

Orange County Schools



**A BRIEF HISTORY OF OCS
SINCE 1983**

Orange County Superintendents



Dr. Dan Lunsford	June 11, 1983-June 1990
Dr. Millicent C. Rainey (Acting)	July 1990-December 1990
Dr. N. Andrew Overstreet	January 1991-September 1994
Dr. Millicent C. Rainey (Acting)	October 1994-February 1995
Dr. William C. Harrison	March 1995-August 10, 1997
Dr. Randy Bridges	August 11, 1997-August 2002
Dr. Mike Williams (Interim)	August 2002-June 2003
Dr. Shirley Carraway	June 2003-September 2007
Dr. George McFarley (Interim)	October 1, 2007-October 21, 2007
G. Patrick Rhodes	October 2007-June 2013
Dr. Del Burns (Interim)	July 2013-September 2013
Dr. Gerri Martin	October 2013-May 2014
Dr. Del Burns (Interim)	May 2014-

School Board Members (2000-date)



Bob Bateman 1982-2002

Susan Halkiotis 1994-1998; 1998-2002; 2004-2006 (filled unexpired term of Betty Tom Davidson -appointed by Board)

David Kolbinsky 1994-1998; 1998-2002

Brenda Stephens 1998-2002; 2002-2006; 2010-2014; 2014-2018

Libbie Hough 2002-2006

Betty Tom Davidson 2002-2006 (Resigned April 2004. Board appointed Susan Halkiotis to fill vacant seat.)

Randy Copeland 2002-2006

Dana Thompson 2000-2004

Delores Simpson 2000-2004

Elizabeth Brown 2004-2008

School Board Members, cont.



Dennis Whitling 2004-2008

Tom Carr 2014-2018

Al Hartkopf 2004-2008

Rosa Williams 2014-2018

Ted Triebel 2006-2010

Debbie Piscitelli 2006-2010

Anne Medenblik 2006-2010

Susan Hallman 2006-2010

Stephen Halkiotis 2008-2012; 2012-2016

Eddie Eubanks 2008-2012

Tony McKnight 2008-2012; 2012-2016

Donna Coffey 2010-2014; 2014-2018

Lawrence Sanders 2012-2016

New Schools Since 1983



- New Hope Elementary School (1990) * designated as the Triangle J Model Elementary School
- A.L. Stanback Middle School (1995)
- Hillsborough Elementary School (1996)- Originally, this was Central High School, then A.L. Stanback 6th grade center, and then it became the first year round elementary school in the Triangle.
- Pathways Elementary School (2000)
- Cedar Ridge High School (2002)
- Partnership Academy (2006)
- Gravelly Hill Middle School (2006)

OCS Transportation: Buses



2013-2014 Budget allotment (State) <i>*Includes Orange County Schools and Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools</i>	\$3,098,210.00
Buses for Orange County Schools (OCS)	67
OCS daily mileage	6,624
OCS yearly mileage	1,192,437
Buses for Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools (CHCCS)	71
CHCCS daily mileage	5305
CHCCS yearly mileage	955,028
TOTAL YEARLY MILEAGE COMBINED	2,147,465
Orange County is nearly 400 sq. miles; OCS buses cover more than 300 sq. miles as part of its in-district bus routes.	OCS serves as the fiscal conduit for state transportation monies for Orange County Schools <i>and</i> Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools.

