



SC Annual School
Report Card
Summary

Midway Elementary School
KERSHAW COUNTY
Grades: PK-5 Enrollment: 402
Principal: Dell N. Brabham
Superintendent: Frank E. Morgan, Ed.D.
Board Chair: Mara H. Jones

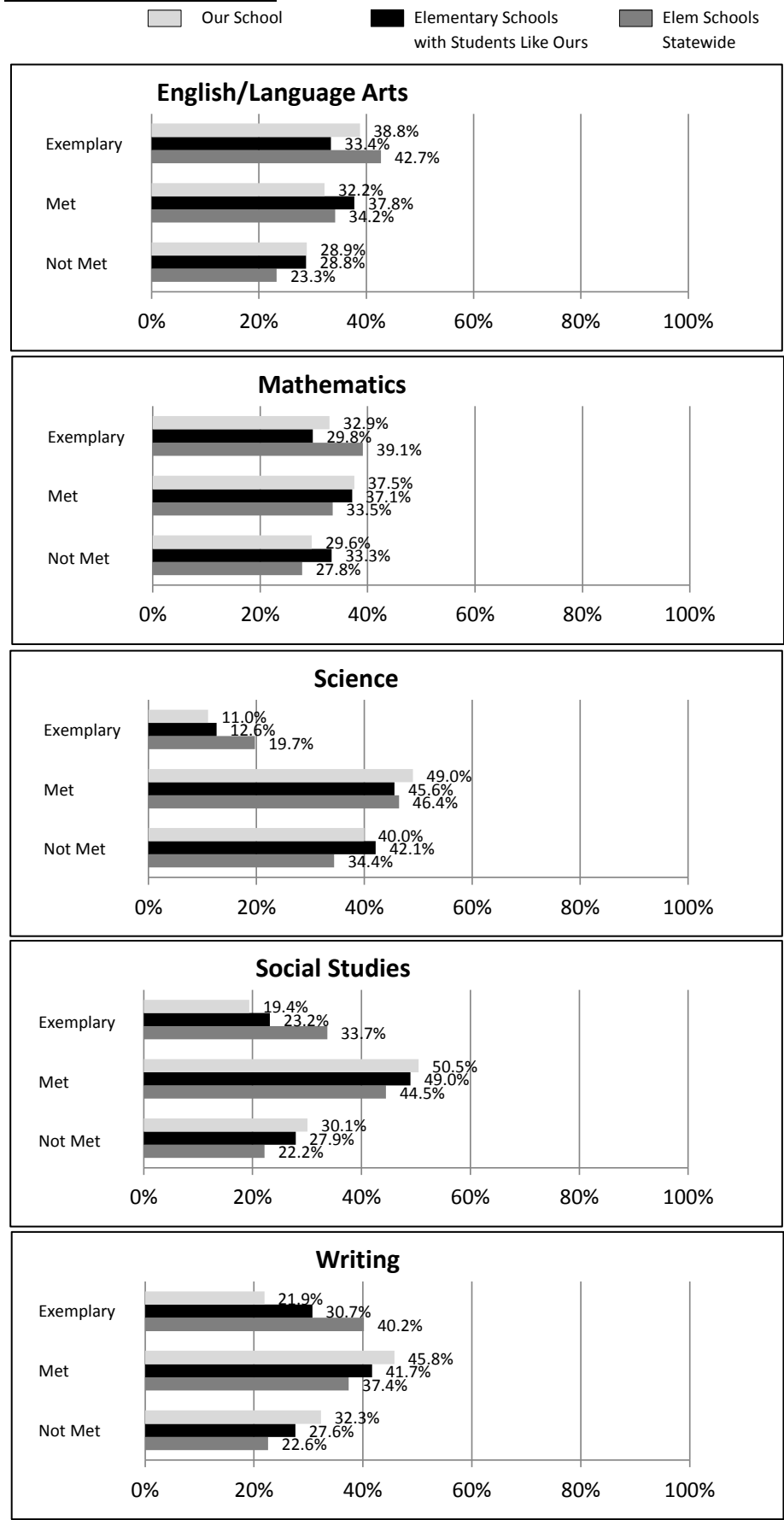
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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2014	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	B	Reward
2013	Average	Average	N/A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

