

Douglas Elementary School

215 Diggs Road
Trenton, SC 29847

Grades	PK-5 Elementary School	
Enrollment	276 Students	
Principal	Bobby R. Turner	803-275-1752
Superintendent	Greg W. Anderson	803-275-4601
Board Chair	J. Carroll Wates	803-637-6732

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2014 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2014	Below Average	Average
2013	Below Average	Good
2012	Below Average	Average
2011	Average	Good
2010	Average	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.

<http://ed.sc.gov>
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Percent of Student SC PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

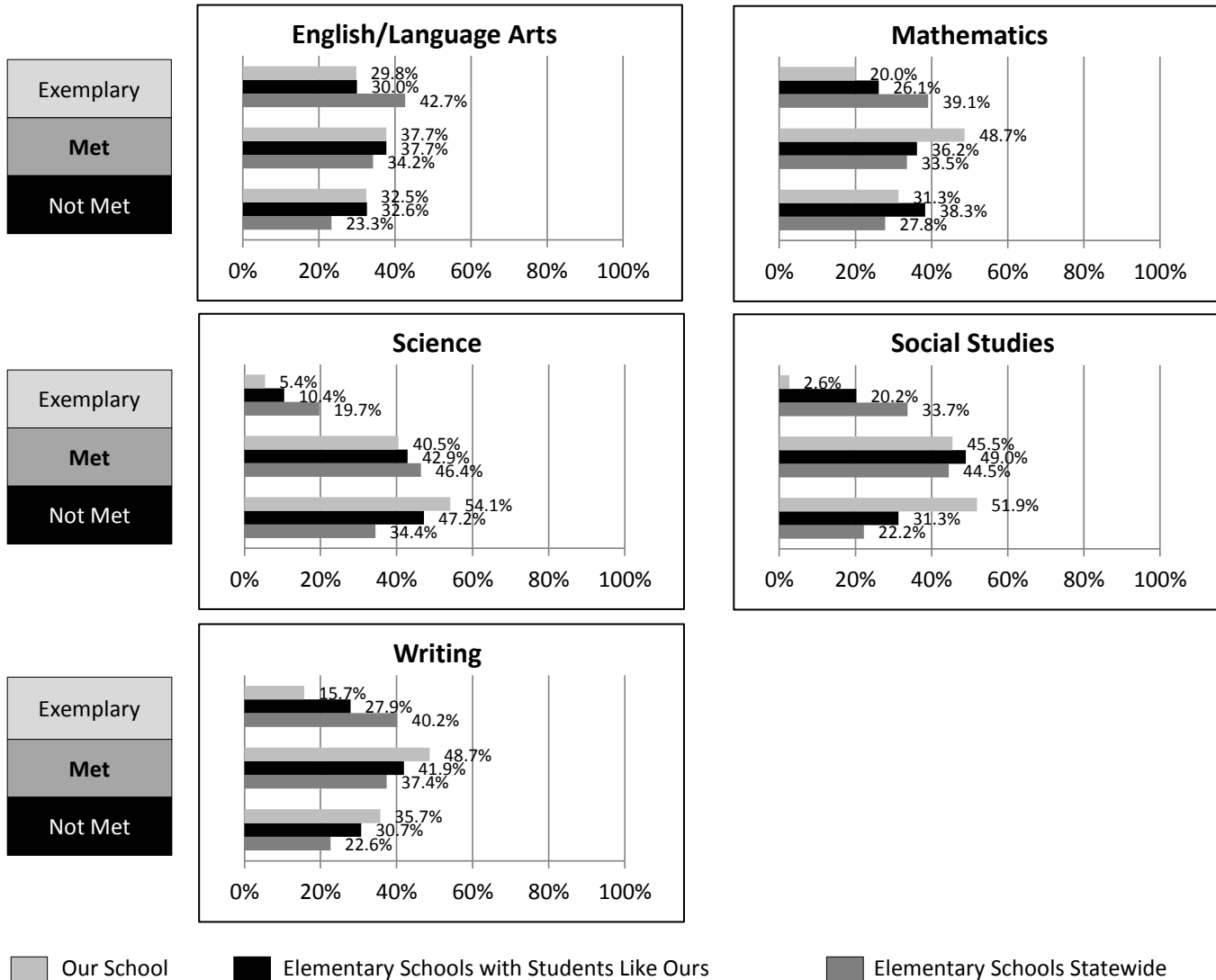
Percent of students tested in 2013-14 whose 2012-13 test scores were located 93.5%

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
5	13	116	28	8

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015.

