

**South Carolina School and District Ratings
2001-2002 and 2002-2003**

Summary Tables

**Table 1
ALL SCHOOLS (K-2 PRIMARY, ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, AND HIGH SCHOOLS)
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 School Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of School Report Cards**

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	217 (19.9)	191 (18.1)	75 (7.0)	94 (8.9)
Good	352 (32.3)	354 (33.5)	177 (16.4)	183 (17.4)
Average	324 (29.8)	304 (28.7)	89 (8.2)	186 (17.6)
Below Average	150 (13.8)	159 (15.0)	274 (25.4)	311 (29.5)
Unsatisfactory	46 (4.2)	50 (4.7)	464 (43.0)	280 (26.6)
New/Special - No Rating	15	22	14	26
Total	1089 (100)	1058* (100)	1079* (100)	1054* (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding. Some schools may have received more than one report card if the school contained more than one organizational grade level (Elementary, Middle, High).

*24 schools receiving Absolute and Improvement ratings in 2003 were missing 2002 data, most likely because they were new schools in 2003.

**Based on data from the SC Department of Education, October 2003.

**Table 2
K-2 PRIMARY SCHOOLS ONLY (GRADE 2 IS HIGHEST GRADE LEVEL)
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 School Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of School Report Cards**

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	23 (100)	20 (100)	4 (20.0)	10 (55.6)
Good	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	16 (80.0)	8 (44.4)
Average	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Below Average	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Unsatisfactory	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
New/Special – No Rating	0	3	3	5
Total	23 (100)	20 (100)	20 (100)	18 (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

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Table 3
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS ONLY
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 School Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of School Report Cards

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	114 (18.8)	108 (18.3)	27 (4.5)	36 (6.1)
Good	225 (37.1)	211 (35.8)	94 (15.5)	124 (21.1)
Average	197 (32.5)	191 (32.4)	51 (8.4)	99 (16.8)
Below Average	65 (10.7)	74 (12.6)	142 (23.5)	152 (25.8)
Unsatisfactory	5 (0.8)	5 (0.8)	291 (48.1)	178 (30.2)
New/Special - No Rating	3	2	4	2
Total	606 (100)	589* (100)	605 (100)	589* (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding. Some schools may have received more than one report card if the school contained more than one organizational grade level (Elementary, Middle, High).

*18 schools receiving Absolute and Improvement ratings in 2003 were missing 2002 data, most likely because they were new schools in 2003.

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Table 4
MIDDLE SCHOOLS ONLY
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 School Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of School Report Cards

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	13 (4.8)	14 (5.3)	1 (0.4)	8 (3.0)
Good	70 (26.0)	73 (27.7)	16 (5.9)	28 (10.6)
Average	96 (35.7)	90 (34.1)	23 (8.6)	77 (29.2)
Below Average	70 (26.0)	66 (25.0)	91 (33.8)	104 (39.4)
Unsatisfactory	20 (7.4)	21 (8.0)	138 (51.3)	47 (17.8)
New/Special – No Rating	1	2	1	2
Total	269 (100)	264* (100)	269 (100)	264* (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding. Some schools may have received more than one report card if the school contained more than one organizational grade level (Elementary, Middle, High).

*4 schools receiving Absolute and Improvement ratings in 2003 were missing 2002 data, most likely because they were new schools in 2003.

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Table 5
HIGH SCHOOLS ONLY
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 School Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of School Report Cards

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	67 (35.1)	49 (26.5)	43 (23.2)	40 (21.9)
Good	57 (29.8)	70 (37.8)	51 (27.6)	23 (12.6)
Average	31 (16.2)	23 (12.4)	15 (8.1)	10 (5.5)
Below Average	15 (7.8)	19 (10.3)	41 (22.2)	55 (30.0)
Unsatisfactory	21 (11.0)	24 (13.0)	35 (18.9)	55 (30.0)
New/Special - No Rating	11	15	6	17
Total	191 (100)	185* (100)	185* (100)	183* (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding. Some schools may have received more than one report card if the school contained more than one organizational grade level (Elementary, Middle, High).

*2 schools receiving Absolute and Improvement ratings in 2003 were missing 2002 data, most likely because they were new schools in 2003.

**Based on data from the SC Department of Education, October 2003.

Table 6
DISTRICTS ONLY
2001-2002 and 2002-2003 District Report Card Ratings
Number and Percentage of District Report Cards

Rating	2003 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2002 Absolute Performance Rating Number (%)	2003 Improvement Rating Number (%)	2002 Improvement Rating Number (%)
Excellent	9 (10.6)	3 (3.5)	4 (4.7)	1 (1.2)
Good	26 (30.6)	27 (31.8)	7 (8.2)	3 (3.6)
Average	32 (37.7)	33 (38.8)	24 (28.2)	28 (33.3)
Below Average	10 (11.8)	20 (23.5)	20 (23.5)	45 (53.6)
Unsatisfactory	8 (9.4)	2 (2.4)	30 (35.3)	7 (8.3)
New/Special - No Rating	0	0	0	1
Total	85 (100)	85 (100)	85 (100)	84 (100)

Note: Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

*Based on data from the SC Department of Education, October 2003.