- **Fewer third-graders** in the Charlotte region **are failing** reading and math.
- More **eighth-graders are excelling in math**, with students in Cleveland, Rowan and Iredell counties leading the way.
- Among **high school** students in the area, **just over half pass tests in U.S. history.**

HOW DOES YOUR SCHOOL RATE?

Inside today's paper: Special section on schools in 17 counties of the Charlotte region ►

Your schools: A to Z

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Special section has the details on how schools measure up

By TED MELLNIK
Staff Writer

It's an annual ritual in the Carolinas: Hundreds of thousands of students pick up their pencils and take standardized tests.

The results are tabulated by computer and sent to the students and their schools.

What happens next is up to you.

DAVIE HINSHAW/Staff

Educators are telling us more than ever before about our public schools. And in today's Observer, a special section gives you a statistical snapshot of how students at public schools in 17 counties of the Charlotte region are doing in their classrooms.

With this section, you can compare your school with others. You get the information you need to ask questions about why reading scores are going up or down. You can check how much experience teaching staffs have.

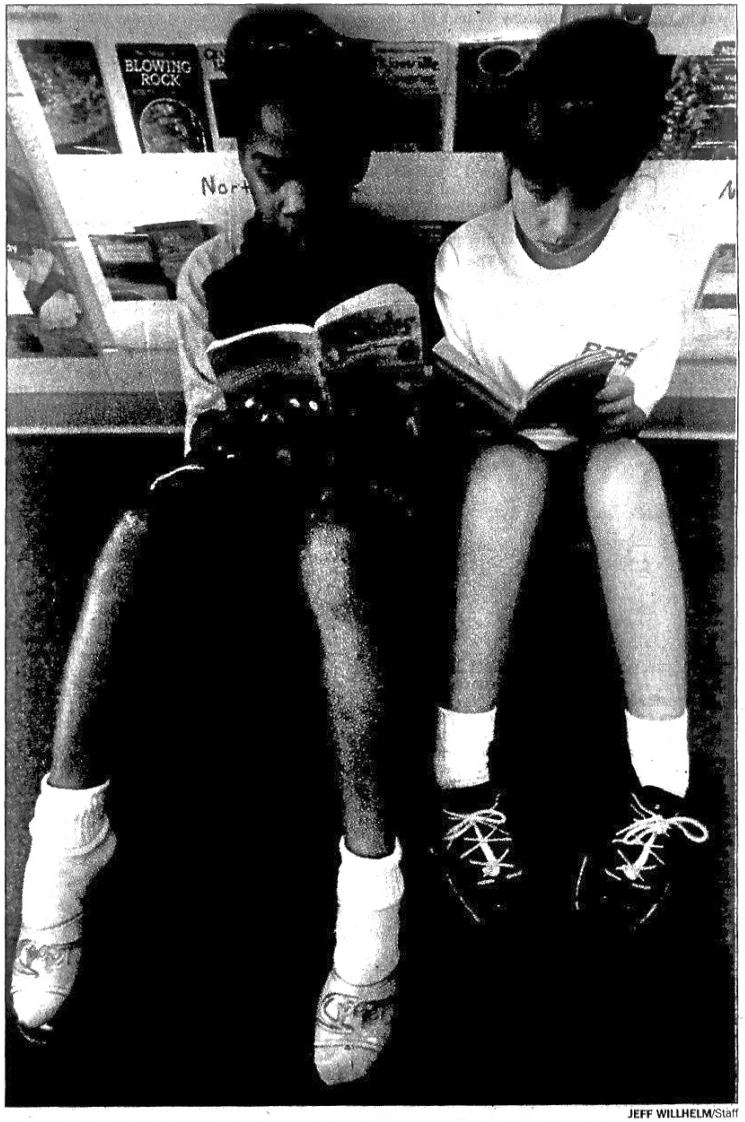
The section highlights the results from three key age groups: third grade, eighth grade and high school. It presents information from the 1995-96 school year, since this year's scores aren't yet available.

There's good news in the test results: Fewer third-graders are failing the reading test. Fewer third-graders are failing math. More are making top scores.

But there's also some less optimistic news: Many of the overall scores did not rise from the previous year.

