

2014-15 School Quality Guide / ES

Summary of Section Ratings

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Framework for Great Schools

The Framework consists of six elements—Rigorous Instruction, Collaborative Teachers, Supportive Environment, Effective School Leadership, Strong Family-Community Ties, and Trust—that drive Student Achievement. The School Quality Guide shares ratings and data on each of the Framework elements, based on information from Quality Reviews, the NYC School Survey, student attendance, and movement of students with disabilities to less restrictive environments. The School Quality Guide also shares ratings and data on Student Achievement based on a variety of quantitative measures of student growth and performance.



Section scores are on a scale from 1.00 - 4.99. The first digit corresponds to the section rating, and the additional digits show how close the school was to the next rating level.

State Accountability Status: Reward

This designation is determined by the New York State Department of Education. More information on New York State accountability can be found at:

<http://schools.nyc.gov/Accountability/tools/accountability/default.htm>

Note

In addition, an online version of the 2014-15 School Quality Guide, with additional features, can be found at <http://schoolqualityreports.nyc>

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School Enrollment and Demographic Data

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Student Enrollment

Grade	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
Kindergarten	92	83	92
Grade 1	98	99	92
Grade 2	92	106	104
Grade 3	89	94	115
Grade 4	100	94	103
Grade 5	76	102	97
All students	547	578	603

Student Demographics

	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
% English Language Learners	11%	11%	10%
% Free Lunch Eligible	31%	31%	34%
% Student with IEPs	29%	29%	29%
% Student with IEPs (less than 20% time)	14%	12%	12%
% HRA Eligible	-	20%	23%
% Temporary Housing	-	5%	6%
% Asian	58%	58%	60%
% Black	7%	7%	6%
% Hispanic	14%	15%	14%
% White	18%	18%	19%
% Other	0%	3%	2%

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Student Achievement Scoring Appendix

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Student Achievement Rating	Student Achievement Score
Exceeding Target	4.73

Student Achievement Metrics	n	2014-15 School Value	Bottom of Target Range	2014-15 Targets			Top of Target Range	Metric Score	Weight Pct
				Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target			
State Test Results - ELA									
● Average Student Proficiency	296	3.03	2.28	2.57	2.74	2.93	3.18	4.40	9.09%
● Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	296	57.8%	16.6%	30.3%	39.3%	49.6%	62.1%	4.66	9.09%
● Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	186	69.5	46.8	54.9	61.9	66.8	78.5	4.23	9.09%
● Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third	64	75.5	56.1	63.5	70.0	74.5	85.5	4.09	9.09%
● Early Grade Progress	108	3.29	0.73	1.46	2.08	2.51	3.54	4.76	9.09%
State Test Results - Math									
● Average Student Proficiency	299	3.56	2.36	2.74	2.96	3.21	3.53	4.99	9.09%
● Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	299	80.9%	19.9%	36.7%	47.7%	60.2%	75.5%	4.99	9.09%
● Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	188	70.0	36.3	48.6	59.3	66.7	84.4	4.19	9.09%
● Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third	67	75.0	48.4	58.9	67.9	74.3	89.3	4.05	9.09%
● Early Grade Progress	108	5.52	0.47	1.59	2.56	3.23	4.84	4.99	9.09%
● MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	85	96.7%	86.3%	91.6%	94.0%	96.7%	100.0%	4.00	9.09%
								Weighted Average Score	4.49

Closing the Achievement Gap (CtAG) Metrics	n	2014-15 School Population %	Population % of Range	2014-15 School Value	Bottom of Target Range	2014-15 Targets			Top of Target Range	Metric Score	Extra Points Possible	Extra Points Earned
						Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target				
ELA - Percent at Level 3 or 4												
● Self-Contained	39	13.2%	65.0%	10.3%	0.0%	1.1%	1.9%	2.7%	4.6%	4.99	0.030	0.030
● Integrated Co-Teaching	32	10.8%	54.8%	31.3%	0.0%	3.7%	6.5%	9.3%	15.8%	4.99	0.030	0.030
● SETSS	11	3.7%	35.2%	18.2%	0.0%	3.5%	6.2%	8.9%	15.0%	4.99	0.030	0.030
Math - Percent at Level 3 or 4												
● Self-Contained	39	13.0%	64.7%	43.6%	0.0%	2.9%	5.2%	7.4%	12.6%	4.99	0.030	0.030
● Integrated Co-Teaching	32	10.7%	54.6%	56.3%	0.0%	7.2%	12.9%	18.4%	31.2%	4.99	0.030	0.030
● SETSS	11	3.7%	35.6%	72.7%	0.0%	6.6%	11.7%	16.8%	28.4%	4.99	0.030	0.030
ELA - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
● ELL	28	15.1%	32.3%	42.9%	12.7%	26.0%	36.3%	46.4%	69.9%	3.65	0.030	0.020
○ Lowest Third Citywide	27	14.5%	19.3%	66.7%	28.0%	38.8%	47.1%	55.4%	74.4%		0.030	0.000
○ Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	10	5.4%	13.7%	50.0%	23.6%	36.2%	45.9%	55.6%	77.8%		0.030	0.000
○ SC/ICT/SETSS	47	25.3%	61.3%	34.0%	22.0%	34.9%	44.8%	54.7%	77.4%	1.93	0.030	0.007
Math - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
● ELL	30	16.0%	32.9%	50.0%	7.8%	22.3%	33.5%	44.6%	70.2%	4.21	0.030	0.024
○ Lowest Third Citywide	14	7.4%	10.2%	28.6%	19.1%	32.5%	42.8%	53.1%	76.7%		0.030	0.000
○ Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	6	3.2%	8.3%	50.0%	14.4%	29.5%	41.2%	52.8%	79.4%		0.030	0.000
○ SC/ICT/SETSS	47	25.0%	61.4%	36.2%	15.4%	29.5%	40.4%	51.3%	76.2%	2.61	0.030	0.012
○ ELL Progress	55	9.3%	23.6%	76.4%	31.6%	44.8%	55.1%	65.2%	88.6%		0.030	0.000
											CtAG Additional Points	0.24
											Overall Student Achievement Score	4.73

