

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Hopkins Middle School
Richland School District One
Grades: 6-8 Enrollment: 513
Principal: Bobbie Hartwell
Superintendent: Dr. Percy A. Mack
Board Chair: Dwayne Smiling

PERFORMANCE

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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
2012	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	D	N/A
2011	Below Average	Average	Silver	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

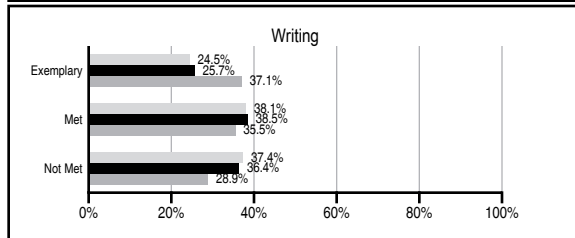
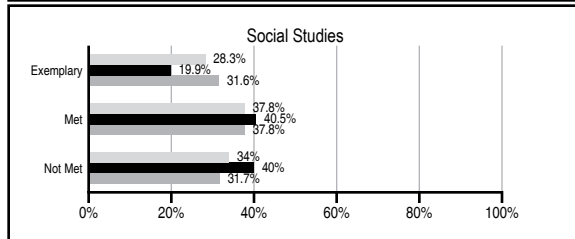
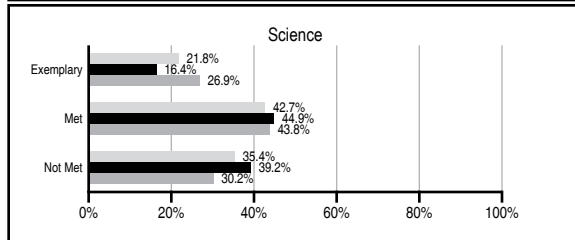
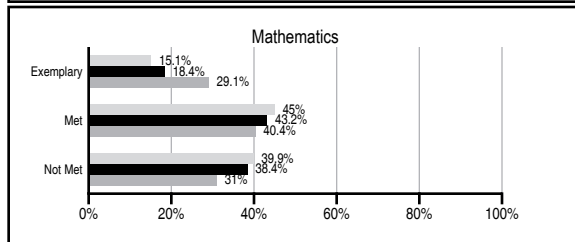
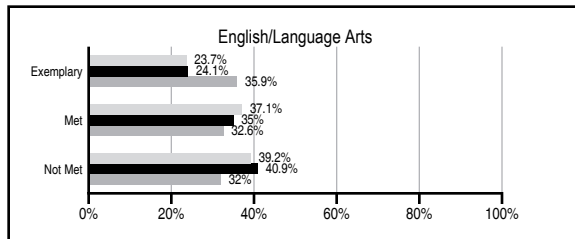
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	2	39	10	7

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

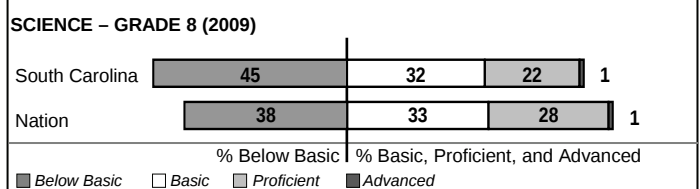
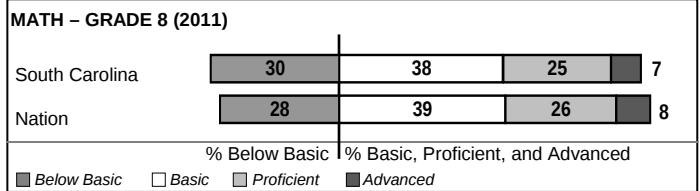
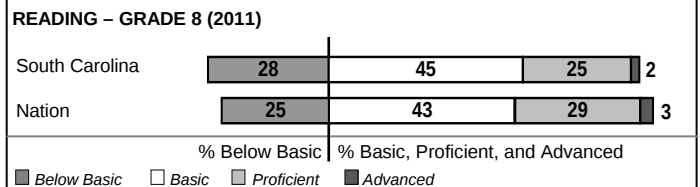
PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Middle Schools with Students Like Ours Middle schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

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



END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012

% 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	94.2
English 1	N/A	83.3
Physical Science	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	100.0	92.3

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.

