

8th Grade Reading EOG Results for NHCS Middle Schools, 2008/2009

8th Grade Reading EOG scores are excellent predictors of success in high school and are used by NCDPI as benchmarks for determining growth in learning.

School Name	School as a Whole					Economically Disadvantaged				Not Economically Disadvantaged			
	Number of Students	# Proficient	% Proficient	# Nonwhite Students	Nonwhite Students as % of Total	Number	% of Total	# Proficient	% Proficient	Number	% of Total	# Proficient	% Proficient
Noble	289	242	83.7%	65	22.0%	62	21.5%	33	53.2%	227	78.5%	209	92.0%
MG	317	261	82.3%	90	28.4%	90	28.4%	51	56.7%	227	71.6%	210	92.5%
Murray	315	245	77.8%	54	17.1%	103	32.7%	73	70.9%	212	67.3%	172	81.1%
R-G	256	196	76.6%	78	30.5%	90	35.0%	43	47.7%	166	64.8%	153	92.1%
Trask	282	215	76.2%	107	37.9%	109	38.6%	77	7060.0%	173	61.3%	138	79.8%
Virgo	119	71	59.7%	70	58.8%	71	59.6%	35	49.2%	48	40.3%	36	75.0%
Williston	254	123	48.4%	195	76.7%	171	67.3%	66	38.6%	83	32.6%	57	68.7%

All data obtained from NCDPI website: <http://disag.ncpublicschools.org/2009/>

The following items are from the NHCS Website:

Mission Statement of the New Hanover County School System:

The mission of New Hanover County Schools, in collaboration with our parents and community, is to **provide children an excellent education** in a healthy and safe learning environment where they are prepared with the critical skills to reach their full potential in a 21st century global society.

Long Term Objectives--Academic Achievement: To achieve 85% proficiency as measured by EOC and EOG test results (district goal), by 2012

Vision:

1. We have high expectations for all students. These expectations are supported by test scores.
2. We have equity at all schools regarding facilities, services and staffing.
3. All students are engaged in 21st century learning.
4. We have state-of-the-art technology throughout the system being fully utilized by students and staff.
5. **We are using data to look for patterns to assist us in meeting our objectives.**
6. We are providing students diversity of educational opportunities, both academic and 7. vocational.
7. We are partnering and communicating with businesses, parents and the community at large to enhance educational opportunities for children.