South Carolina Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (SC PASS)



* Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours are elementary schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Definition of Critical Terms

Exemplary	"Exemplary" means student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.
Met	"Met" means student met the grade level standard.
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.

Abbreviations for Missing Data

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School Profile

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n = 276)				
1st graders who attended full-day kindergarten	100.0%	No change	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	8.7%	Up from 5.7%	1.5%	1.0%
Attendance Rate	96.6%	Up from 95.8%	96.0%	96.5%
Served by gifted and talented program	1.8%	Up from 1.6%	4.2%	7.3%
With disabilities	25.3%	Down from 27.8%	13.6%	12.5%
Older than usual for grade	7.5%	Up from 6.0%	2.6%	1.8%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.4%	Down from 0.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 29)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	58.6%	Up from 53.6%	61.1%	62.3%
Continuing contract teachers	79.3%	Up from 78.6%	78.0%	81.2%
Teachers returning from previous year	77.1%	Down from 81.8%	85.0%	88.4%
Teacher attendance rate	95.7%	Up from 94.7%	95.2%	95.3%
Average teacher salary*	\$44,372	Up 0.9%	\$46,691	\$47,902
Professional development days/teacher	12.6 days	Up from 8.4 days	10.4 days	10.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	2.0	Up from 1.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	14.2 to 1	Down from 15.7 to 1	18.8 to 1	19.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.8%	Up from 89.5%	90.2%	90.7%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No change	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Good	No change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$9,890	Up 10.9%	\$8,205	\$7,680
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	68.5%	Down from 69.0%	65.9%	66.8%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	67.3%	Up from 66.0%	65.2%	66.0%

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

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

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Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

We, at Douglas Elementary School, pride ourselves in being relationship oriented and results driven. Our faculty & staff are committed to providing a safe, positive and challenging learning environment in which children can reach their highest potential. Through the use of data-driven collaborative planning and ongoing formative assessment, we foster superior achievement, responsible citizenship, and a solid foundation for lifelong learning. Our school motto is "Children are our business and their success is our goal." Our dedicated staff, supportive parents, active Parent Teacher Organization, School Improvement Council, and business partners work closely together to make learning enjoyable for each of our approximately 280 students.

The South Carolina Teacher Advancement Program (TAP) was continued for the fourth consecutive year. This program encourages teachers to grow professionally and offers weekly professional development focused on the needs of teachers and students. Our Master Teacher introduces instructional strategies, models lessons, team teaches, and observes teachers to encourage instructional improvements. Douglas Elementary School received a School Value-Added Student Achievement Score of 5 (on a scale of 1-5 with a 5 being the maximum score) for the 2012-13 school year which equals to our school achieving well over an academic year's growth. We were also recognized as a 2013-14 Palmetto Silver Award recipient for our students' academic progress.

PASS and MAP data were used to improve student achievement in all subjects. Students were placed into enrichment groups based on MAP data to receive intensive, small group instruction. Our struggling students participated in the Response to Intervention (RTI) program to receive individualized interventions aimed at identifying strategies that would make the student more successful. Our newly created Math & Science Lab provided more opportunities for students to experience valuable hands-on instruction.

Elections were held for our Student Council officers. One of our 5th grade students won 1st place in a statewide Safe Side Art Contest. An after school program was tailored to meet the instructional needs of all participating students at Douglas Elementary. The Accelerated Reader program encouraged students to become fluent readers. Teams of 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students represented Douglas Elementary in the second annual Math Olympiads for the elementary schools of Edgefield County with the 4th grade team placing 1st at their respective grade level.

Students and staff participated in many service-learning projects. Money was raised for the Ronald McDonald House by collecting aluminum tabs; DES won the local United Way Challenge; collected Box Tops for Education, sent 56 bottles of sun screen to active military soldiers stationed in the Middle East; raised \$1848 for Relay For Life; performed Jump Rope For Heart activities; and many were members of the Just Say No Club.

Our community members continue to provide tremendous support for our school by contributing their time and resources for the continued growth and development toward our goals. An active PTO provides educational supplies and creates opportunities for our students, parents and teachers to work together as a team.

At Douglas Elementary School, we look forward to the 2014-15 school year with high expectations of greater student achievement and collaborative community involvement.

Bobby R. Turner, Principal Ilene Griffin, SIC Chairperson

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	25	38	13
Percent satisfied with learning environment	96.0%	79.0%	84.7%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	96.0%	75.6%	77.0%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	92.0%	79.0%	77.0%

* Only students at the highest elementary school grade level and their parents were 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	68.7
Overall Grade Conversion	D

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 states' expectations.

