



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Landrum High School
SPARTANBURG 1
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 604
Principal: Brian J. Sherman
Superintendent: Ronald W. Garner, Ed. D.
Board Chair: Harry McMillan

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	
2014	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	A	N/A	
2013	Excellent	Excellent	GOLD	N/A	A	N/A	
2012	Excellent	Excellent	GOLD	N/A	B	N/A	
ABSOLUTE RATING OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*							
EXCELLENT		GOOD		AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK	
21		3		0	0	0	

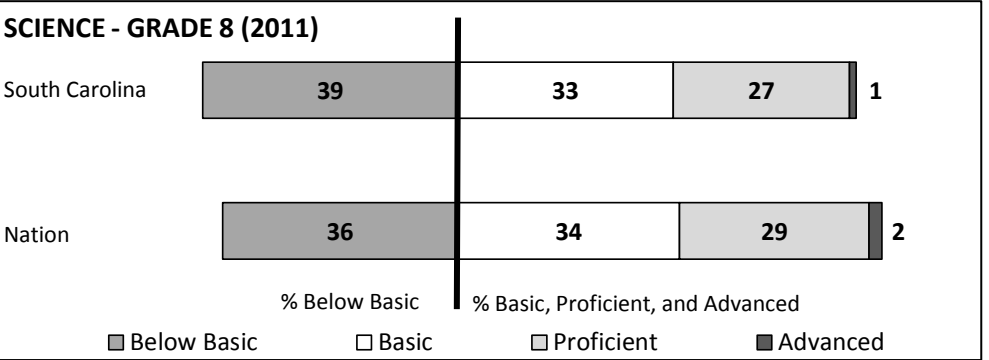
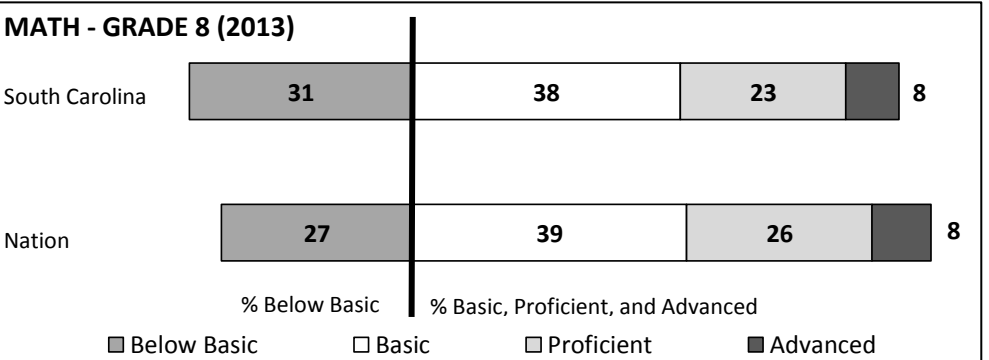
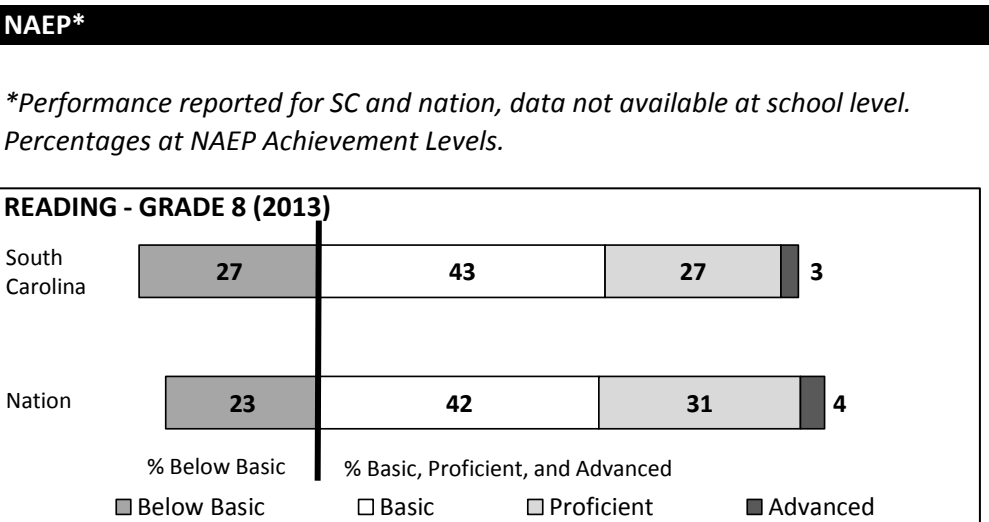
* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS				
	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
Passed 2 subtests (%)	83.6%	89.6%	85.8%	82.9%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	8.2%	3.5%	9.5%	11.6%
Passed no subtests (%)	8.2%	6.9%	5.2%	5.5%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2014		
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	97.1%	95.2%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE		
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	138	342
Number of diplomas	121	289
Rate (%)	87.7%	85.5%

