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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **MCS D College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) Score Card**

The state of Georgia released its first/initial College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) score cards for school districts this week. CCRPI scores are based on the 2012 assessments and performance and serves as baseline data for the district.

#### **Average CCRPI Scores Calculated Using 2011-2012**

	Elementary Schools	Middle Schools	High Schools
<b>Muscogee County</b>	70.1	70.9	78.3
<b>Georgia</b>	83.4	81.4	72.6

At the high school level, schools scored 5.7 points higher than the state average and scored lower than the state average at the elementary and middle school levels.

“Based on preliminary assessment results, we feel gains for this school year will be evident in the 2013 CCRPI scores,” said Veronica Collins, Chief Academic Officer. “We realize there is work to do, but by continuing to implement our plan during the 2013-2014 school year. The Division of Teaching and Learning, along with the dedicated teachers, staff, and administrators of our schools, have a plan in place to enhance classroom instruction through a laser focus on standards based classrooms and data based instructional practices.”

The CCRPI score cards were calculated using student data from the 2011-2012 school year. Once complete, the state will release updated versions of the CCRPI score cards with 2012-2013 school year data used for the calculations.

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The CCRPI is designed around a definition of college and career readiness, or the level of achievement required in order for a student to enroll in two or four year colleges and universities and technical colleges without remediation. Students are fully prepared for college-level work and careers.

The CCRPI replaces Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) as the accountability tool used by all Georgia Schools. CCRPI measures schools by a broader set of data than the old AYP, including factors such as graduation rate, performance on standardized tests (using the state of Georgia's Performance Standards and other required tests), student attendance, academic growth and success in closing student performance gaps.

Each school receives a score out of 100 points, and a school and district's overall score is made up of three major areas:

- Achievement (70 points possible)
- Progress (15 points possible)
- Achievement Gap (15 points possible).

Additionally, some schools receive "Challenge Points" to add to their score (up to 10 points). Schools receive these points if they have a significant number of Economically Disadvantaged students, English Learner students and Students with Disabilities meeting expectations. Points are also earned for going beyond the targets of the CCRPI by challenging students to exceed expectations and participate in college and career readiness programs.

"We will make significant progress toward meeting and exceeding state averages and we are committed to ensuring all children are college and career ready," added Collins.

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