



Honea Path Middle

107 Brock Avenue
Honea Path, SC 29654

Grades	5-8 Middle School	
Enrollment	423 Students	
Principal	Mr. Matthew Schult	864-369-4715
Superintendent	Dr. Richard Rosenberger	864-369-7364
Board Chair	Dr. Danny Hawkins	864-369-7364

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2014 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2014	Good	Average
2013	Excellent	Excellent
2012	Excellent	Excellent
2011	Good	Average
2010	Excellent	Excellent

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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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

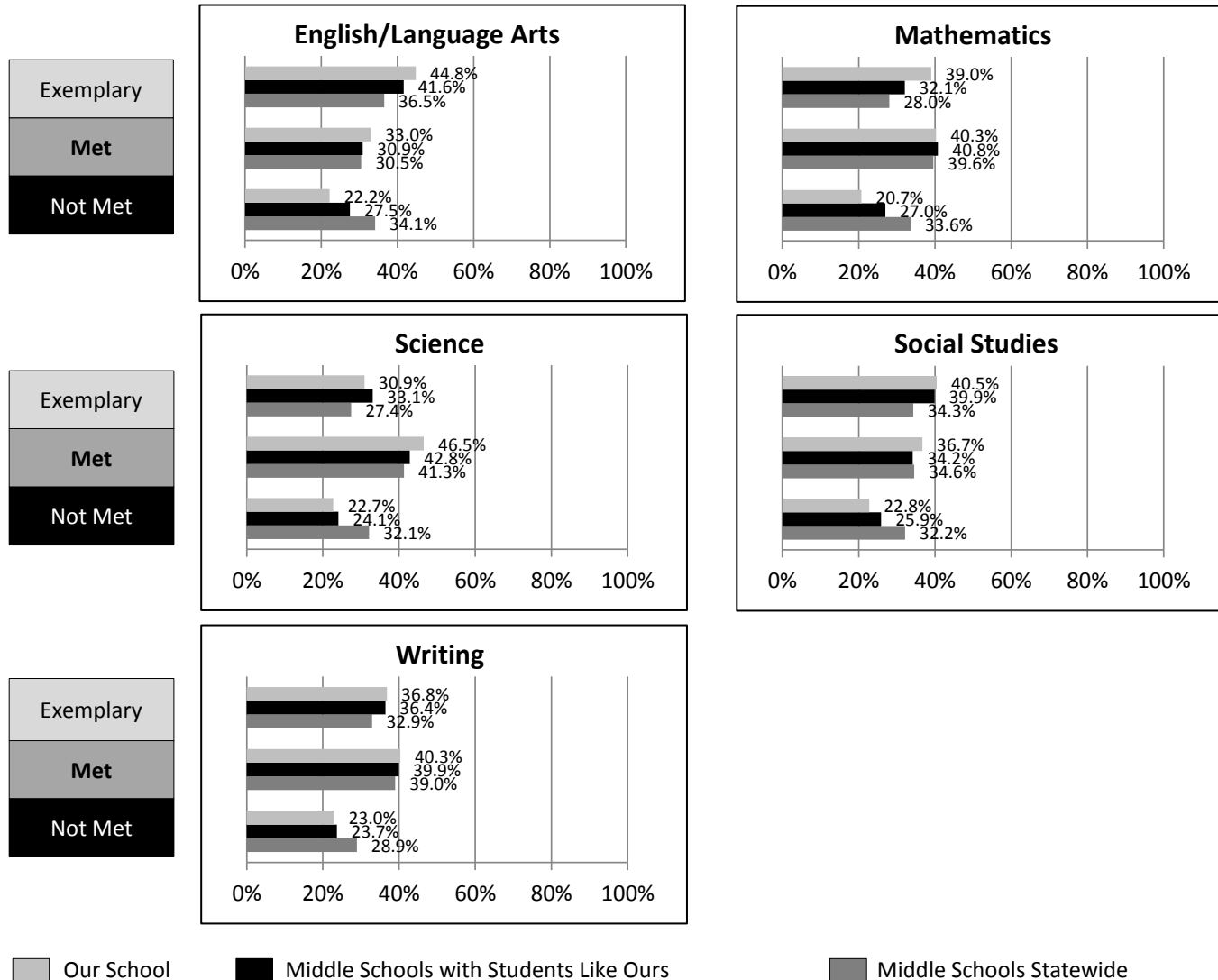
99.3%

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	At-Risk
11	19	16	1	0

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

South Carolina Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (SC PASS)



