

Educator Guide to the School Quality Reports

Early Childhood Schools | 2024–25

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Overview

The School Quality Reports (SQR) share information about school performance, set expectations for schools, and promote school improvement. The School Quality Reports include:

- School Quality Reports: Snapshot: A summary report for families and community members to learn about school performance and quality.
- School Quality Reports: Dashboard: An interactive report with data visualizations for educators to investigate multiple years of school performance data. The report is publicly available for community members interested in more information.
- School Quality Reports: Citywide Results: Spreadsheets that contain detailed results for every public school in NYC.

These reports include information from multiple sources, including the NYC School Survey and student performance.

This Educator Guide typically describes the methodology used to calculate metric values in the School Quality Reports.



School Quality Report Sections

The School Quality Reports include four categories: School Description, Instruction and Performance, Safety and School Climate, and Relationships with Families. These new categories aim to be intuitive and aligned with New York City Public Schools' priorities.

Early Childhood Schools Do Not Receive Scores or Ratings

- **School Description:** Information on programs, students, faculty, and the school space.
- Instruction and Performance: Survey questions about the instruction and learning environment and data on standardized test performance, graduation, credit accumulation, special populations, and next-level readiness.
- **Safety and School Climate:** Survey data on safety, social-emotional support, school leadership, and attendance data.
- Relationships with Families: Survey data on how schools engage families and school-parent trust.

New York State School Designations

New York State implements a state accountability system that measures student performance on NYS ELA and math exams, Regents exams, and graduation rates. State accountability status does not affect the School Quality Report ratings.



Definitions

School Quality Report School Type

School Quality Reports are provided for the following school types:

School Type	Grades Served
Elementary School	K-4, K-5, and K-6
K-8 School*	K-7, K-8, and K-12 (minus grades 9-12)
Middle School	5-8, 6-8, and 6-12 (minus grades 9-12)
District 75 School	K-8 and K-12 (minus grades K-8), and 6-12 (minus grades 6-
	8)
High School	9-12, K-12 (minus grades K-8), and 6-12 (minus grades 6-8)
Transfer High	9-12, focus on overage and under-credited students.
School	

^{*} If a new K–8 school has grade 6 but does not yet have grades 3 or 4. It will be considered a middle school until it adds one of those grades.

A school that serves grades K–12 receives two separate School Quality Reports: one for the K–8 part of the school, and one for the high school.

Similarly, a school that serves grades 6–12 receives two separate School Quality Reports: one for the middle school and one for the high school.

This document explains the rules for School Quality Reports for early childhood schools. Separate Educator Guides explain the rules for the other school types.

NYC School Survey School Type

School Type	Grades and Students Served
Elementary School	K–5, and K–6
K–8 School*	K-8
6-12/K-12	K-12, 6-12
Middle School	5–8, 6–8
High School	9–12
Transfer High School	Transfer schools serving grades 9–12
District 75 School	District 75 schools



Attribution of Students to Schools

Students are attributed to schools based on the October 31, 2024, audited register. We use the enrollment from this register because it is audited for accuracy and used to allocate funds to schools.

Performance Levels

New York State assigns Performance Levels 1, 2, 3, and 4 to scale scores on the State ELA and math exams. These performance levels reflect the extent to which students demonstrate the level of understanding expected at their grade level, based on the New York State learning standards.

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Level 1	Students performing at this level are well below proficient in
	standards for their grade. They demonstrate knowledge, skills, and
	practices that are considered insufficient for the expectations at
	this grade.
Level 2	Students performing at this level are below proficient in standards
	for their grade. They demonstrate knowledge, skills, and practices
	that are considered partial but insufficient for the expectations at
	this grade.
Level 3	Students performing at this level are proficient in standards for
	their grade. They demonstrate knowledge, skills, and practices
	that are considered sufficient for the expectations at this grade.
Level 4	Students performing at this level excel in standards for their grade.
	They demonstrate knowledge, skills, and practices that are
	considered more than sufficient for the expectations at this grade.

