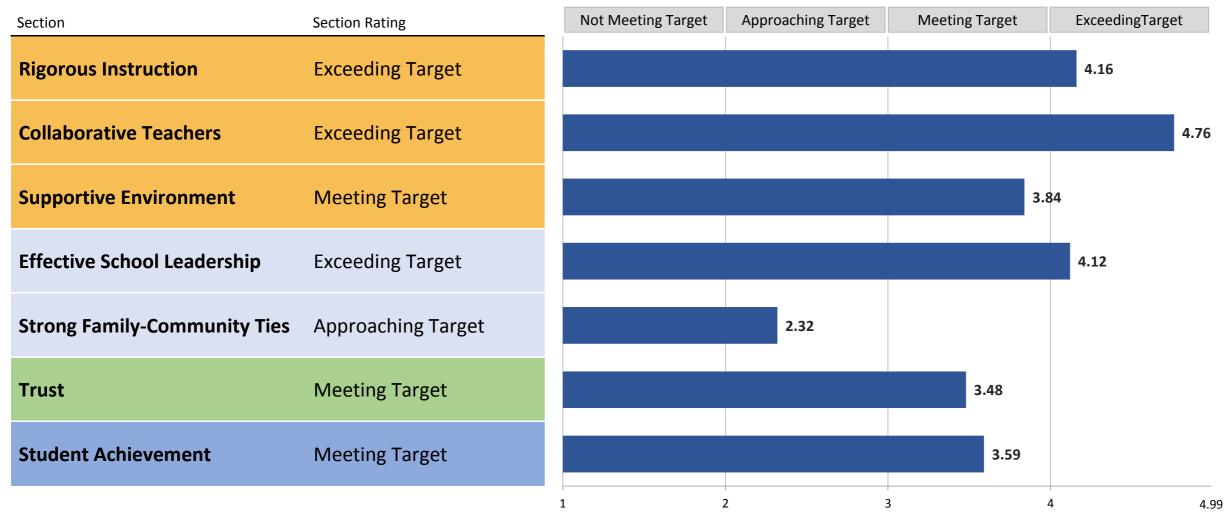
Framework for Great Schools

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

P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

2014-15 School Quality Guide / ES

School Enrollment and Demographic Data

Student Enrollment

Grade	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
Kindergarten	122	148	154
Grade 1	137	170	151
Grade 2	144	137	167
Grade 3	118	155	138
Grade 4	133	121	148
Grade 5	114	131	111
All students	839	959	941

Student Demographics

	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
% English Language Learners	11%	12%	16%
% Free Lunch Eligible	51%	51%	56%
% Student with IEPs	13%	14%	14%
% Student with IEPs (less than 20% time)	4%	3%	3%
% HRA Eligible	-	41%	42%
% Temporary Housing	-	1%	1%
% Asian	20%	20%	22%
% Black	3%	4%	3%
% Hispanic	26%	24%	25%
% White	50%	50%	48%
% Other	0%	2%	2%

Student Achievement Scoring Appendix

21K215 P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

Student Achievement Rating	Student Achievement Score
Meeting Target	3.59

	2014-15 Targets								
Student Achievement Metrics	n	2014-15 School Value	Bottom of Target Range	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target	Top of Target Range	Metric Score	Weight Pct
State Test Results - ELA						14000	ranger name		110.6.101
Average Student Proficiency	383	2.95	2.34	2.64	2.82	3.01	3.25	3.68	9.09%
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	383	50.4%	19.1%	33.3%	42.7%	53.4%	66.1%	3.72	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	249	64.0	49.0	57.2	64.2	69.2	80.9	2.97	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third	87	62.0	55.3	63.6	70.9	76.0	88.1	1.81	9.09%
Early Grade Progress	132	3.07	1.22	1.84	2.31	2.64	3.43	4.54	9.09%
State Test Results - Math									
Average Student Proficiency	382	3.28	2.43	2.82	3.05	3.32	3.65	3.85	9.09%
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	382	62.6%	24.6%	41.5%	52.2%	64.5%	79.0%	3.85	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	248	63.0	44.9	54.8	63.1	69.0	82.9	2.99	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third	86	59.0	51.1	59.9	67.5	72.9	85.8	1.90	9.09%
Early Grade Progress	132	3.11	1.26	2.12	2.70	3.11	4.21	4.00	9.09%
MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	125	99.2%	83.0%	88.5%	91.7%	95.4%	100.0%	4.83	9.09%
								Weighted Average Score	3.47