* Middle Schools with Students Like Ours are middle 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	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n = 423)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	17.6%	Up from 14.2%	30.3%	26.0%
Retention Rate	1.2%	Up from 0.5%	0.8%	0.6%
Attendance Rate	96.0%	Up from 95.4%	96.3%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	40.3%	Down from 40.7%	21.5%	19.4%
With disabilities	15.4%	Down from 16.5%	11.9%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	8.8%	Up from 8.7%	4.2%	4.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.2%	Down from 0.9%	0.5%	0.4%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 30)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	53.3%	Down from 54.8%	62.2%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	93.3%	Down from 93.5%	80.6%	75.9%
Teachers returning from previous year	90.3%	Down from 94.5%	88.2%	85.4%
Teacher attendance rate	99.1%	Up from 98.6%	95.3%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,991	Up 0.6%	\$48,292	\$47,081
Professional development days/teacher	15.3 days	Down from 33.4 days	10.1 days	10.6 days
School				
Principal's years at school	0.0	Down from 13.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.8 to 1	Up from 21.2 to 1	23.6 to 1	21.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	92.4%	Up from 91.7%	90.4%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No change	99.6%	99.0%
Character development program	Below Average	Down from Excellent	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,662	Up 9.0%	\$7,094	\$7,616
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	71.5%	Down from 73.0%	62.8%	62.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	71.0%	No change	61.4%	61.3%

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

** Prior year audited financial data are reported.

End of Course Tests

Percent of tests with scores of 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0%	98.2%
English 1	100.0%	98.1%
Biology 1	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	100.0%	97.9%

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Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

The 2013-2014 school year at HPMS was an exciting year with continued growth. The students performed well academically, and the HPMS community worked together to accomplish many successes:

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Seven of our 8th grade students were recognized as SC Junior Scholars.

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Twenty-two 7th grade students qualified to test for placement in Duke University's Talent Identification Program.

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Students in grades 5-8 participated in a number of service activities totaling over 2,300 hours of service.

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Nineteen students received the Presidential Award for Service Learning: 6 received the gold award, 2 received the silver award, and 11 received the bronze award.

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Honor Band received a Gold Standard placement at a band competition held in Atlanta, GA.

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Three of our 7th grade students swept 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in the Anderson Soil & Water Conservation District's essay contest.

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A 7th grade student was awarded a Certificate of Merit from the South Carolina Academy of Science.

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An 8th grade student received the Cory White Diversity Award sponsored by the Anderson County Human Relations Council.

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An HPMS teacher won first place in the nation in the National Career Development Association poster contest (adult division).

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HPMS students amassed more than 13,000 points in the school's Accelerated Reader Program.

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HPMS's 2013-2014 Teacher of the Year was Mrs. Anjie Smith. Mrs. Robin Ritland was selected to serve as HPMS Teacher of the Year for 2014-2015.

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The staff has been busy with the improvement of instruction as we begin our seventeenth year as a Standards Based Curriculum School. Our goal of maintaining and improving our PASS scores will be addressed in a variety of ways: a 21st Century Grant that enables us to provide Merit Academy (after-school program for at-risk students); SuccessMaker Labs; programs that continue to help improve academic skills; and technology upgrades, including 32 new iPad minis, that aid in classroom instruction. The transition to Common Core State Standards has also been a priority in our math and english classes for the 2013-14 school year.

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We appreciate the support of our School Improvement Council and Business Partner. We wish to express our thanks to the continued support from our parents, local industry, businesses, and community. Together we are building a brighter future and opening the door for a new century of progress.

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Matthew Schult, Principal

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Mandy Vinson, School Improvement Council Chair

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	31	111	50
Percent satisfied with learning environment	87.1%	83.7%	88.0%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	90.4%	73.6%	92.0%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	90.3%	84.5%	71.4%

* Only students at the highest middle 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	90.4
Overall Grade Conversion	A

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)

Honea Path Middle 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.
	Title I School - does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
X	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		0	3.2%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers		N/A	7.3%
	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes
Student attendance rate	96.0%	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 6-8							
All Students	641.5	646.0	639.9	646.2	99.7	100.0	99.6
Male	629.3	639.6	638.0	649.2	100.0	100.0	99.2
Female	657.0	654.1	642.3	642.8	99.3	100.0	100.0
White	647.6	650.7	644.6	648.3	99.7	100.0	99.5
African American	604.7	617.1	611.2	632.1	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	599.0	598.9	595.9	N/A	100.0	100.0	100.0
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	630.3	634.2	633.9	633.9	99.5	100.0	99.2
Migrant	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

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Two Year Elementary and Middle School Grades Trend Data

	Grade	SCPASS ELA			SCPASS Math		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
2013	3	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV
	4	N/A	I/S	N/AV	N/A	I/S	N/AV
	5	93	660.1	100.0	93	652.2	100.0
	6	112	644.9	100.0	112	645.6	100.0
	7	122	640.5	100.0	122	643.7	100.0
	8	108	652.7	100.0	108	648.5	100.0
		SCPASS Science			SCPASS Social Studies*/History		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV
	4	N/A	N/A	N/AV	N/A	N/A	N/AV
	5	48	627.3	100.0	46	671.3	100.0
	6	56	633.4	98.2	57	657.8	100.0
	7	121	639.5	100.0	122	641.5	100.0
	8	54	646.1	100.0	54	658.5	100.0

