



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

**Barnwell High School**  
**Barnwell 45**  
**Grades: 9-12**      **Enrollment: 689**  
**Principal: Henry Jon Burdge**  
**Superintendent: Roy Sapough**  
**Board Chair: Chad perry**

## 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	Average	At-Risk	TBD	TBD	D	N/A
2012	Good	Excellent	Gold	N/A	C	N/A
2011	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

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

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
20	15	9	0	2

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
Passed 2 subtests (%)	77.7%	73.5%	77.3%	79.0%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	10.2%	12.7%	14.4%	12.9%
Passed no subtests (%)	12.0%	13.9%	10.7%	8.5%

## HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2013

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	84.6%	91.3%

## ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

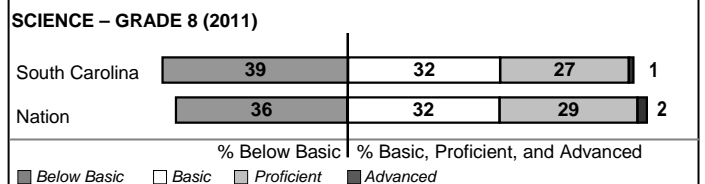
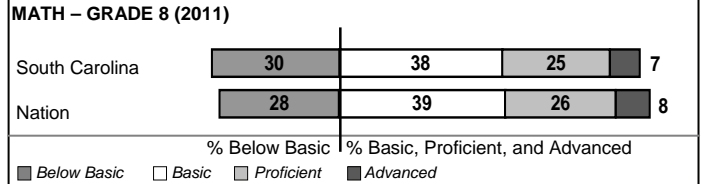
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	163	246
Number of Diplomas	122	178
Rate (%)	74.8%	75.2%

## END OF COURSE TESTS - 2013

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	74.6	73.7
English 1	51.2	66.9
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	61.3	74.5
US History and the Constitution	38.1	53.3
All Tests	55.8	66.8

## 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.*

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# Barnwell High School [Barnwell 45]

## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
<b>Students (n=689)</b>				
Retention rate	2.4%	Down from 2.7%	3.7%	2.9%
Attendance rate	93.9%	Up from 93.2%	95.6%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	8.5%	N/A	16.4%	17.5%
With disabilities	13.9%	N/A	12.8%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	9.3%	N/A	9.3%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	1.0%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	2.9%	Down from 3.2%	11.1%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	100.0%	No Change	49.3%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	57.1%	Up from 18.9%	30.8%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	2.3%	Down from 3.0%	2.6%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Enrollment in career/technology courses	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Teachers (n=43)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	55.8%	Up from 51.1%	62.3%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	79.1%	Up from 78.7%	79.7%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	83.6%	Up from 82.4%	87.4%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	94.8%	Down from 96.5%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,894	Up 5.5%	\$48,067	\$48,699
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	3.4%	Up from 0.5%	3.8%	2.5%
Professional development days/teacher	1.8 days	Down from 2.5 days	9.7 days	9.8 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	25.1 to 1	Up from 23.2 to 1	27.1 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.9%	Down from 88.5%	89.0%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,018	Down 2.8%	\$7,927	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	63.0%	Down from 63.2%	57.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	64.0%	Down from 64.5%	60.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	97.6%	97.7%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	60.6	Down from 73.2	73.0	77.4

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	41	126	20
Percent satisfied with learning environment	90.2%	81%	65%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	95.3%	81.9%	63.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	76.2%	86.6%	52.6%

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

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## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Barnwell High School stands on the premise that hard work, dedication, and consistency promotes excellence. We are pleased to report the annual report card as we continue to make progress toward state and national educational goals.

The 2012-2013 academic school year was a reflection of Barnwell High School's mission of preparing all students to become independent lifelong learners and productive members of society. We are certainly proud that Barnwell High was awarded the prestigious Palmetto Gold Award for Improvement in General Performance.

We are proud to announce that the graduating class of 2013 received a total of \$2,965,472.00 in scholarship offers. Eight students were named Palmetto Fellows, thirty-six students received four-year life scholarships, thirty-six students received two-year life scholarships, fifty-one students were awarded South Carolina Lottery Tuition money, and ten students were awarded the HOPE scholarship. Fifty-one graduates earned enhanced diplomas.

Barnwell High School continues the tradition in extracurricular and co-curricular activities, which are integral parts of a well-rounded experience. The following teams were named Region Champions: girls' soccer and girls' softball. Four boys' soccer players were named all Region players, one tennis player was named all Region, one volleyball player was named All State, one baseball player was named All State, four baseball players were named All Region, and two cross country players were named All Region. Two students were selected to participate in the Edisto Conference Honor Band. The Scarlet Knights Marching Band placed first in Class AA at Garden Class in Orangeburg, South Carolina.

Our parent and student organizations continue to be a strength. The School Improvement Council continues to be a committed group of parents, students, teachers, and community members that work hard to assist in the improvement of our school. All of our booster organizations worked diligently to produce an environment where students are connected to the community and dedicated to academic excellence. The Warhorse Club and Band Booster Club continue to provide avenues for parental involvement and support for our programs.

It is our belief that we will continue to improve as long as we work together with our students as our focus. We are continuing to yield the type of program results that will position us closer to state and national benchmarks. We look forward to the upcoming school year and meeting the challenges the new school year will bring. It is with confidence that we commit to serving our students and community in providing the best educational opportunities possible.

Mr. Jon Burdge, Principal  
Ms. Debra Coleman, SIC President

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