- Filled circle indicates a metric rating of Exceeding Target (and a metric score of 4.00 or higher).
- Empty circle indicates a metric rating of Not Meeting Target (and a metric score of 1.99 or lower).

	Metric Value	Metric Score	Weight Pct
Rigorous Instruction			
Quality Review 1.1	Well Developed	4.99	22%
Quality Review 1.2	Proficient	3.40	22%
Quality Review 2.2	Well Developed	4.99	22%
NYC School Survey - Rigorous Instruction	95%	4.16	34%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.36	

Collaborative Teachers			
Quality Review 4.2	Well Developed	4.99	50%
NYC School Survey - Collaborative Teachers	97%	4.64	50%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.84	

Supportive Environment			
Quality Review 3.4	Well Developed	4.99	30%
NYC School Survey - Supportive Environment	97%	4.60	35%
Percentage of students with 90%+ attendance			
EMS	93.5%	4.60	
HS			
Overall	93.5%	4.60	30%
Movement of students with disabilities to less restrictive environments			
EMS	0.27	3.20	
HS			
Overall	0.27	3.20	5%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.64	

Effective School Leadership			
NYC School Survey - Effective School Leadership	96%	4.80	100%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.80	

Strong Family-Community Ties			
NYC School Survey - Strong Family-Community Ties	86%	3.68	100%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.68	

Trust			
NYC School Survey - Trust	98%	4.52	100%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.52	

		Survey % Positive	City Range			Percent of Range	Score	
			Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range			
Rigorous Instruction								
•	Common Core shifts in literacy	Teachers	97	86.4	94.8	100.0	0.80	4.20
•	Common Core shifts in math	Teachers	97	83.3	93.1	100.0	0.82	4.28
	Course clarity	Students		84.3	92.7	100.0		
•	Quality of student discussion	Teachers	92	68.7	85.3	100.0	0.75	4.00
Section Results:			95%					4.16
Collaborative Teachers								
Cultural awareness:								
	Cultural awareness	Teachers	99	85.4	95.0	100.0	0.95	
	Cultural awareness	Parents	95	90.5	94.9	99.3	0.75	
	Cultural awareness	Students		68.6	87.4	100.0		
•	Cultural awareness	Combined	97				0.85	4.40
•	Inclusive classroom instruction	Teachers	100	84.2	94.6	100.0	1.00	4.99
•	Quality of professional development	Teachers	94	51.4	77.4	100.0	0.88	4.52
•	School commitment	Teachers	98	59.9	85.3	100.0	0.95	4.80
•	Innovation	Teachers	94	70.3	86.7	100.0	0.81	4.24
•	Reflective dialogue	Teachers	100	87.9	95.9	100.0	1.00	4.99
•	Peer collaboration	Teachers	99	77.6	92.2	100.0	0.97	4.88
•	Focus on student learning	Teachers	99	68.2	89.0	100.0	0.96	4.84
•	Collective responsibility	Teachers	93	65.7	84.7	100.0	0.79	4.16
Section Results:			97%					4.64
Supportive Environment								
Safety:								
	Safety	Teachers	100	80.0	94.6	100.0	1.00	
	Safety	Students		74.5	88.5	100.0		
•	Safety	Combined	100				1.00	4.99
Classroom behavior:								
	Classroom behavior	Teachers	94	66.9	85.5	100.0	0.83	
	Classroom behavior	Students		67.3	84.3	100.0		
•	Classroom behavior	Combined	94				0.83	4.32
•	Social-emotional measure	Teachers	100	89.0	96.6	100.0	1.00	4.99
	Peer interactions	Students		68.2	84.8	100.0		
	Next-level guidance	Students						
Press toward academic achievement:								
	Press toward academic achievement	Teachers	95	75.0	88.8	100.0	0.78	
	Press toward academic achievement	Students		85.3	91.9	98.5		
•	Press toward academic achievement	Combined	95				0.78	4.12
	Personal attention and support	Students		77.8	89.6	100.0		
Peer support for academic work:								
	Peer support for academic work	Teachers	97	76.5	91.5	100.0	0.87	
	Peer support for academic work	Parents	99	88.4	94.8	100.0	0.87	
	Peer support for academic work	Students		50.4	73.8	97.2		
•	Peer support for academic work	Combined	98				0.87	4.48
Section Results:			97%					4.60