Proficiency Ratings

For the School Quality Reports, the scale scores on State math and ELA exams are assigned a Proficiency Rating from 1.00–4.50. The first digit of the Proficiency Rating corresponds to the Performance Level, and the other digits reflect how close the student is to the next level. For example, a 2.90 is a Level 2, but close to a Level 3.

► Student Attribution for State ELA and Math Exams

Note: Proficiency ratings on the School Quality Reports may vary slightly from the New York State Education Department's reported numbers due to differences in how NYCPS and NYSED attribute students to schools. NYCPS uses the attribution rules found in this guide for all students across all metrics in the School Quality Reports. NYSED's calculations exclude students with Individualized Education Plans (IEPs) in grades K–8 who have a home address in a different community school district than their school's address and students who were not continuously enrolled at a school from BEDS day (October 5, 2024) through the exam date.



Demographic Information

This section describes the demographic information reported in the School Quality Reports, including the School Quality Report: Snapshot.

Student Subgroup Demographics

▶ Percent of Students Enrolled in the School

The first set of values reflects students who are enrolled on the audited register as of October 31, 2024, by racial/ethnic subgroup: Asian, Black, Hispanic or Latinx, Native American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, and White. Following NYSED reporting guidelines, any student identified as ethnically Hispanic is included only in the Hispanic category, regardless of which racial groups the student is in. Any non-Hispanic student who is identified in more than one category counts as Multiracial and is not included in the individual categories.

The next set of values reflects students who are enrolled on the audited register as of October 31, 2024, by gender: Female, Male, and Neither Female nor Male. Gender is recorded on student enrollment paperwork and can be changed on request.

The minimum numerator value for a category to be listed is 5.

▶ Percent of Students Enrolled in the District

NYCPS students in grades K–3 who are enrolled on the audited register as of October 31, 2024, attending a school inside of the school's district by racial/ethnic subgroup.

▶ Percent of Grade K-3 Public School Students Living within X Miles

NYCPS students in grades K–3 who are enrolled on the audited register as of October 31, 2024, residing inside of the school's nearby area, by racial/ethnic subgroup: Asian, Black, Hispanic or Latinx, Native American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, and White.

The school's nearby area is calculated as the median distance of students' home addresses from the school address in miles, based on students enrolled in the school on the audited register as of October 31, 2024. Based on current students' home addresses, NYCPS projects that a typical family living within this nearby area would be willing to have their child travel the necessary distance to attend this school. If the school's racial percentages are not representative of the racial percentages of public-school students living in the nearby area, this may indicate that the reason for the school's racial make-up relates more to school factors (e.g., admissions) than to housing factors.



Teacher Racial Subgroup Demographics

Any school staff member who is active and in a teacher title as of October 31, 2024, by racial subgroup: Asian, Black, Hispanic or Latinx, Native American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, and White.

A value for this metric is displayed when there are at least five people in a given category.



Instruction and Performance Metric

This section describes the performance on assessment metrics in the <u>School</u> <u>Quality Reports: Snapshot.</u>

State Exam Metrics

To be included in the denominator for the state-exam metrics, a student must:

- Be on the school's October 31, 2024, audited register, and
- Have taken the relevant New York State ELA or math exam in 2025.

The following metrics are calculated separately for ELA and math based on third graders' performance on the 2025 State exams.

If fewer than 25% of eligible students took the state tests in that subject, the ELA and/or math metric values will be N/A. In these cases, the limited data may not be representative of student performance across the school.

▶ Percentage of Students at Proficiency (Level 3 or 4): ELA and Math

These metrics show the percentage of students who scored at Level 3 or Level 4 on the State exam, out of all the students at the school who took the exam. The metrics are calculated separately for ELA and math.

► Average Proficiency Rating for All Students: ELA and Math

These metrics show the average Proficiency Rating, on a scale from 1.00 to 4.50, for all students at the school who took the exam. The metrics are calculated separately for ELA and math.