You'll also find stories of teachers making a difference. Of a community that cut class size to improve education. And of poor children who are doing well on standardized tests.

With this information, "the public can be intelligent consumers," says Weaver Rogers, a state education official. "If they're happy, that's fine. And if not, they can express their concerns."



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Candais Robinson, left, and Audrey Smithey read together at Southwest Elementary School in Hickory. The school has shown big improvements in reading test scores.

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How does your school rate?

This eight-page special report lets you begin to answer that question.

It is a statistical snapshot of almost 500 public schools in 21 N.C. and six S.C. school districts in 17 counties in the Charlotte area. This is the first time The Observer has published such a comprehensive report.

In this section, you can learn about test scores and a range of demographic information at these schools. And not only can you look up your children's schools, you can compare schools across the region.

Thinking of moving to Union County? You can check out Indian Trail Elementary.

Wondering which Lake Norman community has good junior highs? This report shows the results for all the school districts around the lake.

Want to see if your high school in Charlotte has more kids than others nearby? Or compare its record against others in the same school district or across the region? You can do it here.

These numbers won't replace visiting schools, talking to students and teachers, and seeing for yourself what life is like at school.

But it's a starting place — and an important one.

There is more information than ever before available on individual schools, thanks in large part to state laws requiring public disclosure of the information.

"There's been a realization among state legislators and board of education members that it would be helpful if the public had data about the public schools and their performance," said Weaver Rogers, executive director for the State Board of Education in Raleigh.

"And then the public can be intelligent consumers. If they're happy, that's fine. And if not, they can express their concerns."

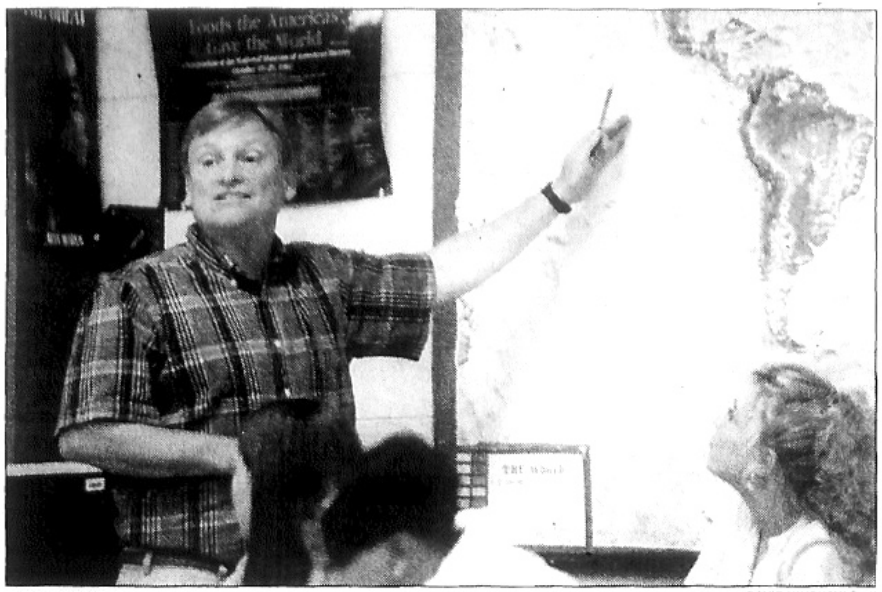
This package focuses on end-of-grade and end-of-course test data from the 1995-96 school year, the most recent available. The tests are aimed at measuring students' achievement and seeing whether they are learning what they are supposed to. This section also includes demographics, such as a school's enrollment and how many students are enrolled in the free lunch program.

It was compiled by The Observer based on reports from the state and the individual districts.

The listings focus on the test performance of students at three key stages of education: third grade, when the tests are first administered; eighth grade, when the children are preparing to enter high school; and in high school.

For information about test results for other grades and courses, contact the schools or school districts.

Not included in the listings are private schools, which don't take these standardized tests. Many private schools administer other standardized tests and often report the test results in different ways.



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Social studies teacher Ray Fumo engages students in a history class at Parkwood High School in Monroe, where test scores are fourth-highest among the 66 schools in the region.

