



**Apex High**

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Grades 9-12  
Regular School  
Traditional Calendar

Wake County Schools

**HIGH STUDENT PERFORMANCE**

**Performance of Students in Each Course on the ABCs End-of-Course Tests**

Percentage of Students' Scores At or Above Grade Level

	English I	Algebra I	Algebra II	Geometry	Biology	Chemistry	Physical Science	Physics	Civics & Econ.	US History
<b>Our School</b>	90.0	89.0	88.0	84.0	83.0	---	---	---	84.0	82.0
<b>District</b>	80.0	79.0	74.0	73.0	74.0	---	---	---	75.0	74.0
<b>State</b>	72.0	67.0	65.0	63.0	65.0	---	---	---	66.0	65.0

N/A = 5 or fewer students

\*Chemistry, Physical Science, and Physics End-of-Course tests were not administered for ABCs calculations during 2006-07.

**SCHOOL PROFILE**

**School Size**

The total number of students in this school and the average number of students in schools with similar grade ranges at the district and state levels.

OUR SCHOOL	DISTRICT	STATE
2,172	1,542	989

**Average Course Size**

The average number of students enrolled in the the courses listed at the time of testing.

	OUR SCHOOL	DISTRICT	STATE
English I	27	17	16
Algebra I	16	22	18
Algebra II	22	21	17
Geometry	23	18	17
Biology	18	19	15
Civics & Econ	22	17	16
US History	20	16	15

**Performance of Each Student Group on the ABCs End-of-Course Tests**

Percentage of Passing Scores on the End-of-Course Tests Grouped by Gender, Ethnicity, and Other Factors.

	Male	Female	White	Black	Hispanic	Amer. Indian	Asian Pacific Islander	Multi-Racial	E.D.	N.E.D.	L.E.P.	Migrant Students	Students with Disabilities
<b>Our School</b>	86.2	85.0	90.5	56.5	57.2	N/A	83.6	77.6	48.6	88.4	45.2	N/A	70.1
<b># of tests taken</b>	1,764	1,853	2,924	294	173	4	146	76	253	3,365	93	0	435
<b>District</b>	76.8	75.0	87.8	50.6	58.9	78.6	88.8	76.7	50.9	81.5	42.8	N/A	51.9
<b>State</b>	66.8	66.1	77.0	45.7	55.0	55.2	78.1	69.6	50.7	73.8	38.7	N/A	38.2

E.D. = Economically Disadvantaged

N.E.D. = Not Economically Disadvantaged

L.E.P. = Limited English Proficiency

\* N/A = 5 or fewer students

**School Attendance**

The average percentage of students who attend school daily.

<b>Our School</b>	96
<b>District</b>	95
<b>State</b>	95

**SAFE, ORDERLY AND CARING SCHOOLS**

**School Safety**

The number of acts of crime or violence reported below includes all acts occurring in school, at a bus stop, on a school bus, on school grounds or during off-campus, school-sponsored activities.

Out of 2,172 students in our school, there were a total of 11 act[s] of crime or violence.

**The number of acts of crime or violence reported per 100 students:**

<b>OUR SCHOOL</b>	1
<b>DISTRICT</b>	1
<b>STATE</b>	1

**Access to Technology**

Percentage of classrooms connected to the Internet



**Keeping you informed**

More information about your school is available on the NC School Report Cards Web site at: <http://www.ncreportcards.org>

**HIGH STUDENT PERFORMANCE, CONTINUED**

**School Performance**

Each year, schools in North Carolina may receive several designations based on their performance on the state's ABCs tests. These designations are awarded on the basis of the percentage of students performing at grade level and on whether students have learned as much as they are expected to learn in one year. The designations earned by your school are displayed below, followed by a brief description of each designation.

**Our School's Designation(s):** School of Distinction, Expected Growth

DESIGNATION	PERFORMANCE: STUDENTS PERFORMING AT GRADE LEVEL	GROWTH: LEARNING ACHIEVED IN ONE YEAR			PERCENT OF SCHOOLS WITH DESIGNATION	
		High Growth	Expected Growth	Expected Growth Not Achieved	DISTRICT	STATE
HONOR SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE	At least 90% of students at grade level and the school made adequate yearly progress (AYP)				5	1
SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE	At least 90% of students at grade level				0	1
SCHOOL OF DISTINCTION	At least 80% of students at grade level		✓		23	6
SCHOOL OF PROGRESS	At least 60% of students at grade level				50	46
NO RECOGNITION	60 to 100% of students at grade level				9	9
PRIORITY SCHOOL	50 to 60% of students at grade level, OR Less than 50% of students at grade level				14	32
LOW PERFORMING	Less than 50% of students at grade level				0	5

**Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) Results**

North Carolina has set target goals that schools must meet to make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) under the federal No Child Left Behind act. Our school made adequate yearly progress.

Our school met 17 out of 17 AYP targets.

In any group where the percentage of students at a grade level is greater than 95% or less than 5%, the actual values may not be displayed because of federal privacy regulations. In these cases the results will be shown as >95% or <5% for the group.

**QUALITY TEACHERS**

	Total Number of Classroom Teachers*	Fully Licensed Teachers	Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	Teachers with Advanced Degrees	National Board Certified Teachers*	Years of Teaching Experience			Teacher Turnover Rate
						0-3 years	4-10 years	10+ years	
<b>Our School</b>	133	95%	100%	29%	22	14%	32%	54%	21%
<b>District</b>	101	96%	98%	32%	15	22%	30%	48%	20%
<b>State</b>	63	89%	96%	25%	8	22%	25%	53%	22%

\* The total number of teachers in this school and the average number of teachers in schools with similar grade ranges at the district and state level.

**Becoming involved in your child's school is one way to guarantee success in the classroom. Working together, we can create superior schools for all children.**

Michael F. Easley,  
Governor, State of North Carolina