▶ Percentage of Receiving Special Education Programs

This metric includes all students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) as of June 2025, where the IEP recommends special education programs. Types of programs include Special Class (SC), Integrated Co-Teaching (ICT), and Special Education Teacher Support Services (SETSS). A student is reflected as "fully receiving" if there is an exact match between the IEP and the course enrollment in the STARS scheduling system. If the student is receiving some subjects but not all recommended subjects, this is reflected as "partially receiving." Students with no STARS data or no matching program are reflected as "not receiving."

▶ Percent of Students Receiving Recommended Related Services

This metric includes all students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) as of June 2024, where the IEP recommends related services. This includes services such as speech therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, and counseling. If the student's received services match all of the recommended services, the



student is listed as "fully receiving." If they have some but not all services, this is "partially receiving." A student with a recommendation but no services is reflected as "not receiving."

▶ Movement of Students with IEPs to Less Restrictive Environments

This measure recognizes schools that educate students with IEPs in the least restrictive environment that is educationally appropriate. Students with an IEP during any of the last four school years are sorted into four tiers based on primary program recommendations and the amount of time spent with general education peers, as of the end of September of each year. The denominator for this measure includes all K–3 students with Tier Two or higher in any of the years 2023–24, 2022–21, or 2021–20. Students who are newly certified in 2024–25 are excluded.

The numerator contribution of each student is the highest tier number from the last four school years minus the tier number for 2023–24. This number can range from zero (for students who are in their highest tier in 2023–24) to three (for students who were previously in Tier Four and are in Tier One in 2023–24). Negative numbers are not possible; students who move to a more restrictive environment count the same as if they had always been in that setting.

Tier One—General education

- No IEP, or
- IEP with a recommendation of related services only

Tier Two—80–100% of time with general education peers

- Primary recommendation of SETSS or ICT, or
- Primary recommendation of Special Class, spend 80–100% of instructional periods with general education peers

Tier Three—40–79% of time with general education peers

 Primary recommendation of Special Class, spend 40–79% of instructional periods with general education peers

Tier Four—0-39% of time with general education peers

 Primary recommendation of Special Class, spend 0–39% of instructional periods with general education peers

Students who start a less restrictive program at the beginning of 2023–24 count immediately, but if they start the less restrictive program mid-year, they will not contribute to the metric until the next year.



Safety and School Climate Metrics

This section describes School Climate metrics unrelated to the New York City School Survey. The School Quality Reports: Snapshot includes a subset of those metrics.

Attendance

The attendance rate includes the attendance for all K–3 students on a school's register at any point during the period September 2024 through June 2025. The attendance rate is calculated by adding together the total number of days attended by all students and dividing it by the total number of days on register for all students.

Pre-K attendance is excluded for any school that has a pre-K grade.

▶ Percentage of Students with Attendance Rates of 90% or Higher

This metric shows the percentage of students at the school with attendance rates of 90% or higher. Because chronic absenteeism is defined as students with attendance rates below 90%, this metric shows the percentage of students who are not chronically absent.

Each student's attendance rate is calculated by adding together the total number of days when the student was present and dividing it by the total number of days on register for the student at the school (the sum of the days when the student was present and the days when the student was absent). If a student's total number of days on register at the school is less than 20, the student's attendance rate is treated as N/A, and the student does not contribute to this metric.

Pre-K attendance is excluded for any school that has a Pre-K grade. For K–12 schools, this metric is calculated separately for the K–8 grades and 9–12 grades. Similarly, for 6–12 schools, the metric is calculated separately for the 6–8 grades and the 9–12 grades.



School Quality Report Metrics and Data Sources

NYC School Survey

The NYC School Survey is administered annually to students in grades 6–12, and to parents and teachers of students in all grades (3–K through 12). The survey gathers information from school communities on four School Quality Report categories:

- Instruction and Performance
- Safety and School Climate
- Relationships with Families
- School Description

The survey is organized as groups of questions relating to a measure, and groups of measures relating to a category.