						2	2014-15 Targets					
Closing the Achievement Gap (CtAG) Metrics	n	2014-15 School Population %	Population % of Range	2014-15 School Value	Bottom of Target Range	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target	Top of Target Range	Metric Score	Extra Points Possible	Extra Points Earned
ELA - Percent at Level 3 or 4		•					-					
Self-Contained	15	3.9%	19.2%	6.7%	0.0%	1.1%	1.9%	2.7%	4.6%		0.030	0.000
Integrated Co-Teaching	31	8.1%	41.1%	16.1%	0.0%	3.7%	6.5%	9.3%	15.8%	4.99	0.030	0.030
SETSS	2	0.5%	4.8%		0.0%	3.5%	6.2%	8.9%	15.0%		0.030	0.000
Math - Percent at Level 3 or 4												
Self-Contained	15	3.9%	19.4%	13.3%	0.0%	2.9%	5.2%	7.4%	12.6%		0.030	0.000
Integrated Co-Teaching	31	8.1%	41.3%	32.3%	0.0%	7.2%	12.9%	18.4%	31.2%	4.99	0.030	0.030
SETSS	2	0.5%	4.8%		0.0%	6.6%	11.7%	16.8%	28.4%		0.030	0.000
ELA - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
ELL	22	8.8%	18.8%	54.5%	12.7%	26.0%	36.3%	46.4%	69.9%		0.030	0.000
Lowest Third Citywide	37	14.9%	19.9%	56.8%	28.0%	38.8%	47.1%	55.4%	74.4%		0.030	0.000
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	14	5.6%	14.2%	78.6%	23.6%	36.2%	45.9%	55.6%	77.8%		0.030	0.000
SC/ICT/SETSS	33	13.3%	26.9%	42.4%	22.0%	34.9%	44.8%	54.7%	77.4%	2.76	0.030	0.013
Math - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
ELL	22	8.9%	18.3%	45.5%	7.8%	22.3%	33.5%	44.6%	70.2%		0.030	0.000
Lowest Third Citywide	32	12.9%	17.7%	56.3%	19.1%	32.5%	42.8%	53.1%	76.7%		0.030	0.000
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	11	4.4%	11.5%	81.8%	14.4%	29.5%	41.2%	52.8%	79.4%		0.030	0.000
• SC/ICT/SETSS	33	13.3%	27.7%	60.6%	15.4%	29.5%	40.4%	51.3%	76.2%	4.37	0.030	0.025
ELL Progress	133	15.3%	38.8%	69.9%	31.6%	44.8%	55.1%	65.2%	88.6%	4.20	0.030	0.024
										CtAG Add	ditional Points	0.12
									Overa	all Student Achie	vement Score	3.59

[•] 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).

2014-15 School Quality Reports

Framework Elements Scoring Appendix

21K215 P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

	Metric Value	Metric Score	Weight Pct
gorous Instruction			
Quality Review 1.1	Proficient	3.40	22%
Quality Review 1.2	Proficient	3.40	22%
Quality Review 2.2	Well Developed	4.99	22%
NYC School Survey - Rigorous Instruction	98%	4.56	34%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.16	
ollaborative Teachers			
Quality Review 4.2	Well Developed	4.99	50%
NYC School Survey - Collaborative Teachers	96%	4.48	50%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.76	
pportive Environment			
Quality Review 3.4	Well Developed	4.99	30%
NYC School Survey - Supportive Environment	97%	4.40	35%
Percentage of students with 90%+ attendance EMS	81.3%	2.12	
HS			
Overall	81.3%	2.12	30%
Movement of students with disabilities to less restrictive environments			
EMS HS	0.24	2.91	
Overall	0.24	2.91	5%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.84	
fective School Leadership			
NYC School Survey - Effective School Leadership	91%	4.12	100%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.12	
rong Family-Community Ties			
NYC School Survey - Strong Family-Community Ties	80%	2.32	100%
Section Rating: Approaching Target	Section Score:	2.32	
r ust NYC School Survey - Trust	92%	3.48	100%
THE SCHOOL SURVEY THUSE	<i>327</i> 0	5.70	100/0
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.48	