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
10	15	115	10	2

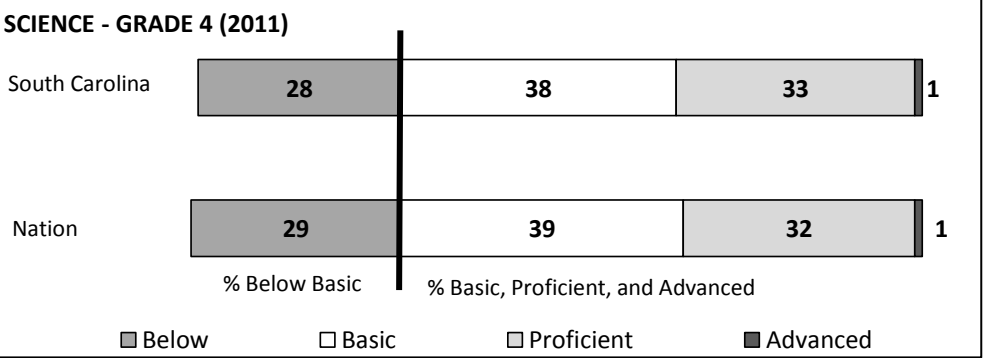
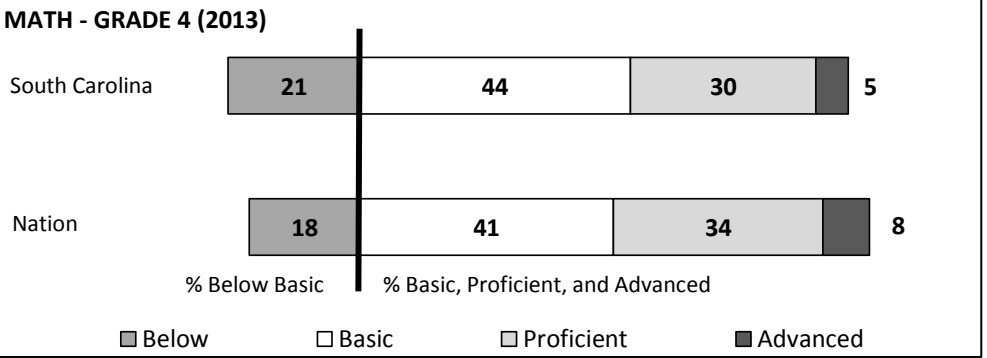
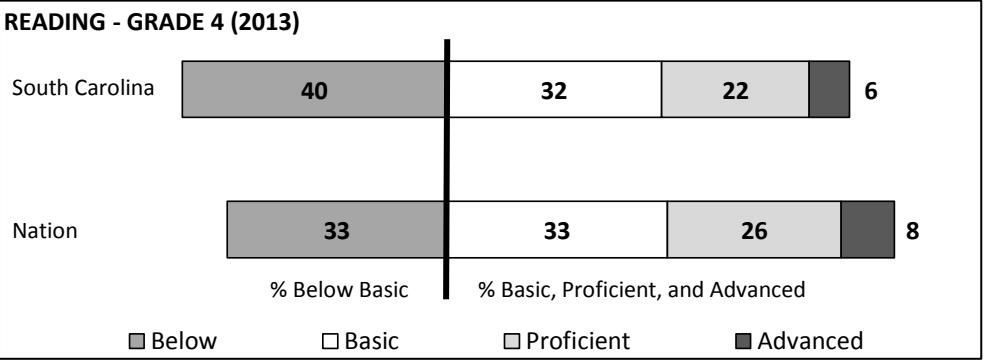
* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

SC PASS PERFORMANCE



NAEP*

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



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

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary Schools
Students (n = 402)				
Retention rate	2.7%	Up from 1.2%	1.4%	1.0%
Attendance rate	96.0%	No change	96.0%	96.5%
Served by gifted and talented program	8.3%	Up from 8.0%	4.6%	7.3%
With disabilities	11.5%	Down from 13.6%	13.5%	12.5%
Older than usual for grade	3.4%	Up from 2.9%	2.4%	1.8%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 23)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	60.9%	Up from 55.0%	60.7%	62.3%
Continuing contract teachers	91.3%	Up from 90.0%	80.0%	81.2%
Teachers returning from previous year	87.1%	Up from 84.1%	87.1%	88.4%
Teacher attendance rate	96.4%	Up from 94.8%	95.1%	95.3%
Average teacher salary*	\$51,421	Down 5.9%	\$47,037	\$47,902
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.9%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	9.9 days	Down from 10.1 days	11.2 days	10.9 days
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.3 to 1	Down from 21.8 to 1	19.3 to 1	19.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.8%	Up from 89.0%	90.1%	90.7%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	97.0%	Up from 87.7%	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Good	Up from Average	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,088	Up 8.7%	\$8,039	\$7,680
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	67.6%	Down from 68.0%	66.0%	66.8%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	66.6%	Up from 66.0%	65.2%	66.0%
ESEA composite index score	83.7	Down from 97.7	79.6	85.7

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

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	20	44	21
Percent satisfied with learning environment	95.0%	88.7%	76.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	84.1%	76.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	75.0%	93.2%	76.2%

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

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Here at Midway, we continue our vision by aggressively working to assure “Success for every student, every day!” We are proud to say that we have a great community of stakeholders who are also doing their part. Many wonderful events have taken place this school year, and we continue to strive to be the best we can possibly be. Our report card rating of “A” with a grade of 97.7 attests to the hard work that is exemplified by our dedicated staff.

We continue our monthly focus on lifeskills in an attempt to assist our students with their personal best behavior. Our district wide PBIS Program continues to assist us with increased time on task for our “bright bobcats.” Student achievement continues to be one of our top priorities, as we set high expectations, not only for our students, but for our staff as well. In order for our continued growth, we have spent a considerable amount of our time this past year on professional development opportunities for all of our staff members. Our staff has participated in over 200 days of professional development.

Our grant writing team was successful in writing and being awarded a state funded “At Risk Grant,” totaling over \$270,000. We began implementing our PAWS Afterschool program in February, which was held on Tuesday, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after school for 50 of our 3rd-5th grade students. Students also enjoyed an extended program that continued through the first three weeks of June. The grant program will continue for the next two years.

With the support of one of our community partners, Fort Jackson, our new playground equipment was installed in March and made available for students to enjoy. We enjoyed our second annual Juniors Rodeo, hosting contestants from all over South Carolina and North Carolina. The 90th year celebration was culminated with the burying of a time capsule, which will be dug up at the 100th year celebration in 10 years.

Midway has grown to over 400 students, which includes our ½ day 4k student body. We have accomplished much this year and will continue to reach for the stars! Our students deserve nothing but the best that we have to offer. Many thanks to our parents and to the business community for your continued support! Together we can do great things!

Dell N. Brabham, M.Ed, Principal

Crystal Stukes, SIC Chairperson

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