



McBee High

264 East Pine Avenue
McBee, SC 29101

Grades	7-12 High School	
Enrollment	478 Students	
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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2013 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD



RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2013	Good	At-Risk
2012	Excellent	Excellent
2011	Good	Below Average
2010	Good	At-Risk
2009	Good	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.

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ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
26	14	3	0	2

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 12/14/2013.

High School Assessment Program (HSAP) Exam Passage Rate: Second Year Students

Percent	Our High School			High Schools with Students Like Ours		
	2011	2012	2013	2011	2012	2013
Passed 2 subtests (%)	74.6%	83.6%	75.7%	78.4%	76.9%	80.2%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	12.7%	15.1%	18.6%	12.6%	14.3%	12.5%
Passed no subtests (%)	12.7%	1.4%	5.7%	9.5%	10.6%	7.4%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013

Percent	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
	92.2%	91.8%

Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012*	2013	2012	2013
Number of Students in Four-Year Cohort	74	80	285	258
Number of Graduates in Cohort	63	57	197	195
Rate	85.1%	71.3%	72.3%	76.2%

*Used to calculate current ESEA/Federal Accountability Grade.

Five-Year Graduation Rate

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
Number of Students in Cohort	98	74	284	248
Number of Graduates in Cohort	68	65	206	193
Rate	69.4%	87.8%	74.9%	75.8%

End of Course Tests

Percent of tests with scores of 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours*
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	77.9%	75.3%
English 1	71.6%	69.3%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	74.0%	77.7%
US History and the Constitution	55.1%	58.8%
All Tests	69.8%	70.0%

* High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

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School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=478)				
Retention rate	4.4%	Up from 3.0%	2.8%	2.9%
Attendance rate	95.0%	Down from 95.1%	95.2%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	21.4%	N/A	19.2%	17.5%
With disabilities	10.0%	N/A	12.4%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	10.0%	N/A	8.1%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	1.0%	Down from 1.1%	1.1%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	11.4%	Up from 9.5%	14.3%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	26.0%	Down from 31.6%	53.4%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	29.6%	Down from 29.7%	31.3%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	2.9%	Up from 2.8%	2.5%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	95.2%	Up from 48.9%	4.2%	7.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	271	Up from 243	386	418
Students participating in work-based experiences	57.6%	Up from 20.2%	17.3%	14.6%
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	94.5%	Up from 91.4%	83.9%	84.8%
Career/technology completers placed	99.1%	Up from 99.0%	99.1%	98.3%
Teachers (n=32)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	56.3%	Up from 54.8%	64.2%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	90.6%	Down from 93.5%	82.9%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	90.1%	Up from 89.0%	87.2%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	93.2%	Down from 95.6%	95.2%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,743	Up 1.2%	\$49,283	\$48,699
Professional development days/teacher	3.4 days	Down from 12.9 days	9.6 days	9.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	4.5	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	24.9 to 1	Up from 10.0 to 1	27.4 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	85.9%	Down from 88.8%	88.6%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,644	Down 2.1%	\$7,550	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	61.0%	Down from 61.5%	56.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.0%	Down from 64.9%	58.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	99.7%	Up from 97.2%	97.4%	97.7%
Character development program	Average	Up from Below Average	Good	Good
Modern language program assessment	N/A	N/A	N/A	11.0
Classical language program assessment	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.0

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

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

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Performance By Student Groups

	HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2013		End of Course Tests Passage Rate		On-time Graduation Rate, 2013	
	n	%	t	%	n	%
All Students	64	92.2%	381	69.8%	80	71.3%
Gender						
Male	36	88.9%	215	70.7%	47	63.8%
Female	28	96.4%	166	68.7%	33	81.8%
Racial/Ethnic Group						
White	48	91.7%	304	72.7%	62	69.4%
African American	10	90.0%	69	58.0%	13	69.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disability Status						
Disabled	N/A	N/A	37	35.1%	N/A	N/A
Migrant Status						
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Proficiency						
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socio-Economic Status						
Subsidized meals	20	80.0%	189	61.4%	37	59.5%

NOTE: n=number of students on which percentage is calculated; t=number of tests taken.

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Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

The 2012-2013 school year has been very successful for our school. In all areas – arts, academics, and athletics – we have worked hard to excel and achieve the best possible results. Excellence is always our goal.

Academically, MHS students and teachers have worked extremely hard to teach and master standards and participate in productive learning and growth experiences. Our seniors continue to be competitive with expected graduates from other schools, as evidenced by the large number of scholarships and recognitions they have received (more than \$1 million dollars, total). Such recognitions are not unique to our senior class, but rather are noticed through all of the 7-12 classifications. Ancillary organizations, such as FBLA and FFA, further use academics as the base for their programs and achieve similar successes in state and national competitions. In short, our academic programs are extremely competitive with other schools, and in many ways exceed them.

The music department continues to be a perfect example of striving for excellence. The “Spirit” marching band continues to grow into one of the finest band programs in the area – the only one to achieve the Outstanding Performance Award (OPA), which is the highest honor given in the state of South Carolina. Other ensembles achieved similar accolades, with many students being named to honors ensembles in both the region and the state. Coupled with successes in the art program, which produced several contest winners in county and regional competitions, it is fair to say that the arts programs are a great benefit to our school.

Lastly, our athletic programs also have achieved great success. Several programs had successful seasons which included qualifying for post-season play and advanced therein. Both individually and collectively, our student-athletes have demonstrated hard work, determination, and sportsmanship (the most important of these elements) as they have represented our school on the athletic fields and courts. Overall, this has been a very successful outgrowth of our classroom experience.

Unquestionably, McBee High is one of the finest schools in Chesterfield County, in the Pee Dee region, and in the state of South Carolina. Most assuredly, the accomplishments mentioned above are indicative of dedicated teachers and coaches reaching out to touch the lives of young people. It is further indicative of students and parents joining teachers in this effort as the most important component of success. And, most importantly, this shows that we are meeting our mission “to prepare students to meet goals for future education and employment, to become contributing members of their diverse communities, and to develop lifelong habits of learning and self-discipline.”

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	19	60	39
Percent satisfied with learning environment	73.7%	68.4%	84.6%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	78.9%	86.6%	80%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	57.9%	86.6%	72.5%

* Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included.

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ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2013, 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	75.1
Overall Grade Conversion	C

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

McBee High 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 Data

	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	N/A	2.3%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	5.9%	4.9%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes

Abbreviations for Missing Data

Performance By Group

Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Social Studies Mean	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested	Graduation Rate
Grades 9-12							
All Students	237.2	231.5	78.7	67.2	98.6	98.6	85.1
Male	232.0	227.3	77.9	N/A	97.0	97.0	75.8
Female	241.7	235.2	79.7	67.1	100.0	100.0	92.7
White	240.6	234.8	80.8	68.8	98.1	98.1	82.1
African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	93.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Disabled	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized meals	226.4	218.7	73.1	N/A	97.3	97.3	73.3
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	226	223	77	73	95.0	95	74.1

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Two-Year HSAP Trend Data

	School Year	Enrollment 1st Day of Testing	% Tested	% Below Basic	% Basic	% Proficient	% Advanced	School % Proficient or Advanced*
English/Language Arts								
All Students	2012	73	100.0	2.7	34.2	30.1	32.9	63.0
	2013	71	98.6	7.1	32.9	30.0	30.0	60.0
Mathematics								
All Students	2012	73	100.0	15.1	27.4	30.1	27.4	57.5
	2013	71	98.6	22.9	27.1	28.6	21.4	50.0

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