P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

	City Range						
		Survey % Positive	Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range	Percent of Range	Score
Rigorous Instruction							
 Common Core shifts in literacy 	Teachers	98	86.4	94.8	100.0	0.82	4.28
 Common Core shifts in math 	Teachers	100	83.3	93.1	100.0	0.97	4.88
Course clarity	Students		84.3	92.7	100.0		
 Quality of student discussion 	Teachers	96	68.7	85.3	100.0	0.88	4.52
Section Results:		98%					4.56
Collaborative Teachers							
Cultural awareness:							
Cultural awareness	Teachers	99	85.4	95.0	100.0	0.93	
Cultural awareness	Parents	91	90.5	94.9	99.3	0.50	
Cultural awareness	Students		68.6	87.4	100.0		
Cultural awareness	Combined	95				0.72	3.88
 Inclusive classroom instruction 	Teachers	100	84.2	94.6	100.0	0.97	4.88
Quality of professional development	Teachers	95	51.4	77.4	100.0	0.90	4.60
School commitment	Teachers	95	59.9	85.3	100.0	0.88	4.52
Innovation	Teachers	95	70.3	86.7	100.0	0.83	4.32
Reflective dialogue	Teachers	99	87.9	95.9	100.0	0.92	4.68
Peer collaboration	Teachers	98	77.6	92.2	100.0	0.91	4.64
Focus on student learning	Teachers	96	68.2	89.0	100.0	0.87	4.48
Collective responsibility	Teachers	94	65.7	84.7	100.0	0.83	4.32
Section Results:	reactions	96%	03.7	01.7	100.0	0.03	4.48
Supportive Environment Safety:		400	00.0		400.0	0.00	
Safety	Teachers	100	80.0	94.6	100.0	0.98	
Safety	Students		74.5	88.5	100.0		
• Safety	Combined	100				0.98	4.92
Classroom behavior:							
Classroom behavior	Teachers	95	66.9	85.5	100.0	0.85	
Classroom behavior	Students		67.3	84.3	100.0		
Classroom behavior	Combined	95				0.85	4.40
 Social-emotional measure 	Teachers	96	89.0	96.6	100.0	0.75	4.00
Peer interactions	Students		68.2	84.8	100.0		
Next-level guidance	Students						
Press toward academic achievement:							
Press toward academic achievement	Teachers	96	75.0	88.8	100.0	0.82	
Press toward academic achievement	Students		85.3	91.9	98.5		
 Press toward academic achievement 	Combined	96				0.82	4.28
Personal attention and support	Students		77.8	89.6	100.0		
Peer support for academic work:							
Peer support for academic work	Teachers	99	76.5	91.5	100.0	0.96	
Peer support for academic work	Parents	97	88.4	94.8	100.0	0.75	
Peer support for academic work	Students		50.4	73.8	97.2		
 Peer support for academic work 	Combined	98				0.85	4.40
Section Results:		97%					4.40

