

Carteret County Schools

Preliminary AYP Results Released for 2009-10 School Year

The preliminary Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) results released today – July 21, 2010, by the State Board of Education show that all sixteen Carteret County Public Schools met their AYP goals in all categories. This is the first time since the measurements were initiated under the federal No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB) that all the Carteret County schools have met all their objectives in the same year.

The NCLB requires each school to annually assess and measure the academic progress of every student in grades 3 through 8 and in grade 10. Student proficiency goals are established by the SBOE in both reading and math. To be defined as “meeting” Adequate Yearly Progress, schools must equal or exceed the proficiency goals in both reading and math in each of the various population subgroups of students and as a total. Failing to meet the objective in either subject in any single subgroup or as a total is defined as failing to meet AYP and sets up a sequence of progressively more stringent sanctions designed to correct any academic deficiencies as quickly as possible.

In 2008 after failing to meet their objectives in math for two consecutive years, Morehead Elementary at Camp Glenn and Newport Elementary were designated as Title 1 Schools in Improvement to implement necessary improvements in math scores. Through the dedicated and determined efforts of the teachers and administrators at those schools in 2009 and 2010, student math scores have been high enough to meet or exceed the objectives in both years. Meeting the AYP objectives for two consecutive years is required for schools in Improvement status to have the status ended.

The SBOE is scheduled to publish the complete details of the 2010 results including the AYP subgroup information and the ABCs of Education status after their meeting on August 5th.

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School Name	2010 AYP Status	Target Goals Met
Atlantic Elementary	Met	9 of 9 (or 100%)
Beaufort Elementary	Met	19 of 19 (or 100%)
Beaufort Middle	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Bogue Sound Elementary	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Broad Creek Middle	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Croatan High	Met	13 of 13 (or 100%)
East Carteret High	Met	13 of 13 (or 100%)
Harkers Island Elementary	Met	11 of 11 (or 100%)
Morehead Elementary	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Morehead City Middle	Met	21 of 21 (or 100%)
Morehead City Primary	Met	13 of 13 (or 100%)
Newport Elementary	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Newport Middle	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Smyrna Elementary	Met	13 of 13 (or 100%)
West Carteret High	Met	13 of 13 (or 100%)
White Oak Elementary	Met	17 of 17 (or 100%)
Carteret County Schools	Not Met	55 of 58 (or 94.83%)