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2014		
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	93.7%	84.0%
English 1	95.2%	75.1%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	99.1%	84.7%
US History and the Constitution	75.6%	71.3%
All Tests	90.6%	79.7%



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

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n = 604)				
Retention Rate	0.3%	Down from 1.2%	2.2%	3.0%
Attendance Rate	96.3%	Up from 94.1%	96.4%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	30.6%	Up from 25.2%	26.2%	17.7%
With disabilities	10.6%	Down from 12.1%	9.6%	11.5%
Older than usual for grade	1.7%	Down from 3.5%	5.9%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No change	0.9%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	15.0%	Down from 17.6%	28.2%	15.4%
Successful on AP/IB exams	68.1%	Up from 60.0%	56.0%	52.8%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	66.7%	Up from 60.8%	31.8%	30.6%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	0.0%	Down from 22.6%	5.0%	5.3%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	6	Down from 106	779	423
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	N/A	N/A	86.1%	84.5%
Annual dropout rate	3.6%	Up from 1.4%	2.0%	2.1%
Teachers (n = 37)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	64.9%	Down from 67.6%	63.0%	64.3%
Continuing contract teachers	78.4%	Down from 86.5%	78.4%	77.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	87.2%	Down from 92.8%	85.8%	85.5%
Teacher attendance rate	96.7%	Up from 94.8%	95.7%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$49,780	Down 2.8%	\$49,067	\$48,414
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No change	1.2%	3.0%
Professional development days/teacher	3.4 days	Down from 6.0 days	9.2 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	7.0	Up from 6.0	6.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	26.1 to 1	Up from 23.5 to 1	27.9 to 1	26.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.5%	Up from 85.9%	90.7%	90.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,320	Down 5.6%	\$6,900	\$8,238
Percent expenditures for teacher salaries**	56.0%	No change	60.2%	56.9%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	57.7%	Up from 57.0%	61.1%	58.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 95.8%	98.9%	98.7%
Character development program	Good	Up from Average	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	98.7	Down from 99.5	89.6	84.1

* Length of contract = 185+ days.
**Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	39	112	8
Percent satisfied with learning environment	92.3%	75.0%	I/S
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	97.4%	79.4%	I/S
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	89.5%	83.9%	I/S

* 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

“Learning today...Leading tomorrow” is more than Landrum High School’s motto. It is a statement that represents our commitment to preparing all students for their place in the 21st century world. The past year gave students, parents, and staff opportunities to direct their efforts in academics, the arts, and athletics. The 121 recent graduates were awarded more than 5.5 million in scholarships. More than 25 post-secondary institutions will receive our students in the fall. LHS students received recognition with JROTC, Teaching Fellows, and Palmetto Fellow awards.

Academic arts included a return of the Harrison-Elliot Band Competition to LHS, with 9 bands participating in this event. Student art work placed in multiple shows, and students were recognized for their efforts with placement in the Milliken Art gallery and soil and water photography awards. The Model UN team traveled to New York City to participate in a national event designed to replicate the United Nations experience.

On the field and in the gym, Cardinal athletes continued to garner recognition for their efforts. Landrum won one State Title in Cross Country, two upper state titles, and six region championships. Several student athletes signed to play at the collegiate level at more than 5 different colleges and universities. The LHS Raider Team (JROTC) was awarded the SC Raiders cup for having the best Raider Team in the state. The Landrum JROTC also received the highest grade in inspection by the receiving the title, Honor Unit with Distinction.

Leading tomorrow includes putting LHS students into community life. This year, more than 3000 hours were provided to our area through student volunteers. District One’s Wellness focus afforded a joint Color Run, sponsored by Student Council, for more than 500 people in May. Students supported March of Dimes and Relay for Life through community outreach events.

College and career readiness continued to adapt as our SIC hosted a Career Showcase featuring local businesses, our career center, and Spartanburg Community College. Multiple on-going professional development sessions, presentations, and classes were taken by teachers and staff during the year. Several teachers were asked to present at state and national conferences. Instructional initiatives included cross-district academic team meetings and collaboration.

Landrum High School will continue to challenge all students to prepare themselves for the future. We look forward to the 2014-2015 year.

Brian J. Sherman – Principal
Gerald McCool – SIC Chairman