

This Progress Report is for:

SCHOOL	P.S. 206 Joseph F Lamb (22K206)
PRINCIPAL	Deirdre Keyes
ENROLLMENT	1272
SCHOOL TYPE	K-8
PEER INDEX	27.59

Progress Report Grade

A

What does this grade mean?

Schools are assigned letter grades based on their overall Progress Report score. Schools that get As and Bs are eligible for rewards. Schools that get Ds and Fs, or 3 Cs in a row, face consequences, including change in school leadership or school closure.

How did this school perform?

- This school's overall score for 2008-09 is 73.6
- This score places the School in the 29 percentile of all K-8 schools Citywide—i.e., 29 percent of those schools scored lower than this school

Category	Calculated Score	Category Grade
School Environment	10.0 out of 15	B
Student Performance	20.9 out of 25	A
Student Progress	38.9 out of 60	B
Additional Credit	3.8 (15 max)	
Overall Score	73.6 out of 100	A

Quality Review Score

This school's 2008-09 Quality Review score is: **Proficient**
To see this school's Quality Review report, find the school's Web site at <http://schools.nyc.gov/>, click 'Statistics' and scroll down to Quality Review Report.

State Accountability Status

Based on its 2008-09 performance, this school is: **In Good Standing**
This status is determined by the New York State Department of Education under the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act. It is separate from the school's Progress Report Grade.

How scores translate to grades:

- Schools receive letter grades based on their overall score
- Schools with an overall score between 68.0-100 receive a letter grade of A
- 85% of schools earned an A in 2008-09

K-8 School Table – Overall Grades

Grade	Score range	City summary
A	68.0-100	85.4% of schools
B	54-67.9	13.1% of schools
C	43.0-53.9	1.5% of schools
D	33.0-42.9	0% of schools
F	0-32.9	0% of schools

In This Report:

Each school's Progress Report (1) measures student year-to-year progress, (2) compares the school to peer schools and (3) rewards success in moving all children forward, especially children with the greatest needs. The Progress Report measures four areas:

School Environment

uses parent, teacher and secondary student surveys and other data to measure necessary conditions for learning: attendance, academic expectations, communication, engagement and safety and respect.

Student Performance

measures student skill levels in English Language Arts and Math.

Student Progress

measures average student improvement from last year to this year in English Language Arts and Math.

Closing the Achievement Gap

gives schools additional credit for exemplary gains among high-need students.

The back page provides specific information about how the school performed in each of these areas.

Additional Information

Closing the Achievement Gap

Schools earn additional credit when their high-need students make exemplary gains. These gains are based on the percentage of high-need students who improve by at least one-half of a proficiency level in English Language Arts or Math (e.g., student improves from 2.25 to 2.75 in ELA, or 3.20 to 3.70 in Math).

This component can only improve a school's Progress Report grade. It cannot lower a school's grade.

Credit	Exemplary Proficiency Gains	Student Group
English Language Arts		
+0.75	30.3%	English Language Learners
+1.5	44.2%	Special Education Students
-	-	Hispanic Students in the Lowest Third Citywide
-	-	Black Students in the Lowest Third Citywide
+1.5	46.9%	Other Students in the Lowest Third Citywide
Mathematics		
	8.9%	English Language Learners
	22.6%	Special Education Students
-	-	Hispanic Students in the Lowest Third Citywide
-	-	Black Students in the Lowest Third Citywide
	29.0%	Other Students in the Lowest Third Citywide

(-) indicates less than 15 students in this category

Peer Schools

Each school's performance is compared to the performance of schools in its peer group. Peer schools are those New York City public schools with a student population most like this school's population. Each school has up to 40 peer schools.

For Elementary and K-8 Schools, peer schools are determined based on the percentage of students at each school that are English Language Learners, Special Education, Black/Hispanic and Title I eligible.

For Middle Schools, peer schools are determined based on the average ELA and Math proficiency levels of the school's students before they entered Middle School.

The peer schools for P.S. 206 Joseph F Lamb are:

DBN	School Name	DBN	School Name
01M539	New Explorations into Science Technology and Math High	21K209	P.S. 209 Margaret Mead
03M199	P.S. 199 Jessie Isador Straus	02M442	Ballet Tech NYC Public School for Dance
26Q266	P.S. / I.S. 266	84M355	Ross Global Academy Charter School
26Q178	P.S. / IS 178 Holliswood	02M217	P.S./I.S. 217 Roosevelt Island
27Q207	P.S. 207 Rockwood Park	08X071	P.S. 071 Rose E. Scala
84Q706	Our World Neighborhood Charter	29Q208	P.S. / I.S. 208
31R080	The Michael J. Petrides School	21K095	P.S. 095 The Gravesend
11X175	P.S. 175 City Island	25Q164	P.S. 164 Queens Valley
27Q047	P.S. 047 Chris Galas	21K226	P.S. 226 Alfred De B.Mason
20K104	P.S./I.S. 104 The Fort Hamilton School	84M704	Harbor Sciences and Arts Charter School
03M333	P.S. 333 Manhattan School for Children		
11X019	P.S. 019 Judith K. Weiss		
27Q146	P.S. 146 Howard Beach		
22K207	P.S. 207 Elizabeth G. Leary		
01M184	P.S. 184m Shuang Wen		
20K180	P.S. 180 Homewood		
30Q122	P.S. 122 Mamie Fay		
84Q705	Renaissance Charter School The		
25Q499	The Queens College School for Math Science and Techno		
27Q232	P.S. 232 Lindenwood		

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