Example: The category of Instruction and Performance comprises six measures: Academic Press, Classroom Behavior, Course Clarity, Cultural Awareness and Inclusive Classroom Instruction, Quality of Student Discussion, and Strong Core Instruction. The NYC School Survey includes groups of questions related to each measure.

See <u>Appendix A</u> for a detailed explanation of the measure-question survey structure.

► Question-Level Percent Favorable

For each survey question, we calculate the percentage of "favorable" responses (excluding "I don't know" or missing responses from the denominator).

Favorable responses are defined as those in the favorable half of response options (i.e., out of four possible response options, the two most favorable options are treated as positive responses).

Note: In prior years, this metric was referred to as percent positive.

Results are displayed overall for all students and for each of the following subgroups: American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian, Black, Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish Origin, multiracial, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, White, English Language Learners, female, male, neither female nor male students with IEPs, students in temporary housing, grade level, and the intersection of race and gender.



► Measure-Level Percent Favorable

For each measure, we calculate the average of the question-level percent favorable values for all questions within the measure.

► Category-Level Percent Favorable

For each category, we calculate the average of the measure-level percent favorable values for all measures within the category.

Example: the percent favorable for the Instruction and Performance category is the average of the percent favorable on its six measures: Academic Press, Classroom Behavior, Course Clarity, Cultural Awareness and Inclusive Classroom Instruction, Quality of Student Discussion, and Strong Core Instruction.

For additional information about the survey, please visit the <u>NYC School Survey</u> or view results in <u>Panorama Education's platform</u>, or email <u>surveys@schools.nyc.gov</u>



Survey Performance Metrics

NYC School Survey

For survey scoring, schools are categorized by a survey school type and are compared to other schools of the same survey school type.

The scoring method for the NYC School Survey follows the structure of the survey, which is organized as groups of questions relating to a measure, and groups of measures relating to a category.

The following process is used to generate a survey category score:

- Question-level percent favorable (percentage of positive responses to a question)
- 2. **Measure-level percent favorable** (average of the question-level percent positive values for all questions within the measure)
- 3. **Measure score** (score based on the measure-level percent positive)
- 4. **Survey category score** (average of measure scores for all measures within the category)

► Question-level percent positive

For each question, this metric is the percent positive responses (excluding "I don't know" or missing responses from the denominator).

Positive responses are defined as those in the favorable half of response options (i.e., out of four possible response options, the two most favorable options are treated as positive responses).

► Measure-level percent positive

This metric is the average of the question-level percent favorable values for all questions within the measure.

Example: Instructional Leadership is a measure within the category of School Leadership. The Instructional Leadership percent positive is the average of the question-level percent positive values on all the Instructional Leadership questions.



Survey Category Score

This metric is the average of the measure scores for all measures within the category.

For example, the Family-School Trust category contains two measures: Parent-Principal Trust and Parent-Teacher Trust. The school's category score for the Family-School Trust category is the average of the measure score for the Parent-Principal Trust measure and the measure score for the Parent-Teacher Trust measure.

Response Recognition Program

In 2024-25, the New York City School Survey Response Recognition Program identified district schools (Districts 1-32 and 75) that achieved an overall survey response rate of 85% or higher across all respondent groups. Schools that met this benchmark received a green ribbon designation on their 2024-25 School Quality Reports: Snapshot and on the 2025 NYC School Survey report.

This recognition was based only on response rates. It did not reflect or interpret survey results.

For the list of awarded recipients, see the <u>2024-25 NYC School Survey Response</u> Recognition Award document on InfoHub.



Appendix A: Category-Measure-Question Structure

The following tables show the measures within each category and the respondent group(s) that were asked about in each measure in the NYC School Survey, and the questions that were asked.