Accountability Indicator (Title I Schools)

Douglas Elementary 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 school 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.
X	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 and Student Attendance

	Our District	State	
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	6.9	3.2%	
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	0	7.3%	
	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes
Student attendance rate	96.6%	94.0%*	Yes
			State
Professional qualifications of all elementary and secondary teachers in the State (Advanced Degrees)			61.9%
Percentage of all elementary and secondary teachers in the State with emergency or provisional credentials			0.0%

* Or greater than last year

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SC PASS Performance By Group - ESEA/Federal Accountability

Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Social Studies Mean*	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested	Science % Tested
Grades 3-5							
All Students	623.4	623.9	593.0	600.7	99.3	98.5	100.0
Male	621.5	625.8	598.5	603.2	98.6	98.6	100.0
Female	625.6	621.7	588.1	597.0	100.0	98.5	100.0
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	96.9	96.9	N/A
African American	623.3	621.8	591.7	601.1	100.0	100.0	100.0
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 Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	599.2	599.1	N/A	N/A	97.5	97.5	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	617.9	618.7	589.2	597.4	100.0	99.2	100.0
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0	95.0	95.0	95.0

* Social Studies used as "Other Academic Indicator" for elementary and middle schools.

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Two Year Elementary and Middle School Grades Trend Data

2013	Grade	SCPASS ELA			SCPASS Math		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	42	633.8	100.0	42	607.4	100.0
4	45	619.8	95.6	45	620.9	100.0	
5	49	610.6	100.0	49	601.9	98.0	
6	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	
7	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	
8	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	
		SCPASS Science			SCPASS Social Studies*/History		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
3	21	585.4	100.0	21	607.3	95.2	
4	43	594.3	100.0	43	617.2	100.0	
5	25	588.9	100.0	26	592.1	100.0	
6	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	
7	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	
8	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV	

2014	Grade	SCPASS ELA			SCPASS Math		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	48	642.4	100.0	48	634.0	100.0
4	36	620.0	100.0	36	623.8	97.3	
5	51	609.6	98.1	51	615.2	98.1	
6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
		SCPASS Science			SCPASS Social Studies*/History		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
3	25	609.5	100.0	26	609.2	96.3	
4	36	599.1	97.3	35	602.7	97.2	
5	25	568.0	100.0	29	591.9	100.0	
6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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NOTE: Results include the SC-ALT test.

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Performance by Group - ESEA/Federal Accountability (District) 4/27/2015 1901003

Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Soc Studies*/ History Mean	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested	Science % Tested	Graduation Rate
Grades 3 - 5								
All Students	641.9	639.3	619.4	627.7	99.9	99.8	99.8	N/A
Male	635.8	638.0	616.5	628.0	99.8	99.8	99.6	N/A
Female	648.3	640.8	622.2	627.3	100.0	99.8	100.0	N/A
White	657.8	653.8	638.1	640.6	99.8	99.8	100.0	N/A
African American	623.6	623.1	597.1	613.2	100.0	100.0	99.6	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	629.2	627.5	N/A	N/A	100.0	97.6	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	599.0	590.8	573.9	598.6	99.2	99.2	100.0	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	627.6	625.9	601.4	616.4	100.0	99.8	99.7	N/A
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
Grades 6 - 8								
All Students	620.5	629.6	611.6	624.1	99.7	99.5	99.7	N/A
Male	614.6	627.3	612.6	625.0	99.4	99.4	99.3	N/A
Female	627.6	632.4	610.6	622.9	100.0	99.8	100.0	N/A
White	634.3	642.7	625.0	633.7	99.8	99.8	99.7	N/A
African American	604.4	613.9	595.3	611.0	99.5	99.5	99.6	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	608.5	619.1	N/A	N/A	100.0	97.2	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	562.2	579.3	564.8	582.2	99.3	99.3	100.0	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	604.8	614.1	600.2	609.8	99.6	99.4	99.7	N/A
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	632.0	632.0	632.0	632.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
Grades 9 - 12								
All Students	228.6	219.4	79.1	71.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	76.7
Male	226.8	221.3	78.4	71.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	72.5
Female	230.4	217.6	79.8	70.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	81.6
White	232.9	225.3	84.4	73.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	78.3
African American	223.4	213.2	74.1	67.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	74.3
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	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	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	N/A	N/A	71.1	64.3	N/A	N/A	100.0	36.7
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	223.9	214.1	76.1	69.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	66.9
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	229.0	226.0	78.0	75.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	75.1