P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

		City Range				
	Survey % Positive	Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range	Percent of Range	Score
Effect's Calculated and						
Effective School Leadership				400.0		
Inclusive principal leadership Paren		79.3	90.9	100.0	0.42	2.68
• Teacher influence Teach		28.8	60.8	92.8	0.84	4.36
 Program coherence Teach 	iers 98	60.0	85.2	100.0	0.95	4.80
 Principal instructional leadership Teach	ers 97	61.6	87.0	100.0	0.92	4.68
Section Results:	91%					4.12
Strong Family Community Ties						
Teacher outreach to parents:						
Teacher outreach to parents Teach	iers 98	84.5	94.5	100.0	0.89	
Teacher outreach to parents Paren	ts 84	86.0	92.6	99.2	0.00	
Teacher outreach to parents Comb	ined 91				0.45	2.80
 Parent involvement in the schools Paren	ts 68	62.4	76.6	90.8	0.21	1.84
Section Results:	80%					2.32
Trust						
Parent-teacher trust Paren	ts 91	90.9	95.3	99.7	0.50	3.00
Parent-principal trust Paren		82.7	93.3	100.0	0.27	2.08
Student-teacher trust Stude		64.6	85.2	100.0		
Teacher-principal trust Teach	ers 94	56.4	85.0	100.0	0.87	4.48
• Teacher-teacher trust Teach	iers 96	74.1	90.5	100.0	0.83	4.32
Section Results:	92%					3.48

Targets for 2015-16 P.S. 215 Morris H. Weiss

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	2015-16 Targets						
	School Value	Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target			
State Test Results - ELA*								
Average Student Proficiency	2.95	2.73 or lower	2.74 to 2.84	2.85 to 2.92	2.93 or higher			
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.17	2.08 or lower	2.09 to 2.20	2.21 to 2.30	2.31 or higher			
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	50.4%	39.5% or lower	39.6% to 45.0%	45.1% to 49.1%	49.2% or higher			
State Test Results - Math*								
Average Student Proficiency	3.28	2.92 or lower	2.93 to 3.08	3.09 to 3.19	3.20 or higher			
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.44	2.12 or lower	2.13 to 2.29	2.30 to 2.42	2.43 or higher			
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	62.6%	48.1% or lower	48.2% to 55.4%	55.5% to 60.8%	60.9% or higher			
MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	99.2%	87.9% or lower	88.0% to 90.9%	91.0% to 93.3%	93.4% or higher			
Closing the Achievement Gap Metrics*	2014-15		2015-16	Targets				
	School Value	Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target			
ELA - Average Proficiency Rating								
Self-Contained	1.77	1.72 or lower	1.73 to 1.80	1.81 to 1.89	1.90 or higher			
Integrated Co-Teaching	2.20	2.07 or lower	2.08 to 2.18	2.19 to 2.26	2.27 or higher			
SETSS		2.04 or lower	2.05 to 2.16	2.17 to 2.26	2.27 or higher			
ELL	2.56	2.26 or lower	2.27 to 2.40	2.41 to 2.50	2.51 or higher			
Lowest Third Citywide	1.98	1.98 or lower	1.99 to 2.05	2.06 to 2.10	2.11 or higher			
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	2.11	1.92 or lower	1.93 to 1.99	2.00 to 2.05	2.06 or higher			
Math - Average Proficiency Rating								
Self-Contained	2.14	1.94 or lower	1.95 to 2.08	2.09 to 2.19	2.20 or higher			
Integrated Co-Teaching	2.58	2.32 or lower	2.33 to 2.49	2.50 to 2.62	2.63 or higher			
SETSS		2.30 or lower	2.31 to 2.47	2.48 to 2.61	2.62 or higher			
ELL	3.00	2.51 or lower	2.52 to 2.70	2.71 to 2.85	2.86 or higher			
Lowest Third Citywide	2.05	1.98 or lower	1.99 to 2.06	2.07 to 2.12	2.13 or higher			
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	2.21	1.92 or lower	1.93 to 2.01	2.02 to 2.07	2.08 or higher			
ELL Progress	69.9%	50.5% or lower	50.6% to 60.5%	60.6% to 68.0%	68.1% 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 <u>and</u> 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	2015-16 Targets						
	School Value	Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target			
Percentage of Students with 90%+ Attendance	81.3%	75.6% or lower	75.7% to 81.8%	81.9% to 86.5%	86.6% or higher			
Movement of Students with Disabilities to Less Restrictive Environments	0.24	0.12 or lower	0.13 to 0.20	0.21 to 0.26	0.27 or higher			