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=513)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	40.2%	Up from 31.3%	16.8%	22.9%
Retention rate	0.0%	Down from 0.2%	1.1%	0.8%
Attendance rate	96.1%	No Change	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	1.0%	No Change	0.6%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	Down from 0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=38)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	76.3%	Up from 75.6%	60.0%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	83.9%	Down from 86.2%	81.6%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	94.3%	Up from 92.5%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,215	Up 1.6%	\$45,043	\$46,422
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	7.5%	Down from 7.6%	2.5%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	10.2 days	Up from 3.9 days	10.2 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	6.0	Up from 5.0	3.5	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.3 to 1	Up from 20.0 to 1	21.1 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.2%	Up from 87.7%	89.6%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.3%	Down from 100.0%	98.8%	98.8%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$8,203	Down 18.2%	\$8,203	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	66.6%	Down from 69.3%	61.5%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	63.9%	Up from 63.3%	56.9%	60.9%
ESEA composite index score	63.0	N/A	82.7	88.1

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	34	125	14
Percent satisfied with learning environment	51.6%	76.6%	84.6%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	69.7%	79.7%	84.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	41.2%	81.0%	84.6%

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

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Hopkins Middle School, a Flagship School of Promise, has maintained an average student population of 510 students for the 2011-2012 school year. Hopkins Middle has focused on several goals and objectives, which centered on continuous improvement through technology integration, data driven decisions, enhanced public relations that showcased positive innovative programs, and monthly professional development for teachers. We are especially proud that we were recognized by the State Department as a Palmetto Silver School for our Growth Index on our PASS scores averaging a 92.2% for the last three years.

Hopkins Middle implemented several initiatives to intensify instructional delivery. Teachers used common planning times to collaborate and develop aligned assessments. Our daily literacy block allows researched based instruction of reading and writing strategies. Data from MAP testing was used to group students and to provide individualized information on student's academic strengths and weaknesses in math and reading. Hopkins Middle has acquired five computer labs; a Computer Modular lab that features robotics, forensic science, computer animation, etc. NASA'S Distance Learning Lab was used to promote science lessons with Richland One Challenger Center. All core content classrooms have Smartboards, Wireless slates and access to Document cameras, and Senteo systems. The Comprehensive Remediation After-School Program and Saturday PASS Academy provided additional academic assistance. Weekly school-wide Academic Enrichment instruction targeted specific areas that mandated growth noted by MAP scores and Common assessments.

Hopkins Middle has strived to increase parental involvement. Parents participated and enjoyed Social Studies Night, performing arts presentations, 6th Grade Orientation, Science Night, and Wellness night. Our PTA and SIC are very active, and have provided great assistance with school initiatives. We have established business partnerships with Westinghouse, Lower Richland High School, Fort Jackson, Benedict College, SYSCO Inc., University of South Carolina, Palmetto Community Services, Wal-Mart, Piggly-Wiggly, McDonalds, Chic-Fil-A, Tri-County Electric, and Zaxby's.

Our students continue to excel in many academic and extra-curricular activities. It was great to note that over 200 students passed at least three areas on PASS in 2011. Our boys' basketball team was the district runner-up in the District's Basketball Championship. Hopkins Middle School was represented with 4 Middle School and South Carolina Junior Scholars. Hopkins Middle School also had several students that participated in the district's Honors Dance, Band, and Chorus programs.

Our motto, "Hopkins Middle School Eagles Fly First Class", signifies that although we have made significant gains, we shall continue to cultivate student achievement and parent-school relationships through engagement.

Goler Collins III, Principal
Natalya Goodwin, SIC Chairperson

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