ABOUT THIS SECTION

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TO LEARN MORE

All N.C. public schools publish an annual report with test results and other performance measures. For more information, call your school system.

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Burke County	704-437-4482
Cabarrus County	704-786-6191
Caldwell County	704-728-8407
Catawba County	704-465-7092
Charlotte-Meck.	704-379-7010
Cleveland County	704-487-8581
Gaston County	704-866-6118
Hickory City	704-322-2855
Iredell-Statesville	704-872-8931
Kannapolis City	704-938-1131
Kings Mountain	704-734-5637
Lincoln County	704-732-2261
Mooresville City	704-664-5553
Newton-Conover	704-464-3191
Rowan-Salisbury	704-639-7090
Shelby City	704-487-6367
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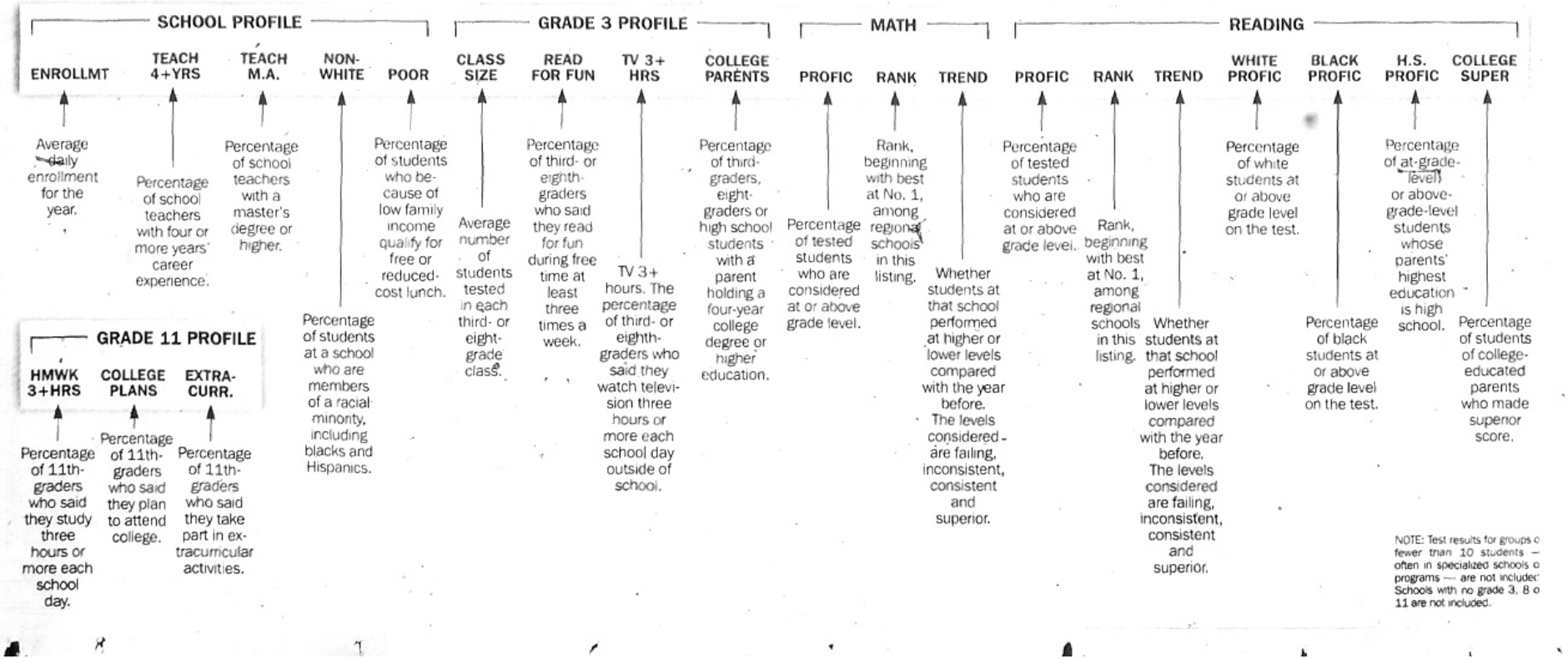
HOW TO READ THE CHARTS ON N.C. SCHOOLS

Here's a look at the specific categories on the N.C. charts in this school section and what each category means.



