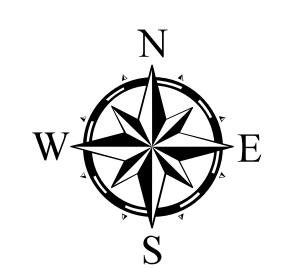
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY STATUS RATINGS 2009 - 2010 SCHOOL YEAR CORINTH HP **BENTON NORTH** BY SCHOOL DISTRICT ARF **TIPPAH DESOTO** AW **ALCORN** HP HOLLY SPRINGS ARF **TISHOMINGO HP** SOUTH WHAT THIS MAP SHOWS: **BOONEVILLE** TATEARF **S** TIPPAH **TUNICA MARSHALL** This maps shows the new MS Dept. of Education ARF SENATOBIA HP AW **PRENTISS NEW A**LBANY **BALDWYN** Accountability Status ratings for each school district HP NORTH I that were released November 23, 2009. **PANOLA** UNION CTY S LEE S OXFORD **COAHOMA** HP **ITAWAMBA PONTOTO** TUPELO The new Accountability Status ratings are based SOUTH AW PANOLA MUNI HP QUITMAN LAFAYETTE S **CLARKSDALE** on 3 primary factors: CTY **PONTOTOC ARF** WATER AW VALLEY **NETTLETON** 1. Quality Distribution Index (QDI) cut scores; CTY HP **EAST** N. BOLIVAR **CHICKASAW TAL**LAHATCHIE 2. Whether Growth goals have been met; and AW **AMORY ARF** OKOLONA AW COFFEEVILLE **CALHOUN** 3. Graduation and School Completion rates. MD. BAYOU **DREW TALLAHA**TCHIE **ARF MONROE HOUSTON** \mathbf{AW} W. BOLIVAR **ABERDEEN** ARF CLEVELAND The new standards and benchmarks are ARF **GRENADA** \mathbf{AW} **CLAY** being phased in over a 4-year period. WEBSTER **WEST POINT LEFLORE** This means that the benchmarks and **BENOIT** SHAW **MONTGOMERY** SUNFLOWER ARF ARF COLUMBUS standards will be raised each of the GREENWOOD CARROLL LELAND INDIANOLA WINONA ARF STARKVILLE next 3 years until Mississippi ratings ARF HP GREENVILLE AW **CHOCTAW** AW ARF ARF **LOWNDES** are aligned with the ratings of AW AW OKTIBBEHA ARF schools across the nation. **ATTALA** HOLLANDALE **HOLMES ARF** AW **ARF HUMPHREYS** WESTERN The ratings are divided into **NOXUBEE LOUISVILLE** KOSCIUSKO AW LINE DURANT AW **ARF** 6 categories. Below are the ARF **ARF** number of districts in each NESHOBA S YAZOO MUN category and the percentage **MADISON SOUTH DELTA** HP of total districts: **PHILADELPHIA KEMPER** LEAKE YAZOO CTY ARF **STAR** (2 dists = 1.34%) AW **CANTON UNION MUN HIGH PERFORMING (21 dists = 14.09%) ARF SUCCESSFUL (37 dists = 24.83%) SCOTT** LAUDERDALE HP NEWTON C **CLINTON RANKIN ACADEMIC WATCH (37 dists = 24.83%)** CTY HPJACKSON **VICKSBURG** HP FOREST **NEWTON** MERIDIAN **AT RISK OF FAILING (44 dists = 29.53%)** WARREN AW MUN MUN ARF ARF **HINDS** FAILING (8 dists = 5.37%). PEARL AW **ARF** AW ENTERPRISE HP Total school dists in dataset, excluding **EAST** WEST JASPER JASPER the Agricultural High Schools: 149 ARF AW **CLAIBORNE SMITH QUITMAN MUN ARF HAZLEHURST** 89 districts -- 59.73% -- are rated **SIMPSON** CITY LESS THAN Successful. **JEFFERSON** COPIAH CO. ARF LAUREL ARF **COVINGTON** The red abbreviations in each ARF LAWRENCE **ARF** WAYNE BROOKHAVEN **AW JONES** school district identify the **JEFFERSON NATCHEZ-**AW **DAVIS** accountability rating for that **FRANKLIN ADAMS ARF** AW **ARF** school district. LINCOLNAW PETAL RICHTON HP HP The abbreviations are: N. PIKE COLUMBIA MCCOMB AW HATTIESBURG **ST = STAR** (highest rating) **LAMAR** AW **GREENE** ARF **HP = HIGH PERFORMING AMITE** WILKINSON HP AW **MARION PERRY ARF** WALTHALL **FORREST** ARF S. PIKE S = SUCCESSFUL AW **ARF ARF** LUMBERTON AW = ACADEMIC WATCH ARF = AT RISK OF FAILING Legend **GEORGE POPLARVILLE** F = FAILING (lowest rating) **STONE** AW **MS School Districts** PEARL **JACKSON CTY RIVER** MDE Accountability Status 2009 - 2010 **HARRISON Agricultural High Schools:** S HANCOCK STAR ("ST" - 2 dists) MOSS PICAYUNE **OCEAN POINT** AW SPRINGS HP HIGH PERFORMING ("HP" - 21 dists) ARF BAY **JACKSON** ST LOUIS SUCCESSFUL ("S" - 37 dists) **PASCAGOULA**

The Agricultural High Schools are not included in the visual map because they do not have discrete physical jurisdictions that school districts have. The ratings for the Ag High Schools are not included in the cumulative numbers set forth in the Legend.

The AHS ratings are: Coahoma AHS: At Risk of Failing Forrest AHS: Successful **Hinds AHS: Not Rated**



ACADEMIC WATCH ("AW" - 37 dists)

FAILING ("F" - 8 dists)

AT RISK OF FAILING ("ARF" - 44 dists)

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