Category	Non-Element	Non-Elementary Schools		Elementar	y Schools
Measure	Students	Teachers	Parents	Teachers	Parents
Instruction					
and					
Performance					
Academic	X	X		X	
Press					
Classroom					X
Behavior					
Course	X				
Clarity					
Cultural	X	X			X
Awareness					
and					
Inclusive					
Classroom					
Instruction					
Early					X
Childhood					
Instruction					
Family			X		
Satisfaction					
with Child's					
Education					
IEP Service			X		
Satisfaction					
Quality of		X			X
Student					
Discussion					



Category		entary Scho		Elementar	
Measure	Students	Teachers	Parents	Teachers	Parents
Safety and					
School Climate					
Conflict	X	X	X		X
Resolution					
Guidance	X	Х			X
Inclusive	X		Х		
Leadership					
Inclusive	Х	Х			Х
Learning					
Environment					
Innovation And		Х			Х
Collective					
Responsibility					
Instructional		Х			Х
Leadership					
Peer		Х			Х
Collaboration					
Personal	X				
Attention and					
Support					
Preventing	Х	Х			Х
Bullying					
Program		Х			Х
Coherence					
Quality Of		Х			Х
Professional					
Development					
Safety	X	X			X
School		Х			X
Commitment					
Social-	Х	Х			Х
Emotional					
Student-	Х				
Student Trust					
Student-	Х				
Teacher Trust					
Teacher		Х			Х
Influence					



Teacher-		X	o the School Quality Report	X
Teacher Trust				A
Teacher-		Х		Х
Principal Trust				A
Conflict	Х	Х	Х	Х
Resolution	A		A	X
Guidance	Х	X		Х
Inclusive	X	X	Х	X
Leadership	Λ		^	
Inclusive	Х	X		Х
Learning	Λ	^		^
Environment				
Innovation And		X		X
Collective		^		^
Responsibility				
Instructional		X		X
Leadership		^		^
Peer		X		X
Collaboration		^		^
Personal	Х			
Attention and	^			
Support	X	X		X
Preventing	A	^		^
Bullying		V		V
Program		X		X
Coherence		V		V
Quality Of		X		X
Professional				
Development	V	V		V
Safety	Х	X		X
School		X		X
Commitment	V	V		V
Social-	X	X		X
Emotional	V			
Student-	X			
Student Trust	V			
Student-	X			
Teacher Trust				
Teacher		X		X
Influence				



Teacher-	X	X
Teacher Trust		
Teacher-	Х	X
Principal Trust		

Category	Non-Elementary Schools			Elementar	y Schools
Measure	Students	Teachers	Parents	Teachers	Parents
Relationship with					
Families					
Building Families' Capacity as Their Child's Primary Advocate		X	X		X
Building Families' Capacity as Their Child's Primary Teacher		X	Х		X
Outreach To Parents		Х	Х		Х
Parent Involvement in School			X		
Parent-Teacher Trust			Х		
Parent-Principal Trust			X		
Strong Relationships		X	Х		X
Two-Way Communication		X			X

Category	Non-Eleme	Non-Elementary Schools			Schools
Measure	Students	Students Teachers Parents		Teachers	Parents
School					
Description					
School Facilities and Services	х	х	х	X	Х



Instruction and Performance

Questions are included within each measure in the Instruction and Performance category.

Acadomic Dro	200					
	Academic Press					
	low much do YOU agree with the following statements?					
S Q37 o	of students say that the classes at their school prepare them for the					
n	ext step in their education.					
1 = Strongly di	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree					
In how many o	of your classes					
S Q51 a	re you challenged?					
1 = None, 2 = 1	A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
S Q52 d	lo your teachers have high expectations for you?					
1 = None, 2 = 1	A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
S Q53 a	re you encouraged to work in small groups?					
1 = None, 2 = 1	A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
S Q54 d	lo your teachers want you to become better thinkers, not just					
n	nemorize things?					
1 = None, 2 = /	A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
S Q55 d	lo you get so focused on learning during class activities that you lose					
tı	rack of time?					
1 = None, 2 = 1	A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
T Q142 h	ave to work hard to do well?					
1 = None, 2 = 3	Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All					
Please mark t	he extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.					
S Q35 Ir	n this school, the staff believes that all students can learn, including					
M	Aultilingual Leaners/English Language Learners (MLs/ELLs),					
E	mergent Multilingual Learners (EMLLs), and students with					
d	lisabilities.					
1 = Strongly di	isagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree					
S Q44 T	his school has well-defined learning expectations for all students.					
1 = Strongly di	isagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree					
						

Classroom	Classroom Behavior				
How many s	How many students in your classes				
T Q143	T Q143 do their work when they are supposed to?				
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All					
T Q113 listen carefully when the teacher gives directions?					
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All					
T Q114	follow the rules in class?				



