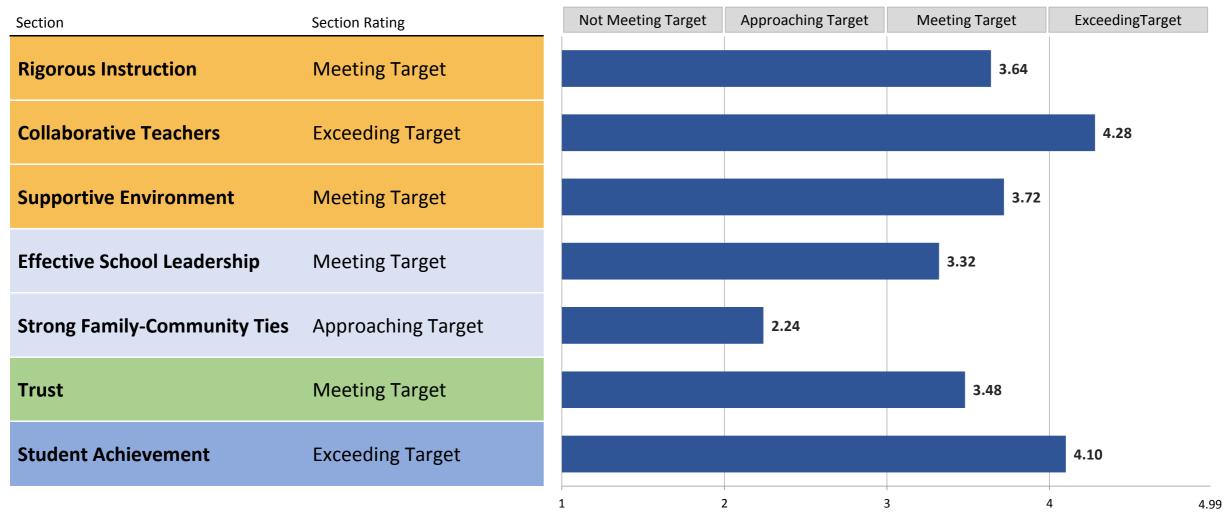
Framework for Great Schools

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: Good Standing

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

School Enrollment and Demographic Data

Student Enrollment

Grade	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
Kindergarten	172	184	165
Grade 1	232	212	211
Grade 2	177	228	189
Grade 3	196	165	222
Grade 4	223	186	154
Grade 5	211	221	188
All students	1211	1196	1129

Student Demographics

	2012 - 2013	2013 - 2014	2014 - 2015
% English Language Learners	31%	27%	26%
% Free Lunch Eligible	85%	85%	85%
% Student with IEPs	20%	23%	26%
% Student with IEPs (less than 20% time)	3%	4%	5%
% HRA Eligible	-	69%	65%
% Temporary Housing	-	20%	17%
% Asian	5%	5%	5%
% Black	10%	12%	11%
% Hispanic	76%	76%	76%
% White	8%	7%	7%
% Other	0%	1%	1%

Student Achievement Scoring Appendix

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Student Achievement Rating	Student Achievement Score
Exceeding Target	4.10

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Student Achievement Metrics		2014-15	Bottom of	Approaching	Meeting	Exceeding	Top of		
	n	School Value	Target Range	Target	Target	Target	Target Range	Metric Score	Weight Pct
State Test Results - ELA									
Average Student Proficiency	522	2.43	1.92	2.13	2.26	2.42	2.70	4.04	9.09%
 Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4 	522	23.8%	1.2%	9.7%	15.7%	22.5%	34.4%	4.11	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	295	70.0	47.9	55.3	61.8	66.3	77.1	4.34	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third	109	78.0	59.3	67.8	75.3	80.5	92.9	3.52	9.09%
Early Grade Progress	205	1.73	0.37	1.06	1.67	2.09	3.12	3.14	9.09%
State Test Results - Math									
Average Student Proficiency	530	2.64	1.92	2.20	2.39	2.61	2.97	4.08	9.09%
 Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4 	530	34.0%	0.8%	12.4%	20.6%	30.1%	45.3%	4.26	9.09%
Median Adjusted Growth Percentile	307	71.0	39.2	49.5	58.6	64.9	80.1	4.40	9.09%
 Median Adjusted Growth Percentile - School's Lowest Third 	103	79.0	57.0	65.4	72.4	77.3	89.0	4.15	9.09%
Early Grade Progress	205	1.97	0.20	1.25	2.16	2.80	4.35	2.79	9.09%
MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	188	88.8%	74.6%	81.7%	86.8%	92.7%	100.0%	3.34	9.09%
								Weighted Average Score	3.83

