North Carolina’s…
…four-year high school graduation rate is 83.9 percent, the highest in state history.
…Career and Technical Education completers’ graduation rate is 94 percent.
…annual dropout rate is 2.45 percent, the lowest in history.

North Carolina public schools are
» Among the top 11 participating education systems in the world for 4th & 8th grade math scores on the Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study (TIMSS)
» 16th in the percentage of seniors who took at least 1 Advanced Placement exam in high school
» 14th in the percentage of seniors scoring 3 or higher on Advanced Placement exams in high school
» 18th in 4th grade math, according to the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)
» 29th in 4th grade reading, according to NAEP
» 23rd in 8th grade math, according to NAEP
» 37th in 8th grade reading, according to NAEP
» Among the bottom 10 states in per pupil funding
» 46th in teacher pay

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Why?
All students must graduate and be career, college, and citizenship ready.

How?
1. New standards and assessments of what students know and are able to do
   a. National assessment
   b. Computer adaptive assessments
   c. Ongoing evaluation of student learning

2. New Tools
   a. Cloud computing
   b. 1:1 digital device for every student, including Bring Your Own Device programs
   c. Access to a teacher time saver instructional technology system

3. Retooling the skills of 100,000 teachers and principals
   a. New evaluation system
   b. Online learning available 24/7
   c. Use of analytics

4. Personalization of learning for 1.5 million students
   a. Online learning
   b. “Flip” education