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1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All				
T	Q115	respond to challenging questions in class?		
1 =	1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			

Со	Course Clarity		
In h	In how many of your classes, this school year, do YOU feel the following		
sta	statement is true?		
S	Q28	My teachers make learning expectations clear.	
1 =	None,	2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All	
S	Q29	Class assignments are purposeful in learning the course content.	
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			
S	Q30	The work I do in class is good preparation for class assignments,	
		projects, and assessments.	
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			
S	Q31	I learn a lot from feedback on my work.	
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			

Cu	ltural A	wareness and Inclusive Classroom Instruction	
In h	In how many of your classes, this school year, do YOU feel the following		
sta	statement is true?		
Τ	Q09	Ensure instruction represents multiple races and ethnicities	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q11	Design instruction that is responsive to students' needs (e.g.	
		Multilingual Learners/English Language Learners (MLs/ELLs) or	
		Emergent Multilingual Leaners (EMLLs) proficiency and students with	
		disabilities).	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q12	apply my knowledge of parents' various cultural backgrounds when	
		collaborating with them regarding their child's educational progress.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		
Т	Q13	develop appropriate Individualized Education Programs for my	
		students with disabilities.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		
Т	Q14	monitor progress on Individualized Education Program goals for my	
		students with disabilities.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		
Т	Q15	distinguish linguistic/cultural differences from learning difficulties.	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q27	I have conversations about race and racism at my school that help me	
		examine my own beliefs around identity.	



1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't known		
T Q06 receive support around how to incorporate students' cultural and		
linguistic backgrounds in my practice.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	ow	
T Q07 Appropriately modify instructional activities and materials to meet	the	
developmental needs and learning interests of all my students.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
T Q08 Ensure instruction represents multiple perspectives, cultures and		
backgrounds.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
T Q10 Ensure instruction represents multiple genders, gender identities a	and	
expressions and sexual orientations.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
S Q10 I feel that my teachers respect my culture, background, and identif	ty.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
How much do YOU agree with the following statements?		
S Q03 My teachers use examples of students' different races and culture	s in	
their lessons to make learning more meaningful for me.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		
S Q04 My teachers use examples of students' different backgrounds and		
families in their lessons to make learning more meaningful for me.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
S Q05 I see a variety of races, ethnicities, cultures, and backgrounds		
positively represented in the curriculum.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
S Q06 I see a variety of genders, gender identities and expressions and		
sexual orientations positively represented in the curriculum.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
S Q07 At this school, we have productive conversations about race and		
racism where I feel my voice is heard.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn	ow	
S Q08 My teachers treat students of different races, cultures, or		
backgrounds equally.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't kn		
S Q09 My teachers treat students of different genders, gender identities a	and	
expressions and sexual orientations equally.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		



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Early Childhood Instruction			
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.			
For Infant, Toddler, 3-K and Pre-K: In planning my most recent learning			
experiences for my class, I had the resources and tools I needed to			
T Q78 meet the needs of the children in my classroom. [Early childhood]			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
T Q79 Develop and facilitate intentional learning experiences grounded in the			
developmentally appropriate practices and play-based learning			
experiences emphasized in New York State Prekindergarten Learning			
Standards (NYSPLS) and/or Head Start Early Learning Outcomes			
Framework (ELOF).			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
T Q80 help children engage with books and materials, or in other learning			
activities reflective of their diverse racial, cultural, and linguistic			
perspective. [Early childhood]			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			