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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	16	3.1%	15.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	1.9%	2.7%	4.6%		0.030	0.000
Integrated Co-Teaching	67	12.8%	65.0%	4.5%	0.0%	3.7%	6.5%	9.3%	15.8%	2.29	0.030	0.010
• SETSS	34	6.5%	61.9%	11.8%	0.0%	3.5%	6.2%	8.9%	15.0%	4.48	0.030	0.026
Math - Percent at Level 3 or 4												
Self-Contained	17	3.2%	15.9%	5.9%	0.0%	2.9%	5.2%	7.4%	12.6%		0.030	0.000
Integrated Co-Teaching	66	12.5%	63.8%	13.6%	0.0%	7.2%	12.9%	18.4%	31.2%	3.13	0.030	0.016
• SETSS	34	6.4%	61.5%	20.6%	0.0%	6.6%	11.7%	16.8%	28.4%	4.33	0.030	0.025
ELA - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
ELL	86	29.2%	62.4%	43.0%	12.7%	26.0%	36.3%	46.4%	69.9%	3.66	0.030	0.020
Lowest Third Citywide	98	33.2%	47.3%	59.2%	28.0%	38.8%	47.1%	55.4%	74.4%	4.20	0.030	0.024
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	53	18.0%	45.6%	50.9%	23.6%	36.2%	45.9%	55.6%	77.8%	3.52	0.030	0.019
SC/ICT/SETSS	83	28.1%	69.3%	48.2%	22.0%	34.9%	44.8%	54.7%	77.4%	3.34	0.030	0.018
Math - Percent at 75th+ Growth Percentile												
ELL	98	31.9%	65.5%	40.8%	7.8%	22.3%	33.5%	44.6%	70.2%	3.66	0.030	0.020
Lowest Third Citywide	111	36.2%	49.7%	64.0%	19.1%	32.5%	42.8%	53.1%	76.7%	4.46	0.030	0.026
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	55	17.9%	46.6%	63.6%	14.4%	29.5%	41.2%	52.8%	79.4%	4.41	0.030	0.026
• SC/ICT/SETSS	83	27.0%	67.1%	59.0%	15.4%	29.5%	40.4%	51.3%	76.2%	4.31	0.030	0.025
ELL Progress	303	27.3%	69.3%	54.1%	31.6%	44.8%	55.1%	65.2%	88.6%	2.90	0.030	0.014
										CtAG Add	ditional Points	0.27
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									Overa	iii Student Athle	vernient score	4.10

[•] 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).

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	Metric Value	Metric Score	Weight Pct
orous Instruction			
Quality Review 1.1	Well Developed	4.99	22%
Quality Review 1.2	Proficient	3.40	22%
Quality Review 2.2	Proficient	3.40	22%
NYC School Survey - Rigorous Instruction	89%	3.04	34%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.64	
llaborative Teachers			
Quality Review 4.2	Well Developed	4.99	50%
NYC School Survey - Collaborative Teachers	90%	3.52	50%
Section Rating: Exceeding Target	Section Score:	4.28	
pportive Environment			
Quality Review 3.4	Well Developed	4.99	30%
NYC School Survey - Supportive Environment	93%	3.76	35%
Percentage of students with 90%+ attendance			
EMS	71.3%	2.80	
HS			
Overall	71.3%	2.80	30%
Movement of students with disabilities to less restrictive			
environments			
EMS	0.09	1.64	
HS			
Overall	0.09	1.64	5%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.72	
ective School Leadership			
NYC School Survey - Effective School Leadership	80%	3.32	100%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.32	
ong Family-Community Ties			
NYC School Survey - Strong Family-Community Ties	79%	2.24	100%
Section Rating: Approaching Target	Section Score:	2.24	
ust			
NYC School Survey - Trust	92%	3.48	100%
Section Rating: Meeting Target	Section Score:	3.48	
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				City Range			
		Survey % Positive	Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range	Percent of Range	Score
gorous Instruction							
Common Core shifts in literacy	Teachers	92	86.4	94.8	100.0	0.50	3.00
Common Core shifts in math	Teachers	91	83.3	93.1	100.0	0.50	3.00
Course clarity	Students		84.3	92.7	100.0		
Quality of student discussion	Teachers	85	68.7	85.3	100.0	0.53	3.12
ection Results:		89%					3.04
ollaborative Teachers							
Cultural awareness:							
Cultural awareness	Teachers	97	85.4	95.0	100.0	0.78	
Cultural awareness	Parents	91	90.5	94.9	99.3	0.50	
Cultural awareness	Students	31	68.6	87.4	100.0	0.50	
Cultural awareness	Combined	94	08.0	87.4	100.0	0.64	3.56
Inclusive classroom instruction	Teachers		84.2	04.6	100.0	0.64	
		96		94.6	100.0		4.00
Quality of professional development	Teachers	82	51.4	77.4	100.0	0.64	3.56
School commitment	Teachers	89	59.9	85.3	100.0	0.72	3.88
Innovation	Teachers	84	70.3	86.7	100.0	0.48	2.92
Reflective dialogue	Teachers	94	87.9	95.9	100.0	0.50	3.00
Peer collaboration	Teachers	93	77.6	92.2	100.0	0.67	3.68
Focus on student learning	Teachers	92	68.2	89.0	100.0	0.75	4.00
Collective responsibility	Teachers	84	65.7	84.7	100.0	0.54	3.16
ection Results:		90%					3.52
upportive Environment Safety:		90%					3.52
ipportive Environment	Teachers	90%	80.0	94.6	100.0	0.75	3.52
upportive Environment Safety:	Teachers Students		80.0 74.5	94.6 88.5	100.0 100.0	0.75	3.52
apportive Environment Safety: Safety						0.75 0.75	4.00
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			City Range				
		Survey % Positive	Bottom of Range	City Avg	Top of Range	Percent of Range	Score
Effective School Leadership							
Inclusive principal leadership	Parents	94	79.3	90.9	100.0	0.71	3.84
Teacher influence	Teachers	55	28.8	60.8	92.8	0.42	2.68
Program coherence	Teachers	80	60.0	85.2	100.0	0.49	2.96
Principal instructional leadership	Teachers	89	61.6	87.0	100.0	0.71	3.84
Section Results:		80%					3.32
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Strong Family Community Ties							
Teacher outreach to parents:							
Teacher outreach to parents	Teachers	94	84.5	94.5	100.0	0.61	
Teacher outreach to parents	Parents	87	86.0	92.6	99.2	0.25	
Teacher outreach to parents	Combined	90				0.43	2.72
 Parent involvement in the schools 	Parents	68	62.4	76.6	90.8	0.19	1.76
Section Results:		79%					2.24
Trust							
Parent-teacher trust	Parents	93	90.9	95.3	99.7	0.50	3.00
Parent-principal trust	Parents	93	82.7	93.3	100.0	0.60	3.40
Student-teacher trust	Students		64.6	85.2	100.0		
Teacher-principal trust	Teachers	92	56.4	85.0	100.0	0.82	4.28
Teacher-teacher trust	Teachers	88	74.1	90.5	100.0	0.54	3.16
Section Results:		92%					3.48