Our Schools

(numbers in red indicate over-capacity)



SAPFO Report Membership Comparisons 5/21/2014

School	Year Built	Square Feet	Current SAPFO Capacity (100% Capacity)	Number of Pre-K Rooms	Number of Students Enrolled	2014 Membership as of 2/06/14	Current Difference Between SAPFO Capacity and Membership	Levels of Service
CPES	1956	70,812	565	0	0	652	87	
CES	1952	52,492	455	2	36	335	-120	
ECES	1952	64,316	497	2	36	466	-31	
GABES	1974	74,016	544	1	8	462	-82	
HES**	1952	51,106	471	0	0	449	-22	
NHES	1991	100,164	586	1	18	636	50	
PES	2000	85,282	576	3 (2)	41	420	-156	
Total Elementary School Capacity							-274	92.6%
ALS	1995	136,000	740			632	-108	
CWS	1968	107,620	726			644	-82	
GHMS	2006	123,000	700			474	-226	
Total Middle School Capacity							-416	80.8%
CRHS	2002	206,900	1,000			1,102	102	
OHS*	1962	213,509	1,399			1,209	-190	
Total High School Capacity							-88	96.3%
PA	2006	6,600	40			40	0	100.0%

* New requested capacity based on the August 2012 DPI facility study for OHS.

M.O.U. Maximum Capacity:

Elementary Schools	105%
Middle Schools	107%
High Schools	110%

Gilbert 5/25/2014

OCS Student Demographics



- Total number of students 7581 (as of 9/5/2014)
- Ethnic/Racial makeup- White 62.8%, Black 15.63%, Hispanic/Latino 16.93%, Asian .85%, American Indian .29%, Pacific Islander .03%, Two or more racial/ethnic groups 3.46%
- Gender Male 51.32%/ Female 48.68%
- Free and Reduced lunch 41%

Curricular Programs



International Baccalaureate Programme (IB)- students from Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools attend OCS to take courses

Advanced Placement (AP)- College-level courses (Physics, Chemistry, English, Calculus, Biology, US History, Biology)

Career and Technical Education (CTE)

Award-winning Woodworking classes

Project House (began 1966)- Hands for Habitat; During the 2013-2014 school year, OHS students built a green-certified home in the Fairview community

Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID)

Literacy Efforts in OCS



***Literacy Coaches**

- Focus--growing teachers at their school to serve as literacy models for other teachers
- Organize school-wide Tier 2 reading intervention called Whole-to-Part
- Offer job-embedded professional development based on school needs
- At all elementary and middle schools

***Reading Teachers**

***Whole-to-Part (WTP)**

Whole-to-Part Initiative



- Theory of reading comprehension
- Developed by Jim Cunningham, Professor Emeritus at UNC-Chapel Hill
- Translated into practice by Dr. Karen Erickson, UNC-CH professor and Director of Center for Literacy and Disability Studies
- Started at one elementary school in 2008; all elementary and middle schools since 2009
- Literacy team has presented to the NC Legislature and to the 50 State Superintendents at national level

WTP Success



After 3 years of WTP; Overall EOG Growth Status

- 5 of 7 elementary schools met or exceeded growth
- 2 of 3 middle schools met growth
- 2 of 2 high schools met or exceeded growth

All students who need it receive it

Most Recent Achievement Results



- Orange County Schools four-year graduation rate improved from 82.5% to 85.2%.
- Seven of thirteen schools exceeded or met state growth targets last year.
- Science proficiency scores for grades five and eight improved in eight of ten schools, and one high school improved in three of the four measurable academic areas.
- In grades three through eight, reading proficiency improved in three schools, math scores moved higher in two schools, and five schools posted higher performance composite scores.
- Last year, 47 % of OCS graduates planned to attend a four-year college; 42% planned to attend a two-year college
- Over \$1,323,702 in scholarship monies were awarded to Orange HS and Cedar Ridge HS students during the 2013-14 school year.

Report of OCS Graduates 2014



School	UNC-CH	NCSU	Other UNC system school	Other notable
Cedar Ridge High School	8	9	53	Claremont McKenna College, UC- Santa Cruz, Bates College, Univ. of Vermont, Virginia Tech, Macalester College
Orange High School	10	12	62	Clemson University, Virginia Tech, Wake Forest University

Community Engagement Initiative in the News



[HeraldSun Article 1](#) (attached)

Please visit the [OCS website](#) for more information on the Community Engagement and Strategic Planning Initiative