

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

DORMAN HIGH
Spartanburg 6
Grades: 9-12
Principal: Jerry M. Wyatt
Superintendent: Darryl Owings
Board Chair: Mr. Alex Meadows

Enrollment: 2,433

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	Excellent	Below Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2009	Good	Good	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A
2008	Average	Good	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
4	17	11	0	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 (%)	80.3%	83.2%	77.7%	80.5%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	11.1%	8.0%	12.3%	10.9%
Passed no subtests (%)	8.6%	8.8%	10.0%	8.8%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2010

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	92.2%	91.2%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	842	325
Number of Diplomas	682	239
Rate (%)	81.0%	72.6%

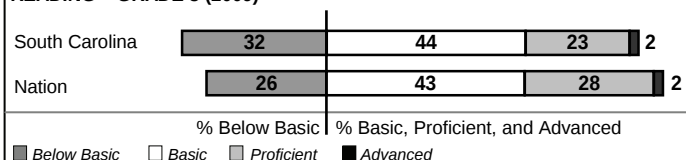
END OF COURSE TESTS - 2010

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	77.8	76.5
English 1	78.0	70.9
Physical Science	72.5	62.2
US History and the Constitution	46.5	48.3
All Tests	68.6	64.1

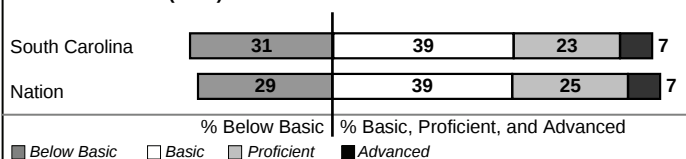
NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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

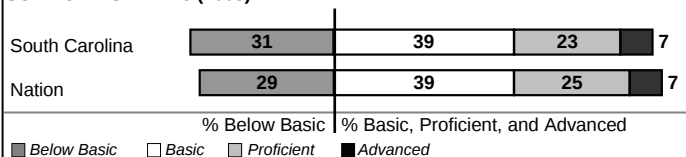
READING - GRADE 8 (2009)



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=2,433)				
Retention rate	1.8%	Down from 2.6%	3.0%	3.7%
Attendance rate	99.0%	Up from 95.3%	95.7%	95.4%
Eligible for gifted and talented	0.0%	No Change	16.4%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	8.9%	Up from 8.6%	12.5%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	4.9%	Down from 6.1%	7.7%	9.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	4.5%	Down from 5.2%	1.5%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	18.9%	Down from 20.6%	18.4%	13.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	79.9%	Up from 78.7%	59.4%	50.4%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	30.7%	Down from 33.1%	32.5%	30.4%
Annual dropout rate	3.2%	Down from 3.4%	3.4%	3.1%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	1.3%	Up from 1.0%	1.8%	2.2%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	775	Down from 1354	544	424
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	85.0%	Up from 83.9%	79.5%	78.7%
Teachers (n=166)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	63.9%	Down from 64.4%	64.1%	60.4%
Continuing contract teachers	72.9%	Down from 78.1%	79.8%	76.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	4.1%	Up from 3.4%	4.6%	6.5%
Teachers returning from previous year	90.7%	Up from 87.9%	87.8%	86.8%
Teacher attendance rate	95.8%	No Change	96.0%	95.8%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,724	Up 0.0%	\$48,712	\$47,390
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	4.2%	Up from 2.6%	0.6%	2.8%
Professional development days/teacher	7.6 days	Up from 7.2 days	10.1 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	9.0	Up from 8.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	26.6 to 1	Down from 26.7 to 1	28.5 to 1	25.8 to 1
Prime instructional time	94.5%	Up from 90.4%	91.2%	90.1%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,866	Down 0.5%	\$7,402	\$7,974
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	54.4%	Up from 41.2%	56.2%	55.4%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	61.2%	Down from 61.9%	60.7%	60.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	94.5%	96.0%
Character development program	Good	Down from Excellent	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	86.2%	Up from 75.8%	69.2%	69.2%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Dorman High School and Dorman Freshman Campus are excited to announce that 690 seniors received a South Carolina High School Diploma on May 27, 2010. The Class of 2010 included 13 students who were recognized in the National Merit Scholarship Program, a Presidential Scholar nominee, 14 AP Scholars, 44 Palmetto Fellows, and 331 students who earned the Presidential Award for Academic Excellence. Collectively, the Class of 2010 was awarded 13.8 million dollars in scholarships. Certainly, all stakeholders in Spartanburg School District Six can feel proud of the accomplishments of the Class of 2010!

After many months of extensive research and planning, we are excited to launch our Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program. During the fall of 2010, 55 freshmen will comprise our initial STEM cohort. Our program represents a partnership between our middle, high, and technical schools along with local businesses, colleges, and universities. Participants in our STEM Program will have the opportunity to experience innovative and accelerated STEM-related coursework. We are convinced that an increase in rigor in these subjects and the opportunity for more relevant experiences will benefit the students of Spartanburg School District Six for many years to come.

It is no secret that publicly funded agencies and organizations in South Carolina face tremendous challenges in 2010-2011 due to significant funding reductions. Dorman High School and Dorman Freshman Campus are not immune to these challenges. Even so, please be reassured that we will work to fulfill our mission to provide each student with a quality education so that our graduates are prepared to function independently as productive members of society. Go Cavaliers!

Jerry Wyatt and Mark Smith, Principals

Susan Giardina and Troy Christensen, SIC Chairs

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	98	647	220
Percent satisfied with learning environment	85.6%	84.2%	87.9%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	90.5%	85.8%	80.1%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	77.3%	86.3%	81.9%

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

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