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	SCHOOL PROFILE					GRADE 3 PROFILE				MATH			READING					
SCHOOL	ENROLLMT	TEACH 4+YRS	TEACH M.A.	NON-WHITE	POOR	CLASS SIZE	READ FOR FUN	TV 3+ HRS	COLLEGE PARENTS	PROFIC	RANK OF 273	TREND	PROFIC	RANK OF 273	TREND	WHITE PROFIC	BLACK PROFIC	H.S. PROFIC	COLLEGE SUPER
MECKLENBURG COUNTY		**71%**	**34%**	**47%**	**39%**	**20**	**66%**	**36%**	**31%**	**64%**		↔	**61%**		↔	**78%**	**39%**	**44%**	**47%**
ALBEMARLE ROAD	966	75%	33%	56%	47%	25	59%	37%	23%	52%	216	↔	49%	238	↑	64%	31%	39%	15%
ALLENBROOK	**387**	**74%**	**37%**	**61%**	**58%**	**14**	**70%**	**37%**	**5%**	**43%**	**258**	↔	**36%**	**268**	↑	**48%**	**24%**	**31%**	—
ASHLEY PARK*	478	62%	38%	50%	46%	17	73%	45%	34%	58%	188	↓	58%	186	↓	78%	25%	42%	52%
BAIN	**937**	**86%**	**39%**	**21%**	**24%**	**28**	**66%**	**37%**	**40%**	**64%**	**157**	↓	**63%**	**155**	↔	**72%**	**10%**	**50%**	**54%**
BARRINGER*	449	67%	39%	49%	38%	17	70%	22%	49%	99%	2	↑	97%	1	↑	100%	91%	100%	87%
BERRYHILL	**454**	**76%**	**30%**	**51%**	**63%**	**20**	**67%**	**57%**	**3%**	**38%**	**266**	↔	**38%**	**264**	↔	**50%**	**25%**	**38%**	—
BEVERLY WOODS	695	82%	34%	39%	32%	19	66%	16%	40%	74%	90	↔	67%	112	↓	81%	31%	40%	48%
BRIARWOOD	**785**	**57%**	**26%**	**92%**	**64%**	**20**	**54%**	**34%**	**17%**	**43%**	**260**	↔	**36%**	**267**	↓	—	**37%**	**33%**	**28%**
BRUNS AVENUE*	489	47%	34%	50%	41%	20	59%	30%	28%	56%	204	↓	51%	232	↓	65%	35%	29%	46%
CHANTILLY*	**344**	**58%**	**12%**	**50%**	**43%**	**25**	**66%**	**38%**	**20%**	**60%**	**179**	↑	**50%**	**233**	↓	**55%**	**44%**	**35%**	**50%**
CLEAR CREEK	659	80%	31%	32%	36%	22	74%	29%	16%	81%	39	↑	74%	66	↑	81%	53%	76%	62%
COLLINSWOOD*	**284**	**70%**	**40%**	**68%**	**60%**	**18**	**49%**	**33%**	**6%**	**32%**	**272**	↓	**44%**	**250**	↓	—	**27%**	**38%**	—
CORNELIUS	791	73%	54%	12%	15%	27	74%	35%	50%	73%	98	↑	74%	65	↑	79%	36%	48%	45%
COTSWOLD	**624**	**77%**	**43%**	**33%**	**21%**	**21**	**68%**	**19%**	**32%**	**71%**	**111**	↓	**66%**	**124**	↓	**82%**	**41%**	**39%**	**52%**
CROWN POINT	786	65%	35%	32%	27%	22	64%	36%	40%	66%	142	↓	68%	104	↓	80%	44%	55%	46%
DAVID COX*	**806**	**88%**	**33%**	**49%**	**25%**	**25**	**71%**	**33%**	**51%**	**87%**	**17**	↑	**84%**	**16**	↑	**94%**	**73%**	**67%**	**50%**
DAVIDSON*	733	74%	28%	14%	13%	19	76%	23%	56%	78%	58	↑	80%	23	↑	87%	33%	43%	47%
DERITA	**573**	**77%**	**29%**	**64%**	**43%**	**16**	**67%**	**42%**	**14%**	**51%**	**226**	↓	**44%**	**249**	↓	**69%**	**32%**	**28%**	**23%**
DEVONSHIRE	554	56%	30%	89%	62%	17	57%	41%	11%	35%	271	↓	31%	270	↓	—	30%	30%	—
DILWORTH	**475**	**90%**	**34%**	**46%**	**42%**	**16**	**62%**	**24%**	**27%**	**73%**	**92**	↓	**69%**	**87**	↓	**88%**	**44%**	**50%**	**60%**
DRUID HILLS*	395	60%	17%	63%	56%	26	80%	42%	15%	57%	198	↑	52%	224	↑	81%	30%	50%	—
EASTOVER	**440**	**60%**	**29%**	**52%**	**46%**	**27**	**74%**	**58%**	**40%**	**48%**	**241**	↓	**58%**	**191**	↓	**88%**	**35%**	**46%**	**14%**
ELIZABETH*	568	90%	32%	39%	23%	26	68%	26%	43%	92%	6	↑	87%	5	↔	95%	76%	65%	69%

