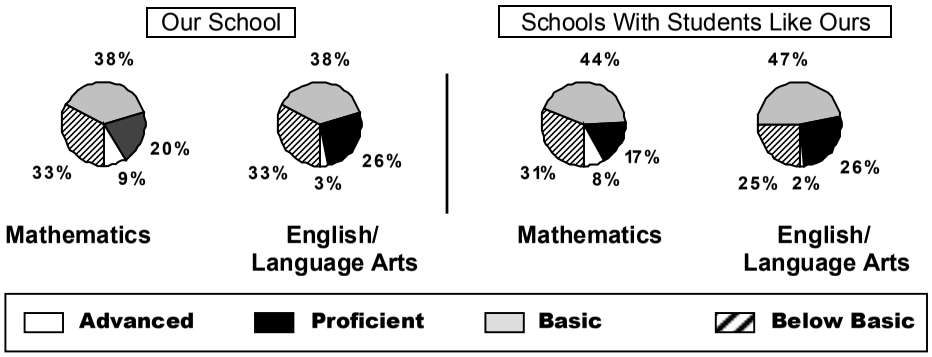
E P Todd Elementary

RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD

	Absolute Rating	Improvement Rating
2001	Average	Average
2002	Average	Below Average
2003		
2004		

(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS



DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:

- **Advanced** – Student performance exceeded expectations.
- **Proficient** – Student performance met expectations.
- **Basic** – Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- **Below Basic** – Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science and social studies scores are to be reported on the 2005 School Report Card.

PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING BASIC OR ABOVE ON THE PACT

Student Group	English/ Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
All students (n=461)	67.5%	67.2%	N/A	N/A
Students with disabilities(n=57) Other than Speech	33.3%	33.3%		
Students without disabilities (n=403)	72.5%	72.2%		
Gender				
Male (n=228)	61.8%	68.4%		
Female (n=233)	73.0%	66.1%		
Ethnic Group				
African American (n=294)	61.6%	59.9%		
Hispanic (n=4)	I/S	I/S		
White (n=139)	81.3%	80.6%		
Other (n=24)	58.3%	79.2%		
Lunch Status Group				
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=314)	59.2%	59.2%		
Pay for lunch (n=146)	85.6%	84.9%		

SCHOOL PROFILE: E P Todd Elementary

INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Elementary School
SCHOOL				
• Dollars spent per student	$6,419	Up 13.5%	$5,501	$5,509
• Prime instructional time	89.5%	Down from 90.9%	90.2%	90.4%
• Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	19.2 to 1	Down from 19.5 to 1	18.0 to 1	18.5 to 1
STUDENTS (n=839)				
• Attendance Rate	96.5%	Up from 96.2%	96.2%	96.4%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level	2.4%	No change	6.3%	5.2%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level	1.5%	Down from 1.7%	4.4%	4.0%
• First graders who attended full day kindergarten	98.3%	Up from 96.7%	97.9%	96.6%
• Retention rate	2.0%	Down from 2.4%	3.5%	3.4%
TEACHERS (n=57)				
• Professional Development days per teacher	14.2 Days	Up from 6.4 Days	10.0 Days	10.1 Days
• Attendance Rate	94.1%	Down from 95.3%	95.1%	95.2%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	64.9%	Up from 58.9%	45.5%	48.6%
• Continuing contract teachers	89.5%	Down from 94.6%	86.2%	85.3%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	1.8%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	89.6%	Down from 90.6%	86.9%	86.2%
• Average teacher salary	$42,635	Up 5.9%	$38,939	$39,333

SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Elementary School
SCHOOL				
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	61.9%	Down from 62.1%	66.0%	66.5%
• Principal's years at the school	22.0	Up from 21.0	4.0	4.0
• Parents attending conferences	99.0%	Up from 39.1%	99.0%	99.0%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
STUDENTS				
• On academic plans	45.4%	Down from 54.1%	41.2%	37.5%
• On academic probation	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
• Older than usual for grade	0.5%	Down from 0.9%	1.3%	1.2%
• Suspended or expelled	0.2%	N/A	0.1%	0.0%
• Gifted and talented	21.3%	Down from 21.4%	10.5%	12.6%
• With disabilities other than speech	8.1%	Down from 9.9%	8.3%	7.8%

ABBREVIATIONS FOR MISSING DATA
N/A - Not Applicable
N/C - Not Collected
N/R - Not Reported
I/S - Insufficient Sample

PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

2001-2002 saw us enjoy our second year in our brand new state-of-the-art facility. Our pride, commitment, and expectations have increased as a result of teaching in our new school.

