



SC Annual School
Report Card
Summary

Brewer Middle School
GREENWOOD 50
Grades: 6-8 Enrollment: 677
Principal: Chad Evans
Superintendent: Darrell Johnson
Board Chair: Shell Dula

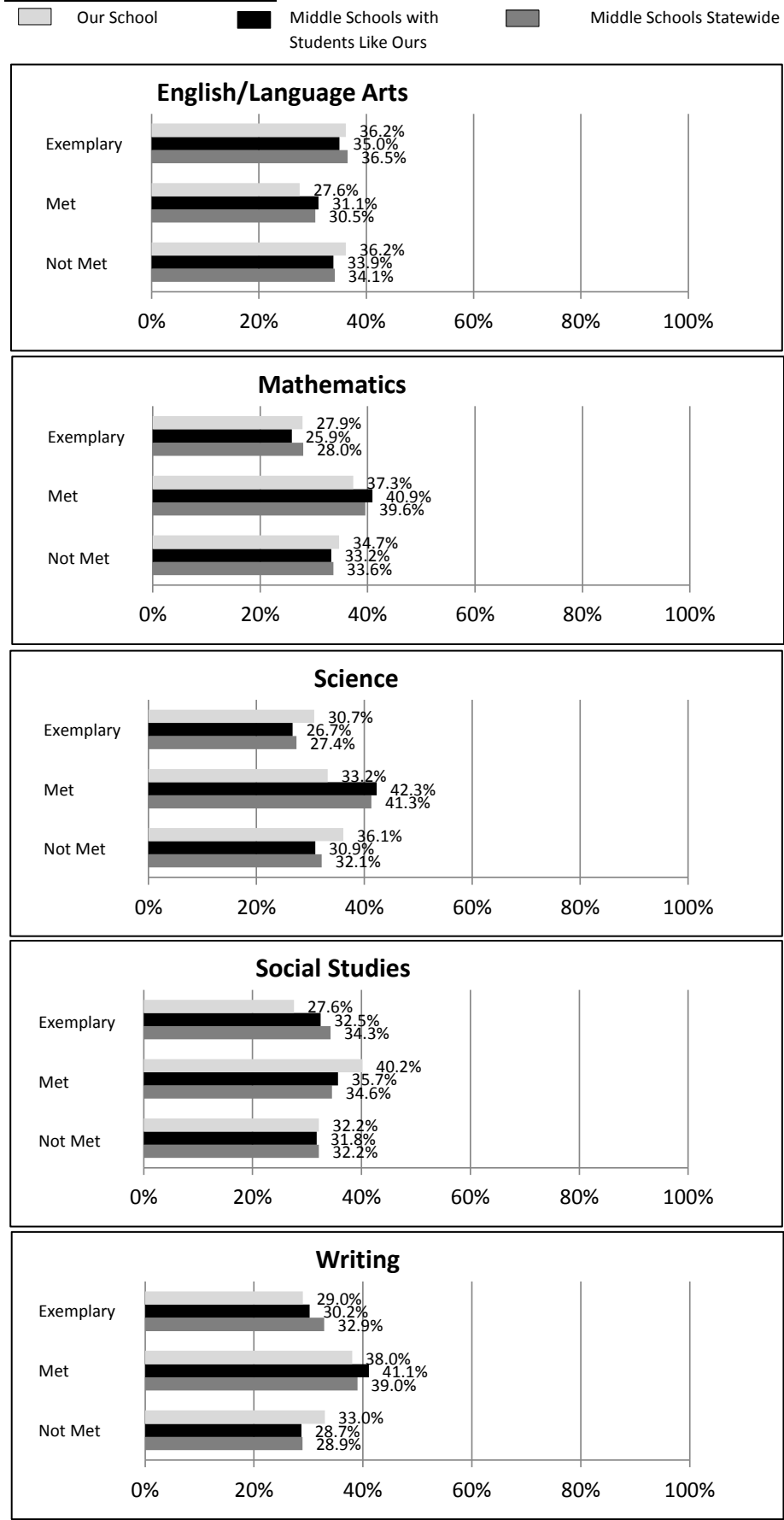
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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM		
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator	
2014	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	D	N/A	
2013	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	D	N/A	
2012	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	D	N/A	