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FIRST WARD	470	68%	50%	66%	58%	18	62%	33%	29%	48%	240	↓	47%	244	↓	82%	23%	46%	24%
GREENWAY PARK	776	63%	44%	53%	47%	18	64%	40%	29%	53%	214	↓	55%	212	↓	77%	35%	38%	55%
J. H. GUNN	598	63%	40%	47%	40%	21	71%	54%	19%	74%	89	↓	74%	64	↑	82%	66%	79%	47%
HICKORY GROVE	798	81%	32%	46%	26%	26	73%	46%	30%	78%	61	↑	68%	99	↔	82%	50%	59%	42%
HIDDEN VALLEY	813	53%	29%	99%	81%	23	55%	48%	13%	50%	232	↑	38%	263	↑	——	38%	33%	47%
HIGHLAND	227	60%	15%	80%	88%	20	60%	53%	5%	37%	269	↔	33%	269	↑	——	22%	33%	——
HORNETS NEST	961	74%	36%	51%	37%	24	65%	35%	31%	57%	193	↓	58%	188	↓	86%	31%	31%	37%
HUNTERSVILLE	885	76%	36%	13%	15%	27	79%	28%	35%	74%	88	↓	75%	52	↔	80%	41%	43%	60%
HUNTINGTOWNE	669	60%	28%	52%	47%	26	73%	34%	45%	56%	202	↔	54%	215	↓	79%	25%	25%	32%
IDLEWILD	738	62%	25%	63%	52%	30	64%	48%	11%	68%	132	↔	63%	153	↑	89%	42%	61%	42%
IRWIN AVENUE OPEN*	717	56%	35%	60%	52%	11	50%	29%	28%	45%	249	↓	47%	242	↓	71%	28%	23%	28%
AMAY JAMES*	261	70%	35%	43%	28%	6	59%	22%	42%	60%	179	↓	67%	114	↓	81%	50%	53%	37%
LAKE WYLIE	957	53%	38%	39%	24%	21	77%	39%	21%	62%	169	↑	66%	126	↑	72%	58%	63%	37%
LANSDOWNE	673	83%	53%	40%	31%	27	61%	19%	40%	73%	98	↔	76%	48	↑	89%	44%	66%	63%
LEBANON ROAD	950	80%	41%	25%	15%	17	58%	37%	39%	68%	132	↑	65%	134	↓	71%	47%	58%	27%
LINCOLN HEIGHTS*	476	68%	34%	73%	59%	24	63%	35%	36%	68%	137	↑	63%	154	↑	87%	48%	33%	57%
LONG CREEK	692	75%	24%	25%	28%	20	60%	48%	18%	47%	248	↓	40%	260	↓	50%	6%	39%	14%
MALLARD CREEK	767	84%	45%	21%	9%	23	63%	37%	58%	89%	13	↑	81%	19	↑	89%	42%	44%	67%
MATTHEWS	1,257	86%	37%	15%	13%	26	66%	31%	59%	86%	21	↑	83%	17	↑	88%	48%	70%	49%
MCALPINE	704	71%	24%	34%	24%	25	65%	39%	47%	75%	81	↔	72%	75	↑	83%	29%	36%	53%
MCKEE ROAD	1,077	85%	39%	14%	10%	27	74%	27%	59%	88%	16	↔	86%	11	↑	90%	47%	58%	60%
MERRY OAKS	516	69%	26%	77%	71%	27	57%	46%	19%	60%	179	↓	60%	170	↑	68%	52%	51%	39%
MONTCLAIRE	376	84%	28%	60%	54%	17	69%	54%	17%	57%	196	↑	55%	206	↔	70%	36%	43%	27%
MYERS PARK*	592	87%	37%	42%	20%	26	66%	27%	44%	77%	66	↓	75%	57	↓	91%	56%	35%	54%
NEWELL	650	73%	32%	40%	33%	23	65%	27%	24%	51%	225	↓	53%	218	↔	62%	34%	44%	24%
OAKDALE	547	64%	28%	53%	51%	22	69%	55%	13%	68%	132	↑	63%	156	↑	73%	51%	56%	18%
OAKHURST*	421	43%	33%	50%	45%	16	54%	33%	16%	65%	149	↔	62%	158	↑	78%	48%	61%	——
OAKLAWN*	432	64%	24%	62%	50%	16	62%	44%	23%	77%	70	↑	68%	100	↑	83%	51%	69%	31%
OLDE PROVIDENCE*	744	81%	36%	37%	22%	26	69%	24%	52%	94%	5	↑	87%	4	↑	96%	70%	70%	72%
PARK ROAD	400	63%	27%	50%	50%	17	73%	41%	17%	63%	165	↓	58%	181	↓	96%	22%	39%	——
PAW CREEK	701	67%	22%	42%	43%	22	73%	40%	32%	62%	166	↑	60%	171	↑	79%	29%	51%	51%
PAWTUCKETT	489	50%	27%	59%	55%	15	59%	54%	20%	54%	212	↑	39%	262	↓	62%	21%	37%	0%
PINEVILLE	718	72%	36%	36%	34%	24	68%	38%	32%	68%	136	↑	63%	151	↑	73%	40%	53%	35%
PINEWOOD	372	61%	29%	58%	50%	10	52%	39%	10%	47%	246	↓	37%	265	↓	56%	20%	25%	——
PINEY GROVE	754	81%	22%	49%	45%	23	58%	39%	27%	55%	208	↔	48%	241	↓	67%	26%	26%	38%
RAMA ROAD	838	74%	45%	40%	35%	16	57%	48%	29%	64%	159	↓	65%	133	↔	77%	43%	47%	52%