We are very fortunate to have such a diverse student body and community. This diversity makes our school rather unique and presents many wonderful learning experiences and opportunities for our students and staff. We feel that our students will be better prepared to live in our ever-changing world.

Edwin P. Todd Elementary is proud to be in our second year of recognition as a "Flagship School of Promise." E.P. Todd was also recognized by the Education Trust as a school having high achievement in spite of having a majority of students on free or reduced price lunch. We are in the middle of implementing a five-year improvement plan for SACS and Act 135. We are looking forward to creatively improving our English/Language Arts program through the South Carolina Reading Initiative Grant, which involves K-5 teachers with a three-year goal of providing the best teachers of reading and students with the best reading experiences in the Southeast! Exemplary writing will continue to play a major role in our total curriculum. By stressing the Tiger Pride curriculum and character education, E.P. Todd Elementary assists in the development of resourceful and motivated students.

Goals for this school year will be to be designated as a SC Healthy School and a Red Carpet School. We also want to study the potential benefits of moving to a modified school year calendar for our students, teachers, and community.

Robert W. Page III

EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS, STUDENTS, AND PARENTS

	Teachers	Students	Parents
Number of Surveys Returned	37	128	26
Percent satisfied with learning environment	83.8%	81.0%	96.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	88.9%	84.0%	80.0%
Percent satisfied with home-school relations	67.6%	87.0%	84.6%

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.
Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.
Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.
Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.
Unsatisfactory – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

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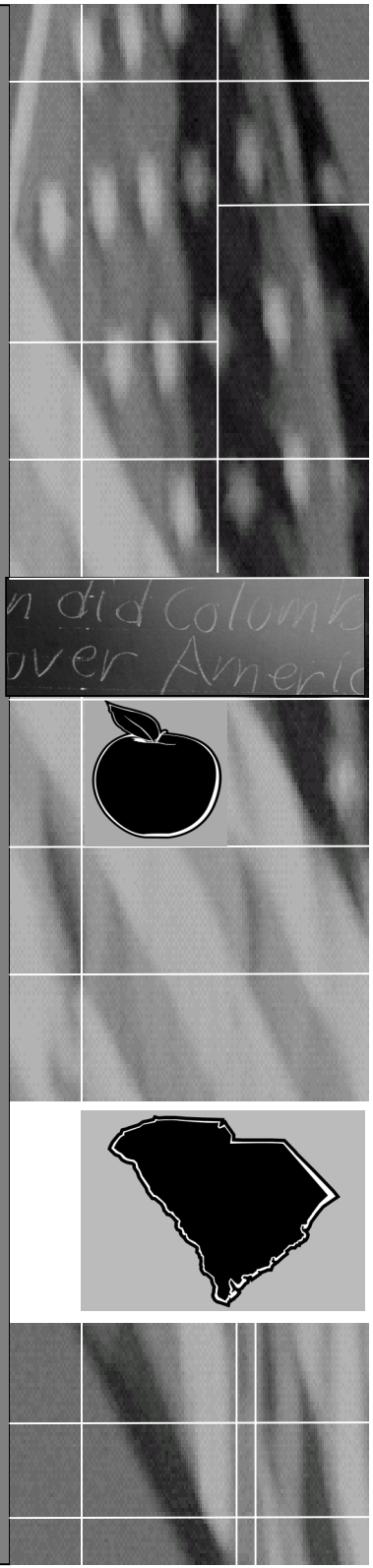

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150 Old Canaan Road
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Grades K-6 Elementary School

Enrollment: 839 Students

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School Report Card	2002

Absolute Rating:
Average

Improvement Rating:
Below Average

Absolute Ratings of Similar Schools

Unsatisfactory	Below Average	Average	Good	Excellent
0	1	59	31	1

South Carolina Performance Goal:
By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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