		Survey % Positive	City Range			Percent of Range	Score
			Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range		
Effective School Leadership							
• Inclusive principal leadership	Parents	98	79.3	90.9	100.0	0.90	4.60
• Teacher influence	Teachers	88	28.8	60.8	92.8	0.92	4.68
• Program coherence	Teachers	99	60.0	85.2	100.0	0.98	4.92
• Principal instructional leadership	Teachers	100	61.6	87.0	100.0	1.00	4.99
Section Results:		96%					4.80
Strong Family Community Ties							
Teacher outreach to parents:							
Teacher outreach to parents	Teachers	100	84.5	94.5	100.0	1.00	
Teacher outreach to parents	Parents	95	86.0	92.6	99.2	0.75	
• Teacher outreach to parents	Combined	97				0.88	4.52
Parent involvement in the schools	Parents	75	62.4	76.6	90.8	0.45	2.80
Section Results:		86%					3.68
Trust							
• Parent-teacher trust	Parents	97	90.9	95.3	99.7	0.75	4.00
• Parent-principal trust	Parents	98	82.7	93.3	100.0	0.87	4.48
Student-teacher trust	Students		64.6	85.2	100.0		
• Teacher-principal trust	Teachers	99	56.4	85.0	100.0	0.98	4.92
• Teacher-teacher trust	Teachers	98	74.1	90.5	100.0	0.92	4.68
Section Results:		98%					4.52

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Targets for 2015-16

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These tables show the values needed in 2015-16 for the school to achieve a rating of Exceeding Target, Meeting Target, Approaching Target, or Not Meeting Target on each metric.

Student Achievement Metrics	2014-15 School Value	2015-16 Targets			
		Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target
State Test Results - ELA*					
Average Student Proficiency	3.03	2.65 or lower	2.66 to 2.75	2.76 to 2.83	2.84 or higher
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.40	2.00 or lower	2.01 to 2.12	2.13 to 2.21	2.22 or higher
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	57.8%	35.6% or lower	35.7% to 41.1%	41.2% to 45.3%	45.4% or higher
State Test Results - Math*					
Average Student Proficiency	3.56	2.79 or lower	2.80 to 2.95	2.96 to 3.06	3.07 or higher
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.89	1.98 or lower	1.99 to 2.15	2.16 to 2.28	2.29 or higher
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	80.9%	41.2% or lower	41.3% to 48.5%	48.6% to 54.0%	54.1% or higher
MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	96.7%	88.8% or lower	88.9% to 91.6%	91.7% to 93.8%	93.9% or higher

Closing the Achievement Gap Metrics*	2014-15 School Value	2015-16 Targets			
		Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target
ELA - Average Proficiency Rating					
Self-Contained	2.12	1.81 or lower	1.82 to 1.90	1.91 to 1.97	1.98 or higher
Integrated Co-Teaching	2.63	2.28 or lower	2.29 to 2.39	2.40 to 2.47	2.48 or higher
SETSS	2.40	2.12 or lower	2.13 to 2.24	2.25 to 2.34	2.35 or higher
ELL	2.66	2.29 or lower	2.30 to 2.43	2.44 to 2.53	2.54 or higher
Lowest Third Citywide	2.18	1.91 or lower	1.92 to 1.97	1.98 to 2.03	2.04 or higher
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	2.06	1.85 or lower	1.86 to 1.93	1.94 to 1.99	2.00 or higher
Math - Average Proficiency Rating					
Self-Contained	2.83	1.91 or lower	1.92 to 2.05	2.06 to 2.15	2.16 or higher
Integrated Co-Teaching	3.12	2.52 or lower	2.53 to 2.69	2.70 to 2.82	2.83 or higher
SETSS	3.17	2.30 or lower	2.31 to 2.47	2.48 to 2.61	2.62 or higher
ELL	3.36	2.54 or lower	2.55 to 2.74	2.75 to 2.89	2.90 or higher
Lowest Third Citywide	1.88	1.89 or lower	1.90 to 1.97	1.98 to 2.03	2.04 or higher
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	1.86	1.91 or lower	1.92 to 2.00	2.01 to 2.07	2.08 or higher
ELL Progress	76.4%	45.3% or lower	45.4% to 55.3%	55.4% to 62.8%	62.9% or higher

*To earn additional points from the Closing the Achievement Gap section on the 2015-16 School Quality Reports, the school must meet the targets below and have a population percentage (of the relevant high-need group) that is not more than one standard deviation below the citywide average.

Supportive Environment Metrics	2014-15 School Value	2015-16 Targets			
		Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target
Percentage of Students with 90%+ Attendance	93.5%	80.1% or lower	80.2% to 85.2%	85.3% to 89.0%	89.1% or higher
Movement of Students with Disabilities to Less Restrictive Environments	0.27	0.17 or lower	0.18 to 0.27	0.28 to 0.35	0.36 or higher