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REEDY CREEK	567	91%	27%	56%	42%	21	58%	39%	35%	51%	224	↓	48%	239	↔	59%	33%	19%	28%
REID PARK*	600	60%	46%	50%	40%	22	67%	47%	24%	63%	163	↑	52%	227	↓	79%	26%	20%	38%
SEDGEFIELD*	351	70%	24%	74%	82%	18	79%	42%	4%	36%	270	↓	28%	272	↔	44%	14%	32%	—
SELWYN	433	74%	43%	46%	43%	15	75%	43%	25%	66%	144	↑	66%	122	↑	86%	39%	33%	67%
SHAMROCK GARDENS	500	50%	19%	65%	75%	21	73%	40%	2%	38%	268	↔	36%	266	↔	50%	31%	30%	—
SHARON	710	73%	46%	42%	37%	26	70%	20%	47%	77%	72	↔	71%	76	↔	97%	27%	29%	57%
SMITHFIELD	1,037	69%	31%	46%	35%	26	59%	35%	42%	62%	167	↑	57%	199	↓	81%	24%	30%	46%
STARMOUNT	590	62%	22%	56%	48%	23	67%	44%	13%	40%	263	↔	45%	246	↑	74%	23%	34%	36%
STATESVILLE ROAD	597	64%	27%	62%	63%	19	46%	44%	10%	52%	217	↑	60%	169	↑	68%	48%	49%	—
STEELE CREEK	598	70%	24%	47%	35%	29	76%	41%	22%	70%	118	↑	66%	124	↑	80%	35%	61%	41%
THOMASBORO	444	66%	30%	75%	83%	15	61%	30%	5%	31%	273	↑	29%	271	↑	42%	18%	36%	—
TUCKASEEGEE	619	62%	17%	49%	49%	24	58%	43%	16%	50%	231	↓	48%	240	↔	52%	46%	37%	47%
UNIVERSITY MEADOWS	915	72%	42%	50%	33%	21	74%	30%	34%	69%	128	↑	65%	139	↑	73%	50%	45%	57%
VILLA HEIGHTS*	243	60%	33%	46%	24%	19	71%	18%	58%	100%	1	↑	97%	1	↔	100%	91%	—	68%
WESTERLY HILLS	479	64%	21%	80%	82%	22	55%	39%	7%	44%	254	↑	45%	246	↑	50%	47%	38%	—
WINDING SPRINGS	425	61%	36%	62%	51%	14	61%	29%	27%	62%	172	↓	54%	215	↓	80%	31%	37%	36%
WINDSOR PARK	551	70%	40%	55%	40%	13	65%	49%	26%	69%	122	↑	57%	196	↑	68%	54%	46%	47%
WINTERFIELD	729	61%	35%	67%	62%	22	71%	47%	14%	44%	251	↓	41%	259	↓	58%	38%	38%	36%