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Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Soc Studies* / History Mean	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested	Science % Tested	Graduation Rate
Grades 3 - 5								
All Students	643.8	644.3	626.4	645.0	99.7	99.8	99.8	N/A
Male	638.9	643.9	627.0	646.5	99.7	99.8	99.8	N/A
Female	649.0	644.6	625.8	643.4	99.8	99.9	99.8	N/A
White	659.5	662.7	644.4	659.5	99.8	99.9	99.8	N/A
African American	622.3	617.3	601.2	624.1	99.7	99.8	99.7	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	669.9	686.6	655.9	673.4	99.9	100.0	99.8	N/A
Hispanic	631.7	634.6	614.5	636.5	99.7	99.9	99.9	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	642.1	640.4	627.1	641.8	99.7	99.9	99.5	N/A
With Disabilities	599.3	596.5	587.6	609.2	98.9	99.5	99.5	N/A
Limited English Proficient	631.2	638.6	615.0	638.1	99.7	99.9	99.9	N/A
Subsidized Meals	627.7	625.2	609.4	628.7	99.7	99.8	99.7	N/A
Migrant	608.2	615.1	590.4	623.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
Grades 6 - 8								
All Students	627.8	632.2	634.7	637.4	99.7	99.7	99.7	N/A
Male	620.6	630.1	634.4	639.8	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Female	635.4	634.3	635.0	634.9	99.8	99.8	99.7	N/A
White	644.3	647.7	652.3	652.3	99.8	99.8	99.7	N/A
African American	604.3	608.5	608.9	615.2	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	658.5	680.2	673.0	677.3	99.9	99.9	99.9	N/A
Hispanic	617.3	625.4	625.0	630.5	99.7	99.7	99.7	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	629.4	631.2	637.2	638.3	99.9	99.8	99.7	N/A
With Disabilities	574.5	584.3	584.9	592.8	99.4	99.4	99.2	N/A
Limited English Proficient	612.5	625.8	622.5	629.8	99.6	99.7	99.8	N/A
Subsidized Meals	610.0	614.6	616.3	619.9	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Migrant	586.4	606.8	600.8	607.7	98.2	98.2	100.0	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	632.0	632.0	632.0	632.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
Grades 9 - 12								
All Students	229.3	222.6	81.8	74.9	98.7	98.7	100.0	80.0
Male	225.6	222.4	81.8	75.9	98.3	98.3	100.0	75.7
Female	233.2	222.9	81.9	74.0	99.2	99.1	100.0	84.5
White	235.9	230.8	86.1	78.1	99.0	98.9	100.0	82.8
African American	219.6	209.6	75.2	69.9	98.3	98.3	100.0	76.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	240.2	245.8	89.4	80.3	99.3	99.3	100.0	88.0
Hispanic	225.1	219.4	79.5	73.5	98.9	99.0	100.0	76.9
American Indian/Alaskan	228.8	220.3	81.9	77.2	98.9	99.3	100.0	74.3
With Disabilities	204.3	196.5	68.4	66.2	96.6	96.5	100.0	43.2
Limited English Proficient	218.0	214.7	76.6	71.3	99.3	99.3	100.0	73.4
Subsidized Meals	221.1	212.6	76.8	70.8	98.3	98.2	100.0	72.5
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61.5
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	229.0	226.0	78.0	75.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	75.1