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
4	11	43	5	0

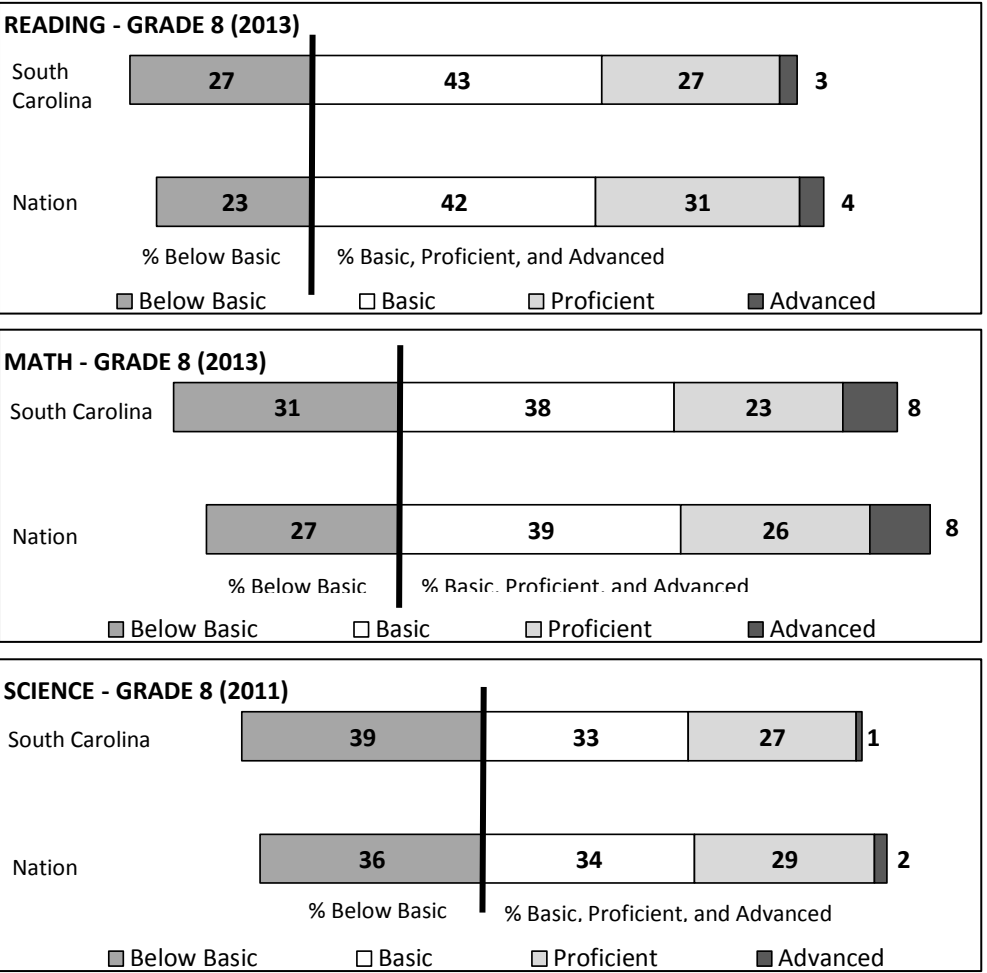
* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

SC PASS PERFORMANCE



NAEP*

*Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



END OF COURSE TESTS - 2014

% of Students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0%	98.0%
English 1	98.8%	95.9%
Biology 1	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	99.3%	97.6%

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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Brewer Middle School
GREENWOOD 50
SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle Schools
Students (n = 677)				
Students Enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	52.0%	Up from 44.4%	26.0%	26.0%
Retention rate	0.2%	Down from 1.1%	0.9%	0.6%
Attendance rate	96.8%	Up from 96.7%	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	37.3%	Down from 37.5%	20.0%	19.4%
With disabilities	11.0%	Up from 10.8%	13.2%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	4.0%	Down from 4.6%	6.0%	4.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.9%	Up from 0.8%	0.5%	0.4%
Annual dropout rate	0.2%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 43)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	62.8%	Down from 68.3%	61.2%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	81.4%	Down from 85.4%	77.3%	75.9%
Teachers returning from previous year	77.0%	Up from 76.3%	85.3%	85.4%
Teacher attendance rate	95.0%	Up from 93.9%	94.9%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$50,618	Down 0.3%	\$46,768	\$47,081
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	5.1%	Up from 0.0%	6.8%	5.8%
Professional development days/teacher	10.1 days	Up from 9.0 days	12.0 days	10.6 days
School				
Principal's years at school	5.0	Up from 4.0	5.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	8.5 to 1	Down from 23.1 to 1	21.8 to 1	21.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.6%	Up from 89.9%	89.8%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No change	98.6%	99.0%
Character development program	Good	No change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,033	Down 4.9%	\$7,410	\$7,616
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	63.8%	Down from 64.0%	61.8%	62.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	63.0%	Up from 62.0%	60.7%	61.3%
ESEA composite index score	65.3	No change	75.9	77.9

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

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	47	210	61
Percent satisfied with learning environment	93.6%	78.1%	88.5%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	82.2%	88.5%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	85.2%	88.5%	77.1%

*Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Brewer Middle School serves a diverse population of learners from multiple elementary schools in Greenwood District 50. We serve approximately 660 students in grades six through eight. Brewer offers a core program focusing on ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies and related arts classes which offer multiple opportunities for students. Brewer is also home to the ACTS Magnet Program. The Arts, Communication, and Theatre School uses a “school within a school” model providing artistically talented students with an academically challenging arts integrated curriculum.

Not only does Brewer offer an outstanding academic program, we also offer multiple opportunities for our students to excel in extra-curricular activities. Our athletic teams had a great year winning multiple conference and city championships. The Brewer Boy’s Soccer Team and the Girl’s Basketball Team went undefeated this year. Our Brewer Cheerleaders won multiple awards as well. Our ACTS voice students placed 8th overall in the State in the Mixed Choir Division. Fourteen of our drama students won awards this year in the SC Speech and Theatre Associations Middle School Festival.

Academically, Brewer Middle School had an excellent year. Nine of our students were recognized as Duke TIP Scholars, we inducted 56 new Beta Club members, and we had 29 Junior Scholars. We had four students selected to attend the South Carolina Governor’s School for the Arts.

Our students and staff did an excellent job this year with fundraising as well. We were recognized by The United Way for raising over 100% of our goal again this year. Clubs within our school also raised money for March of Dimes, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and the American Cancer Society. We had multiple canned food drives this year to assist families in our community. Brewer also maintains a food bank in which we help serve various organizations in our community.

Our teachers were provided with multiple professional development opportunities throughout the year. They attended Project CRISS training, Technology training, Compass Learning training, Common Core State Standards training, along with other sessions as well.

We are very proud of our accomplishments this year and we attribute our successes to our dedicated faculty and staff, our Parent Teacher Student Organization, an active School Improvement Council, excellent district level leadership, a supportive school board, and parental and community involvement.

Mr. Chad M. Evans – Principal
Mr. Lawerence Johnson – SIC Chairperson