



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

KINGSTREE SENIOR HIGH
Williamsburg County
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 674
Principal: Mr. Willie Frazier
Superintendent: Dr. Yvonne Jefferson-Barnes
Board Chair: Mrs. Barbara McKenzie

PERFORMANCE

Comprehensive detail, including definitions of ratings, performance criteria, and explanations of status, is available on www.ed.sc.gov and www.eoc.sc.gov as well as school and school district websites. Printed versions are available from school districts upon request.

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	Average	TBD	TBD	F	Priority
2012	Below Average	Average	Silver	N/A	F	Priority
2011	Below Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	R-AYP

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
7	3	10	4	9

*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 (%)	66.4%	53.2%	63.1%	65.2%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	16.4%	31.2%	19.9%	19.3%
Passed no subtests (%)	17.1%	15.6%	21.5%	18.0%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2013

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	86.3%	78.1%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	168	97
Number of Diplomas	133	69
Rate (%)	79.2%	65.2%

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	51.2	58.3
English 1	39.3	50.9
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	54.3	55.1
US History and the Constitution	26.6	33.3
All Tests	43.3	48.8

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.

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

KINGSTREE SENIOR HIGH [Williamsburg County]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=674)				
Retention rate	2.8%	Up from 2.5%	4.2%	2.9%
Attendance rate	96.0%	Up from 95.1%	93.3%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	16.4%	N/A	9.0%	17.5%
With disabilities	24.5%	N/A	15.3%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	14.7%	N/A	11.3%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	N/R	N/R	1.6%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	N/R	N/R	4.4%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	35.0%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	N/R	N/R	26.3%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	0.2%	Down from 1.1%	1.5%	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
Teachers (n=24)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	58.3%	Down from 66.7%	58.9%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	66.7%	Up from 63.6%	68.1%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	72.1%	Up from 71.5%	79.2%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	95.9%	Up from 95.1%	95.5%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$42,189	Up 5.0%	\$44,101	\$48,699
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	41.0%	Up from 30.0%	4.0%	2.5%
Professional development days/teacher	N/R	N/R	9.4 days	9.8 days
School				
Principal's years at school	N/R	N/R	3.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	N/R	N/R	18.8 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.9%	Up from 89.5%	88.0%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,707	Down 5.8%	\$11,405	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	51.0%	Up from 49.9%	54.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	57.0%	Up from 54.2%	59.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	N/R	N/R	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	N/R	N/R	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	N/R	N/R	98.2%	97.7%
Character development program	N/R	N/R	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	34.2	Up from 25.5	52.5	77.4

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Kingtree Senior High School is located in the small rural town of Kingtree, South Carolina. The mission of Kingtree Senior High School and its stakeholders is to provide every student with a challenging curriculum; highly qualified teachers, and a safe, healthy learning environment with which to maximize their growth and development toward productive citizenship in global society.

Kingtree Senior High School made significant progress during the 2011 – 2012 school year towards achieving all student achievement and climate goals set. Kingtree Senior High School improved its absolute rating from at-risk to below average, but our growth rating declined from an excellent rating to below average rating. Our preliminary data indicate that Kingtree Senior High School will achieve an average absolute rating and a good growth rating. Our Parent-Teacher-Student Association flourished this school year, as well as our School Improvement Council (SIC). We can attribute our success to both PTSA and SIC for our improvement. We currently offer twelve career clusters and twenty-six majors within those career clusters that help students focus on their achievement. We foster parent and community support to meet our continuous school improvement efforts.

Kingtree Senior High School is a comprehensive high school that continues to improve student achievement by being a member of High School That Works and providing our students shadowing and transiting opportunities, an after school program, Saturday school, credit recovery, Re-Do policy and the Power of "I" to provide students the opportunity to be successful and graduate on time..

Our challenges again this year were full parental and community involvement. The establishment of a fully operational PTSA and SIC should get more parents and community stakeholders involved.

Kingtree Senior High School has a committed staff that works diligently to meet the needs of our students. We acknowledge and thank our students who were motivated to learn and achieve in the efforts to improve our school. We are grateful to the parents and community leaders who showed their continue support of KSHS.

Dr. Fred P. Moore, Jr., Principal
Ms. Norma Cyrus, School Improvement Chair

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	23	114	43
Percent satisfied with learning environment	39.1%	45.6%	62.8%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	58.3%	54.4%	55.5%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	45.8%	73.7%	70.5%

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

Comprehensive detail, including definitions of ratings, performance criteria, and explanations of status, is available on www.ed.sc.gov and www.eoc.sc.gov as well as school and school district websites.

Printed versions are available from school districts upon request.

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