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY		62%	29%	48%	34%	23	26%	52%	32%	64%		↔	68%		↔	82%	47%	52%	40%
ALBEMARLE RD. MIDDLE	931	69%	30%	58%	44%	22	29%	61%	25%	52%	88	-	56%	95	↓	70%	40%	45%	28%
J. M. ALEXANDER MIDDLE	1,279	55%	31%	20%	16%	67	26%	48%	34%	67%	60	↔	71%	63	↔	79%	38%	58%	40%
CARMEL MIDDLE	919	55%	28%	36%	27%	21	30%	39%	42%	78%	24	↔	76%	46	↓	90%	47%	54%	54%
COCHRANE MIDDLE	870	60%	26%	82%	48%	26	26%	73%	20%	35%	100	↓	46%	99	↔	54%	41%	32%	10%
COULWOOD MIDDLE	837	59%	32%	55%	46%	28	29%	64%	17%	47%	92	-	50%	97	↔	65%	35%	41%	22%
DAVIDSON IB MIDDLE*	222	72%	50%	24%	6%	25	30%	26%	41%	97%	1	↔	99%	1	↑	100%	93%	——	63%
M. G. DAVIS MIDDLE*	693	65%	21%	41%	21%	23	34%	31%	47%	87%	6	↔	91%	4	↔	91%	87%	79%	55%
EASTWAY MIDDLE	871	53%	39%	77%	62%	16	35%	71%	22%	44%	93	↑	58%	89	↑	59%	54%	57%	18%
A. GRAHAM MIDDLE	638	74%	40%	48%	37%	24	28%	37%	34%	66%	64	-	71%	65	↔	94%	39%	48%	54%
HAWTHORNE TR. MIDDLE*	629	61%	23%	59%	36%	21	22%	61%	34%	68%	57	↔	69%	71	↔	79%	64%	57%	33%
R. F. KENNEDY MIDDLE	845	75%	25%	62%	42%	24	26%	62%	21%	51%	89	↔	62%	84	↑	73%	55%	56%	28%
MANAGEMENT SCHOOL	181	58%	26%	81%	75%	14	20%	61%	18%	14%	102	↔	17%	102	↔	36%	10%	12%	0%
MCCLINTOCK MIDDLE	928	74%	25%	46%	35%	24	22%	49%	36%	65%	69	↓	75%	51	↓	92%	47%	54%	46%
NORTHEAST MIDDLE	1,168	61%	39%	44%	32%	26	26%	62%	30%	59%	80	↓	58%	91	↓	73%	35%	45%	28%
NORTHWEST MIDDLE*	648	55%	32%	43%	25%	19	28%	43%	42%	66%	63	↔	70%	67	↓	80%	54%	63%	31%
PIEDMONT OPEN MIDDLE*	719	67%	28%	53%	37%	18	30%	46%	41%	74%	41	↓	74%	54	↔	83%	67%	52%	43%
QUAIL HOLLOW MIDDLE	843	64%	19%	43%	32%	17	21%	51%	37%	71%	50	↑	78%	27	↔	91%	52%	64%	42%
RANDOLPH MIDDLE	985	54%	33%	25%	18%	23	25%	34%	43%	80%	18	↑	79%	22	↔	86%	44%	65%	44%
RANSON MIDDLE	1,021	43%	25%	59%	38%	21	28%	59%	29%	53%	86	↔	59%	88	↔	69%	53%	45%	31%
SEDGEFIELD MIDDLE*	705	56%	21%	55%	50%	26	24%	50%	24%	58%	81	↑	68%	73	↔	90%	47%	53%	52%
SMITH MIDDLE*	507	76%	24%	52%	46%	20	21%	54%	17%	74%	37	↑	71%	62	↑	80%	55%	63%	36%
S. CHARLOTTE MIDDLE	1,366	67%	25%	18%	11%	26	23%	37%	50%	90%	4	↑	89%	6	↔	94%	49%	73%	51%
SPAUGH MIDDLE*	644	62%	24%	50%	38%	25	26%	58%	31%	64%	71	↓	68%	83	↔	79%	38%	42%	40%
J. T. WILLIAMS MIDDLE*	784	71%	27%	49%	15%	23	29%	47%	45%	93%	3	↑	91%	3	↔	98%	82%	91%	52%
WILSON MIDDLE	574	59%	30%	68%	62%	19	26%	67%	14%	36%	99	↓	49%	98	↓	66%	35%	49%	4%

