

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

NORTH MYRTLE BEACH HIGH

Horry

Grades: 9-12

Enrollment: 1,337

Principal: Trevor Strawderman

Superintendent: Dr. Cynthia Elsberry

Board Chair: Will Garland

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2010	Good	Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2009	Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2008	Average	Average	N/A	Silver	Not Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
1	12	23	1	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/24/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2009	2010	2009	2010
Passed 2 subtests (%)	79.6%	79.3%	76.1%	77.9%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	11.5%	12.3%	12.7%	11.4%
Passed no subtests (%)	8.9%	8.4%	11.2%	11.0%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2010

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	93.9%	89.8%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	373	281
Number of Diplomas	274	198
Rate (%)	73.5%	71.3%

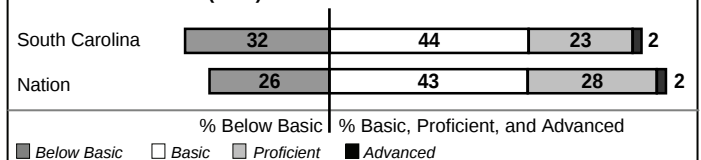
END OF COURSE TESTS - 2010

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	76.3	75.5
English 1	73.5	67.6
Physical Science	83.3	55.8
US History and the Constitution	54.8	42.6
All Tests	71.2	60.0

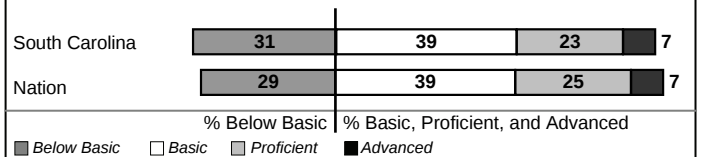
NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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

READING - GRADE 8 (2009)



MATH - GRADE 8 (2009)



SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2005)



SC PERFORMANCE GOAL

2010 Goal:

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

2020 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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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=1,337)				
Retention rate	2.3%	Down from 3.9%	3.7%	3.7%
Attendance rate	96.0%	Down from 96.2%	95.3%	95.4%
Eligible for gifted and talented	23.0%	Up from 20.3%	12.4%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	14.7%	Up from 14.3%	13.1%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	6.2%	Down from 6.3%	9.2%	9.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	7.6%	Up from 5.2%	1.1%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	22.7%	Down from 27.7%	13.2%	13.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	41.7%	Up from 29.0%	46.8%	50.4%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	30.0%	Down from 38.3%	30.9%	30.4%
Annual dropout rate	7.1%	Down from 9.0%	3.8%	3.1%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	1.0%	Down from 3.2%	1.3%	2.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	611	Down from 857	432	424
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	76.7%	Down from 78.8%	77.7%	78.7%
Teachers (n=73)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	53.4%	Down from 55.8%	59.4%	60.4%
Continuing contract teachers	79.5%	Up from 77.9%	79.5%	76.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	4.6%	Down from 5.6%	6.1%	6.5%
Teachers returning from previous year	88.9%	Up from 84.2%	87.6%	86.8%
Teacher attendance rate	94.1%	Down from 95.0%	95.6%	95.8%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,131	Up 1.9%	\$47,175	\$47,390
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	4.3%	Up from 3.0%	1.5%	2.8%
Professional development days/teacher	10.8 days	Down from 19.6 days	10.8 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 2.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	33.3 to 1	Up from 31.9 to 1	27.0 to 1	25.8 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.2%	Down from 89.7%	89.3%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,245	Up 5.1%	\$7,751	\$7,974
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	54.6%	Up from 42.4%	54.3%	55.4%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	60.1%	Down from 60.5%	59.5%	60.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 88.2%	95.4%	96.0%
Character development program	Below Average	Down from Good	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	57.1%	Down from 66.7%	68.0%	69.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	80	96	49
Percent satisfied with learning environment	83.5%	93.7%	89.8%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	91.1%	97.9%	79.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	75.9%	90.5%	87.5%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2009-2010 school year has brought many changes to North Myrtle Beach High School. There have been stellar achievements both academically and athletically. Below are a few of the accolades and achievements of North Myrtle Beach High this year.

* NMBHS earned Summa Cum Laude status for SAT Improvement.

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*NMBHS was awarded a \$6000 grant aimed at drop-out prevention.

*NMBHS was awarded the bronze medal in the US News and World Report rankings of the nation's best high schools.

* We have an incredible number of National Board Certified teachers that are teaching at NMBH. There are also several teachers that are in various stages of the National Board certification process.

* The senior class of 2010 earned over \$5.4 million in scholarships.

* Eighty-eight seniors qualified for the Life Scholarship.

* The NMBH Culinary Arts team earned 1st place in the state culinary competition and traveled to Kansas City to participate in National Competition.

* Our School Improvement Council met monthly and provided valuable information throughout the school term. North Myrtle Beach High School is an outstanding high school with a very rich history. We look forward to continued collaboration with the community and school in order to produce one of the premier schools in the nation. Trevor Strawderman, Principal
Mary Gail Stanaland, Chairperson, School Improvement Council

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