Far	Family Satisfaction with Child's Education		
Ple	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with the following		
sta	statement.		
Р	Q31	My child is progressing in reading the way I would expect.	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Р	Q32	My child is progressing in math the way I would expect.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Р	Q33	My child's school helps me understand what grade-level schoolwork	
		looks like.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
Ho	How satisfied are you with the following?		
Р	Q36	The education my child has received this year.	
1 = Very dissatisfied, 2 = Dissatisfied, 3 = Satisfied, 4 = Very satisfied, 5 = I don't			
know			
Р	Q37	The overall quality of my child's teachers this year.	
1 = Very dissatisfied, 2 = Dissatisfied, 3 = Satisfied, 4 = Very satisfied, 5 = I don't			
know			



IEP	Servic	e Satisfaction	
If yo	If you are a parent/guardian of a child who receives special education services		
thro	through an Individualized Education Program (IEP), ANSWER this question. Mark		
the	the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following statements.		
Р	Q44	I am satisfied with the educational planning and Individualized	
		Education Program (IEP) development process at this school.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Р	Q45	At this school, my child receives what they need to achieve their	
		Individualized Education Program (IEP) goal(s).	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Р	Q46	This school offers a wide enough variety of activities and services	
		(including specialized programs, related services and assistive and	
		adaptive technologies where appropriate) to help improve outcomes	
		for my child.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Quality of Student Discussion		
How many students in your classes		
T Q108 build on each other's ideas during class discussions?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
T Q109 use data or text references to support their ideas?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
T Q110 show that they respect each other's ideas?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
T Q111 provide constructive feedback to their peers/teachers?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
T Q112 participate in class discussions at some point?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		

Strong Core Instruction			
Pl	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
In	In planning my last instructional unit, I had the resources and tools I needed to		
ine	include multiple opportunities for		
Т	Q100	students to interact with complex grade-level text and tasks, using	
		scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Т	Q101	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
		racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			



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T	Q102	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
		topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	Q103	focusing deeply on the concepts emphasized in the standards to help	
		students build strong foundations for learning.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Т	Q91	reading and writing experiences grounded in evidence from text, both literary and informational.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
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•	Q 0_	scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q93	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
		racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q94	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
-	Q .	topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
T	Q95	focusing deeply on the concepts emphasized in the standards to help	
ľ	QUU	students build strong foundations for learning.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q104	students to interact with complex grade-level text and tasks, using	
		scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q105	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
		racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q106	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
		topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q107	focusing deeply on the concepts emphasized in the standards to help	
		students build strong foundations for learning.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q96	students to interact with complex grade-level text and tasks, using	
		scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q97	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
	-	racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
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Т	Q98	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
		topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Т	Q99	focusing deeply on the concepts emphasized in the standards to help	
		students build strong foundations for learning.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q86	reading and writing experiences grounded in evidence from text, both literary and informational.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q87	students to interact with complex grade-level text and tasks, using	
		scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q88	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
		racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Τ	Q89	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
		topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q90	creating coherent progressions within the standards from previous	
		grades to current grade to build onto previous learning.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q81	reading and writing experiences grounded in evidence from text, both	
		literary and informational.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q82	students to interact with complex grade-level text and tasks, using	
		scaffolding where appropriate.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
T	Q83	students to engage with texts and tasks reflective of their diverse	
		racial, cultural, and linguistic perspective.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q84	students to engage in meaningful discussion that critically examines	
		topics that connect to the daily lives of students.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q85	focusing deeply on the concepts emphasized in the standards to help	
		students build strong foundations for learning.	
1 =	= Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Th	is quest	ion is for informational purposes only. It will not be scored and will not	
be	used fo	r accountability for your school.	
Т	Q77	Select at least one content area that you teach. You will then answer a	
		set of questions for each content area you select.	



1 = Early childhood (e.g. infants, toddlers, 3-K, or Pre-K), 2 = Social Studies, 3 = Science, 4 = ELA, 5 = Math, 6 = English as a New Language (ENL), 7 = Economics/Financial Education, 8 = I don't teach any of these content areas

Safety and School Climate

Questions are included within each measure in the Safety and School Climate category.

