



**Topsail High**

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Grades 9-12  
 Regular School  
 Traditional Calendar

Pender 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>	87.3%	76.1%	68.4%	84.3%	87.4%	89.5%	62.9%	91.7%	84.1%	83.3%
<b>District</b>	75.7%	77.3%	73.6%	81.8%	78.4%	73.6%	53.9%	76.5%	72.3%	69.8%
<b>State</b>	73.8%	67.7%	72.9%	73.3%	71.2%	77.7%	62.7%	85.9%	71.4%	71.2%

N/A = Fewer than five students

**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
1,004	617	826

**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	24	17	18
Algebra I	21	22	19
Algebra II	21	17	19
Geometry	21	20	19
Biology	22	21	17
Chemistry	20	17	17
Physical Science	25	16	17
Physics	24	17	14
Civics & Econ.	21	16	18
US History	24	17	17

**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>	83.2%	81.9%	84.2%	63.9%	88.6%	N/A	90.9%	73.9%	70.7%	86.1%	87.5%	N/A	48.2%
<b># of tests taken</b>	1,028	991	1,769	155	35	N/A	11	46	460	1,559	8	N/A	110
<b>District</b>	75.4%	72.7%	80.5%	55.6%	61.7%	87.5%	93.3%	81.3%	65.5%	80.0%	46.7%	53.1%	45.0%
<b>State</b>	71.6%	71.3%	81.0%	53.2%	63.6%	62.6%	83.3%	74.0%	58.0%	79.1%	52.1%	48.7%	43.9%

E.D. = Economically Disadvantaged

N.E.D. = Not Economically Disadvantaged

L.E.P. = Limited English Proficiency

N/A = Fewer than five students

**School Attendance**

The average percentage of students who attend school daily.

<b>Our School</b>	95%
<b>District</b>	94%
<b>State</b>	95%

To learn more about federal No Child Left Behind (NCLB) requirements, visit <http://www.ncpublicschools.org/nclb/>

For information about the ABCs of Public Education and Adequately Yearly Progress (AYP), visit <http://www.ncpublicschools.org/accountability/>

**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.

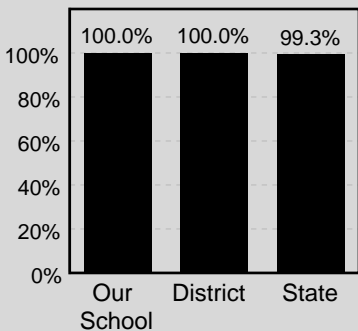
Out of 1,004 students in our school, there were a total of 22 act[s] of crime or violence.

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

<b>OUR SCHOOL</b>	2
<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 website 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)				0%	4%
SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE	At least 90% of students at grade level				0%	1%
SCHOOL OF DISTINCTION	At least 80% of students at grade level		✓		25%	14%
SCHOOL OF PROGRESS	At least 60% of students at grade level				50%	35%
NO RECOGNITION	60 to 100% of students at grade level				25%	29%
PRIORITY SCHOOL	50 to 60% of students at grade level, OR Less than 50% of students at grade level				0%	13%
LOW PERFORMING	Less than 50% of students at grade level				0%	4%

**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 (NCLB). Our school made adequate yearly progress.

Our school met 13 out of 13 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 are not displayed because of federal privacy regulations. In these cases the results are 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>	62	90%	94%	15%	10	16%	34%	50%	19%
<b>District</b>	44	93%	94%	20%	6	25%	29%	47%	14%
<b>State</b>	59	90%	97%	25%	8	21%	27%	52%	14%

\* 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.