	Grade	SCPASS ELA			SCPASS Math		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
2014	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	82	640.3	100.0	82	654.9	100.0
	6	93	646.9	100.0	93	654.9	100.0
	7	127	644.2	99.2	128	650.9	100.0
	8	119	634.5	100.0	119	634.5	100.0
		SCPASS Science			SCPASS Social Studies*/History		
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	5	41	651.0	100.0	41	628.0	100.0
	6	45	637.8	100.0	48	658.7	100.0
	7	127	645.8	100.0	128	643.7	100.0
	8	60	630.4	98.4	58	642.4	100.0

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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	0402019
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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	652.1	658.6	642.7	664.8	99.1	100.0	100.0	N/A
Male	649.2	657.1	641.8	670.1	98.5	100.0	100.0	N/A
Female	655.0	660.1	643.6	659.0	99.8	100.0	100.0	N/A
White	657.6	664.3	648.5	669.0	99.1	100.0	100.0	N/A
African American	627.2	631.3	619.0	643.0	99.3	100.0	100.0	N/A
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	620.2	624.1	611.0	636.1	95.5	100.0	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	641.0	646.7	633.0	655.6	98.8	100.0	100.0	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	641.0	641.7	640.7	642.8	99.8	99.9	99.8	N/A
Male	631.3	639.1	642.7	647.0	100.0	100.0	99.7	N/A
Female	652.1	644.6	638.5	638.1	99.5	99.8	100.0	N/A
White	646.6	646.9	646.1	646.5	99.7	99.9	99.8	N/A
African American	615.8	620.1	617.4	624.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
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	590.7	593.8	587.9	605.5	100.0	100.0	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	627.7	629.5	631.1	630.5	99.8	100.0	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	231.1	225.1	84.5	78.0	100.0	99.3	100.0	82.5
Male	227.6	224.8	84.6	79.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	80.7
Female	234.6	225.3	84.4	76.5	100.0	98.6	100.0	84.3
White	232.9	227.3	85.3	78.7	100.0	99.5	100.0	81.0
African American	223.9	215.9	80.8	74.3	100.0	98.2	100.0	87.3
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	212.3	205.9	73.0	N/A	100.0	100.0	100.0	61.8
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	226.3	220.7	81.3	75.1	100.0	98.6	100.0	72.7
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

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

Performance by Group - ESEA/Federal Accountability (State)							4/27/2015	0402019
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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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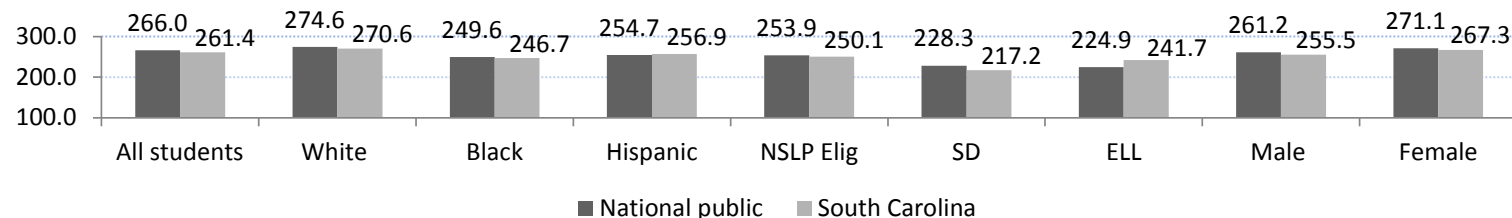
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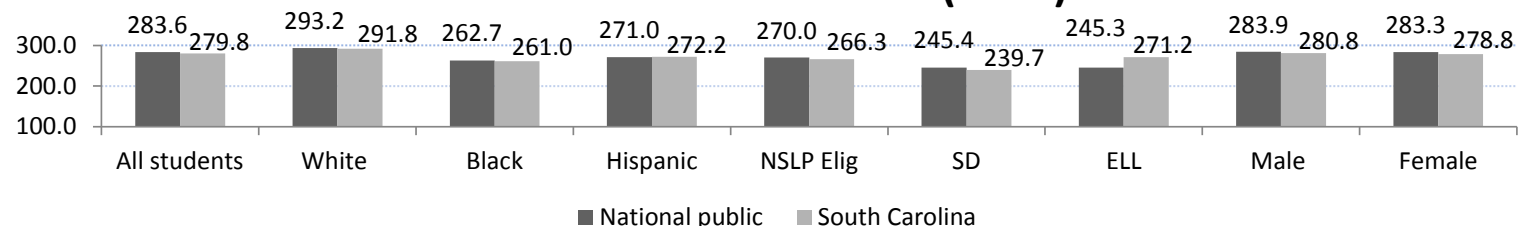
Mathematics - Grade 4 (2013)



Reading - Grade 8 (2013)



Mathematics - Grade 8 (2013)



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

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