



Onslow County Schools

SUPPORTING MILITARY FAMILIES SERVING
MARINE CORPS BASE CAMP LEJEUNE
MARINE CORPS AIR STATION NEW RIVER



28,256
STUDENTS



46%
MILITARY-
CONNECTED



42
EDUCATIONAL
FACILITIES



5
MAGNET
SCHOOLS



**PURPLE STAR
DISTRICT**

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- AVID at select elementary, middle, and high schools
- Four AVID National Demonstration Sites
- High school students can earn college credit with College Career Promise (CCP)
- Early College High School ranked 3rd in state/111th nationally by US News & World Report
- AP & IB classes offered in high schools
- CTE (Career Technical Education) programs lead to industry-recognized certifications
- Major Clarity app promotes college and career readiness
- Art, music, physical education offered district-wide

- Language immersion and 5 magnet schools
- Band from grade 6 and athletics from grade 7
- Leadership programs at specific schools: Leader in Me, AFJROTC, Student 2 Student, Energy Bus
- Peer-led transition support programs
- School-base-community partnerships: Adopt-A-School, BASES, Mobile STEM lab
- Annual staff training on issues related to military family life
- District-level Military Liaison Consultants
- Military point-of-contact at every school

- Military Family Life Counselors at select schools
- 121 National Board-certified teachers
- Exceptional Children's Program POC:
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SCHOOL COMMUNITY

- 22 Elementary Schools
- 8 Middle Schools
- 7 Traditional High Schools
- 1 Early College High School
- 1 Virtual School
- 1 PreK Early Childhood Center and 6 PreK Sites
- 1 Alternative Learning Program
- 1 Regional Skills Center (CTE)

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"Working with our military families and understanding the sacrifices they make in support of our country strengthens our school community. We are proud to serve our military families as they serve our nation."

-DR. BARRY COLLINS

Superintendent, Onslow Co. Schools



Military Kids Outperform Peers

Data Indicate Military-Connected Students in Onslow County Schools Perform Above District and State Levels

3,782 CTE PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS EARNED

898 AP COURSES
149 IB COURSES
2022-2023

772 STUDENTS IN COLLEGE AND CAREER PROMISE CLASSES
2022-2023

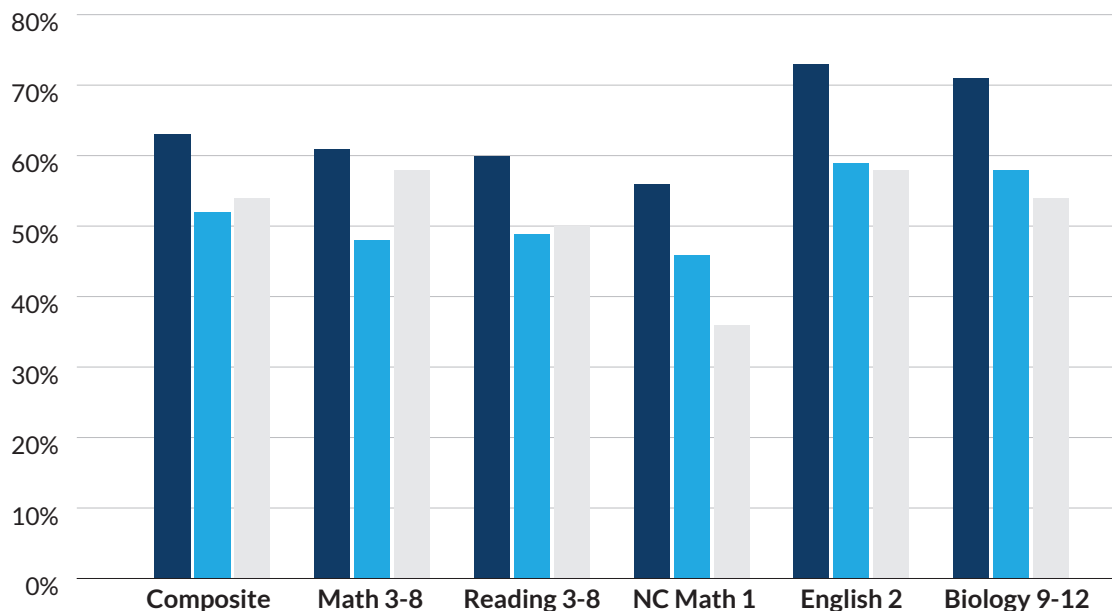
414:1 RATIO STUDENT-TO-COUNSELOR
343:1 NC Ratio
385:1 National Ratio
Source: ASCA

114th / 116 SCHOOL DISTRICT PER PUPIL EXPENDITURES RANKING
NC Public Schools Statistical Profile, Table 29

← **7,800+ High School Students** →

GRADE LEVEL PROFICIENT (GLP)* SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023

■ Military-Connected
■ District
■ State



LEA=Local Educational Agency | Source: NC School Report Cards