%	12.0%
With disabilities	10.0%	N/A	11.5%	12.7%
Older than usual for grade	2.7%	N/A	3.7%	4.8%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.4%	Up from 0.3%	0.7%	0.7%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	22.4%	Up from 16.5%	23.0%	14.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	66.2%	Down from 73.4%	47.7%	50.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	60.7%	Up from 55.4%	39.3%	31.8%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	41	Down from 56	104	50
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	41	Up from 39	98	37
Annual dropout rate	2.4%	Down from 2.8%	2.9%	2.3%
Teachers (n=531)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	70.2%	Down from 70.6%	63.1%	61.4%
Continuing contract teachers	80.6%	Down from 83.8%	79.7%	80.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	94.5%	Down from 95.4%	91.4%	90.4%
Teacher attendance rate	94.2%	Down from 94.9%	94.9%	94.8%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,239	Up 2.4%	\$49,413	\$47,587
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.2%	Up from 0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.9%	Up from 0.0%	1.8%	1.8%
Professional development days/teacher	8.3 days	Down from 11.4 days	10.8 days	10.3 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	9.0	Up from 8.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	20.9 to 1	Down from 21.2 to 1	22.6 to 1	22.2 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.1%	Down from 89.9%	89.6%	89.4%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$9,001	Up 1.6%	\$8,737	\$9,101
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	59.0%	Down from 59.6%	56.0%	52.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.0%	Down from 62.4%	59.0%	56.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Number of schools	12	No Change	26	11
Portable classrooms	0.0%	No Change	1.6%	0.9%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	11.0	Down from 12.0	19.0	10.0
Parents attending conferences	91.7%	Down from 100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Average administrator salary	\$81,973	Up 0.7%	\$80,868	\$79,389
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	1	0
ESEA composite index score	90.6	Down from 91.7	85.8	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.			

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

Spartanburg School District Five has continued its path of excellence during the 2012-2013 School Year. The efforts of our students, parents, teachers, school leaders, community members, and members of our Board of Trustees have resulted in an extraordinary year of accomplishment in every aspect of our mission.

During the 2012 School Year, District Five received an A rating from the new South Carolina accountability system. District Five also received an absolute rating of Excellent and an improvement rating of Excellent on the report card it receives based upon the achievement and success of our students. Out of 84 school districts in South Carolina, District Five was ranked as one of the top 12 school districts for the academic performance of our students.

The on time graduation rate has continued to increase to 82%, as we focused on efforts to produce graduates who are college and career ready. This graduation rate is well above the state and national rates. The district had some of the highest passing rates for Advanced Placement courses in South Carolina and was named to the National AP District Honor Roll, a distinction bestowed upon only two districts in South Carolina. Our SAT and ACT scores have increased indicating that our students are entering college prepared to succeed. The academic achievements of our students showcase the quality and strength of the 21st Century learning environments that exist within our schools.

As our State continues to struggle with its priorities, District Five remains dedicated to its focus on education. We produce educated citizens who will energize and build our economy. We understand that education is the greatest investment we can make in our children. Education will open doors of opportunity for each of them. Our graduates excel in the skills needed to succeed: written and oral communication, creativity, critical thinking, problem solving, entrepreneurialism, collaboration, initiative, and adaptability.

District Five is where excellence resides.

Dr. Scott Turner, Superintendent

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