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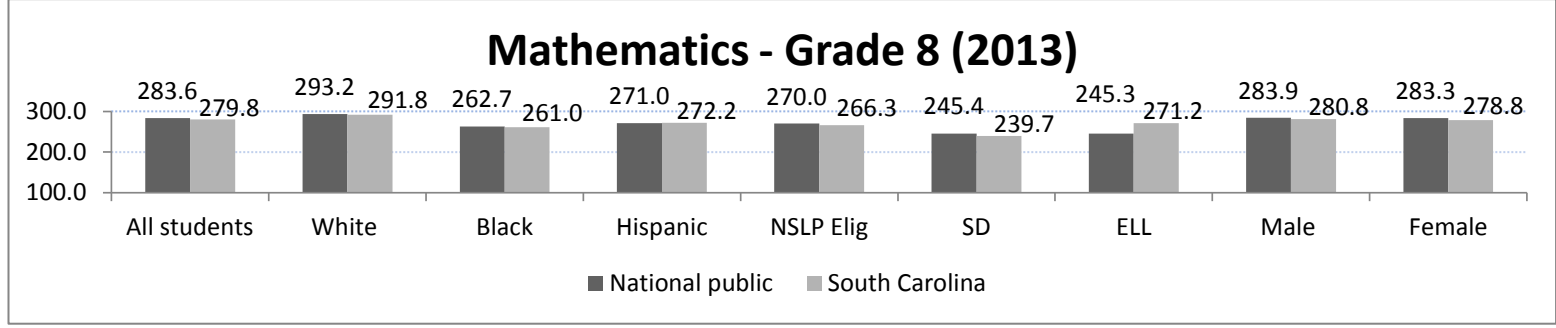
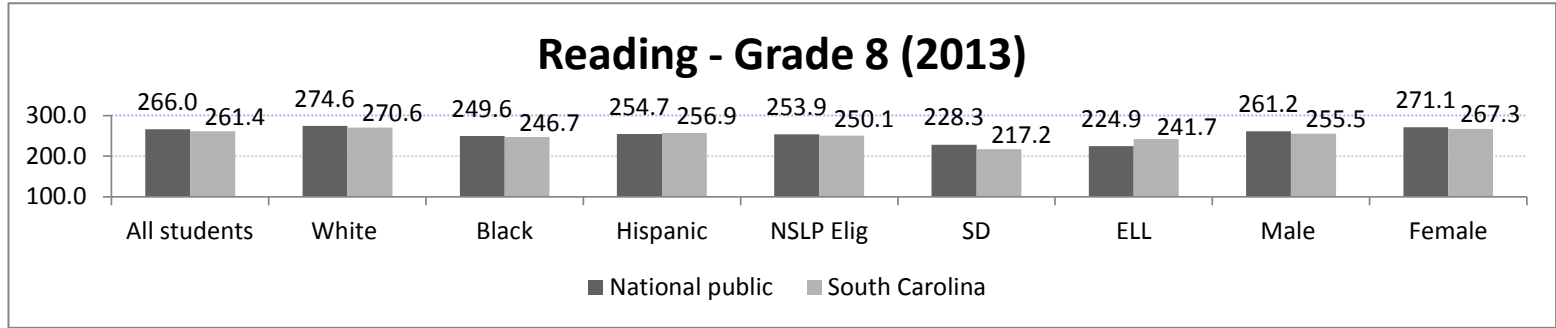
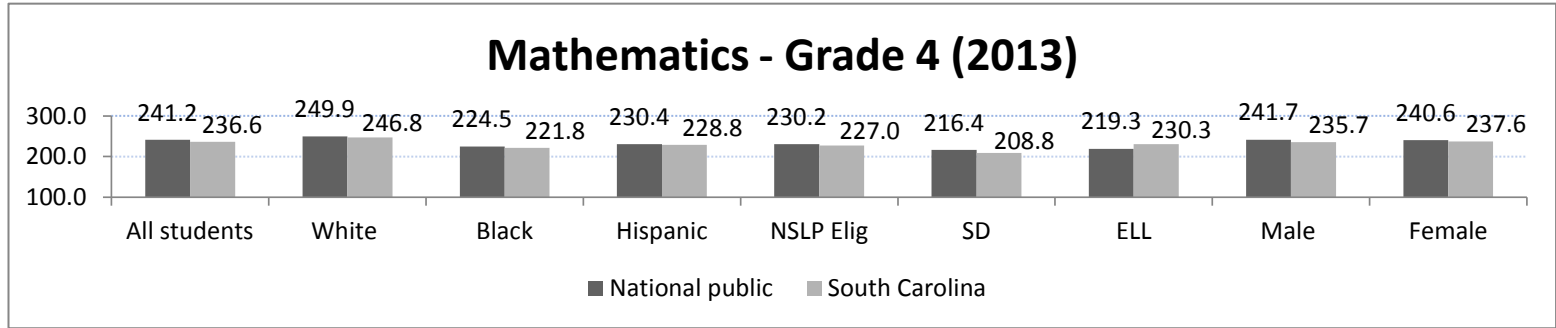
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*Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level.



Key	
NSLP	National school lunch program
SD	Student with disabilities
ELL	English language learner
NAEP	National Association of Education Progress

	SD Participation Rate	ELL Participation Rate
Reading, Grade 4	89.0%	96.0%
Reading, Grade 8	85.0%	96.0%
Mathematics, Grade 4	93.0%	99.0%
Mathematics, Grade 8	90.0%	95.0%

	Our School
Number of recently arrived ELL students exempted from ELA in state assessments	1

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