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Targets for 2015-16 P.S. 008 Issac Varian

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	-16 Targets			
	School Value	Not Meeting Target	Approaching Target	Meeting Target	Exceeding Target		
State Test Results - ELA*							
Average Student Proficiency	2.43	2.18 or lower	2.19 to 2.29	2.30 to 2.36	2.37 or higher		
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.03	1.81 or lower	1.82 to 1.93	1.94 to 2.02	2.03 or higher		
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	23.8%	11.6% or lower	11.7% to 17.1%	17.2% to 21.3%	21.4% or higher		
State Test Results - Math*							
Average Student Proficiency	2.64	2.27 or lower	2.28 to 2.43	2.44 to 2.55	2.56 or higher		
Average Student Proficiency - School's Lowest Third	2.04	1.79 or lower	1.80 to 1.96	1.97 to 2.09	2.10 or higher		
Percentage of Students at Level 3 or 4	34.0%	16.1% or lower	16.2% to 23.4%	23.5% to 28.9%	29.0% or higher		
MS Adjusted Core Course Pass Rate of Former Students	88.8%	85.8% or lower	85.9% to 89.4%	89.5% to 92.1%	92.2% 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	1.68	1.70 or lower	1.71 to 1.79	1.80 to 1.89	1.90 or higher		
Integrated Co-Teaching	2.01	1.91 or lower	1.92 to 2.02	2.03 to 2.10	2.11 or higher		
SETSS	2.22	1.89 or lower	1.90 to 2.02	2.03 to 2.11	2.12 or higher		
ELL	2.22	1.97 or lower	1.98 to 2.10	2.11 to 2.21	2.22 or higher		
Lowest Third Citywide	2.03	1.86 or lower	1.87 to 1.93	1.94 to 1.99	2.00 or higher		
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	1.91	1.83 or lower	1.84 to 1.90	1.91 to 1.99	2.00 or higher		
Math - Average Proficiency Rating							
Self-Contained	2.00	1.79 or lower	1.80 to 1.93	1.94 to 2.04	2.05 or higher		
Integrated Co-Teaching	2.31	2.01 or lower	2.02 to 2.18	2.19 to 2.31	2.32 or higher		
SETSS	2.34	1.98 or lower	1.99 to 2.16	2.17 to 2.29	2.30 or higher		
ELL	2.42	2.06 or lower	2.07 to 2.25	2.26 to 2.40	2.41 or higher		
Lowest Third Citywide	2.08	1.88 or lower	1.89 to 1.96	1.97 to 2.02	2.03 or higher		
Black and Hispanic Males in Lowest Third Citywide	2.06	1.83 or lower	1.84 to 1.92	1.93 to 1.99	2.00 or higher		
ELL Progress	54.1%	37.1% or lower	37.2% to 47.1%	47.2% to 54.7%	54.8% 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	71.3%	67.1% or lower	67.2% to 73.9%	74.0% to 79.1%	79.2% or higher			
Movement of Students with Disabilities to Less Restrictive Environments	0.09	0.10 or lower	0.11 to 0.17	0.18 to 0.21	0.22 or higher			