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	SCHOOL PROFILE					GRADE 3 PROFILE				MATH			READING						
SCHOOL	ENROLLMT	TEACH 4+YRS	TEACH M.A.	NON-WHITE	POOR	CLASS SIZE	READ FOR FUN	TV 3+ HRS	COLLEGE PARENTS	PROFIC	RANK OF 273	TREND	PROFIC	RANK OF 273	TREND	WHITE PROFIC	BLACK PROFIC	H.S. PROFIC	COLLEGE SUPER
MECKLENBURG COUNTY		77%	39%	43%	18%	57%	65%	28%	34%	58%		↓	55%		↔	71%	30%	37%	26%
EAST MECKLENBURG	1,360	78%	39%	34%	16%	64%	66%	31%	39%	—	—		59%	17	↔	72%	29%	47%	24%
GARINGER*	1,537	71%	32%	70%	27%	42%	56%	13%	30%	54%	37	↓	37%	56	↑	53%	30%	30%	6%
HARDING*	1,175	78%	38%	52%	21%	46%	65%	38%	32%	73%	5	↑	48%	38	↔	63%	29%	34%	19%
INDEPENDENCE *	1,927	79%	46%	37%	16%	51%	63%	26%	30%	75%	2	↓	52%	32	↓	62%	28%	34%	20%
MYERS PARK*	1,596	75%	38%	39%	18%	66%	74%	32%	37%	67%	10	↔	69%	3	^	85%	32%	41%	41%
NORTH MECKLENBURG	1,732	76%	34%	26%	7%	56%	66%	28%	40%	95%	1	↓	59%	15	↔	68%	32%	40%	38%
OLYMPIC	1,079	74%	36%	58%	24%	52%	54%	36%	20%	53%	40	↔	47%	42	^	62%	32%	35%	33%
PROVIDENCE	1,710	90%	49%	12%	4%	77%	80%	28%	52%	—	—		79%	1	↑	81%	41%	66%	35%
SOUTH MECKLENBURG	1,782	79%	32%	39%	17%	64%	66%	27%	40%	66%	15	↔	59%	18	↑	69%	35%	44%	21%
WEST CHARLOTTE*	1,630	81%	38%	68%	26%	52%	66%	32%	27%	—	—		42%	49	↔	76%	29%	28%	14%
WEST MECKLENBURG	1,366	60%	45%	54%	26%	44%	56%	35%	23%	42%	52	↓	53%	28	↔	68%	39%	44%	18%

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