Conflict Resolution		
How muc	h do you agree with the following statement?	
T Q141	Conflicts are resolved fairly in my school.	
1 = Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
T Q128	Behavioral supports are applied equitably to children in my	
	school/program.	
1 = Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
How muc	h do YOU agree with the following statements?	
S Q47 Conflicts are resolved fairly in this school.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with the following		
statements.		
P Q34	Conflicts are resolved fairly at my child's school.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		

Guidance			
Hov	How much do you agree with the following statements? It's a priority at this		
sch	ool that ac	dults	
Т	Q133	provide students with guidance on the high school application	
		process.	
1 = 5	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,	
6= N	N/A		
Т	Q134	provide families with guidance on the high school application	
		process.	
1 = 9	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,	
6= N	N/A		
Т	Q135	provide students with opportunities to learn about different career	
		paths.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,			
6 = N/A			
How much do you agree with the following statements? Adults at this school			



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dents to discuss what they plan to do after high	

Т	Q136	meet with students to discuss what they plan to do after high		
		school.		
1 = 3	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
Т	Q137	provide students with information about the college application		
		process.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,		
6= 1	N/A			
Т	Q138	help students plan for how to meet their future career goals.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		
T	Q139	show students options for how to pay for college (scholarship,		
		grants, loans, work study programs).		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,		
6= 1	V/A			
Т	Q140	show students options for how to pursue pathways other than		
		college (apprenticeships, certifications, etc.).		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,		
6 = 1	N/A			
If yo	u are a stu	udent in grades 6-8, ANSWER this question. If you are a student in		
grad	des 9-12, S	KIP this question. How much do YOU agree with the following		
stat	ements?			
S	Q69	This school provides me with guidance on the high school		
		application process.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S	Q70	This school provides my family with guidance on the high school		
		application process.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
If yo	u are a stu	udent in grades 9-12, ANSWER this question. How much do YOU		
agre	ee with the	following statements? Adults at this school (including teachers,		
adn	ninistrator	s, counselors, and the principal)		
S	Q71	meet with me to discuss what I plan to do after high school.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S	Q72	encourage me to continue my education after high school.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree				
S	Q73	provide me with information about the college application		
		process.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S	Q74	help me plan for how to meet my future career goals.		
1 = 3	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
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		and backgrounds to take challenging classes.		

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1 = 5	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S	Q76	advise me to take advanced courses.	
1 = 9	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
S	Q77	help me consider which colleges to apply to.	
1 = 9	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A	
S	Q78	show me options for how to pay for college (scholarship, grants,	
		loans, work study programs, etc.).	
1 = 9	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A	
Hov	v much do	YOU agree with the following statements?	
S	Q21	This school encourages me to develop interests, talents, or	
		opportunities outside of academics.	
1 = 9	Strongly di	sagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
S	Q49	At this school, I have the opportunity to learn about different	
		careers to help me think about my future.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
S	Q79	show me options for how to pursue pathways other than college	
		(apprenticeships, certifications, etc.)	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A			

Inc	Inclusive Leadership		
Но	w much	do YOU agree with the following statements?	
S	Q02	I have the opportunity to work with adults at this school to make	
		decisions in important areas that impact my life (e.g. instruction,	
		safety, conflict resolution, etc.).	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Ple	ase ma	rk the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following	
sta	tement	s. The principal/school leader at this school	
Р	Q17	puts decisions made with families into action.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Р	Q18	works to create a sense of community in the school.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Р	Q19	ensures families are comfortable communicating with the school.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with the following			
statement.			
Р	Q30	Language translation and interpretation are readily available to me at	
		all family events at my child's school.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,	
6 = N/A			



Inc	Inclusive Learning Environment		
Ple	ase ma	rk the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.	
Т	Q37	At this school, students with disabilities are included in all school	
		activities.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q38	This school educates students with disabilities in the least restrictive	
		environment appropriate.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q45	School staff treat students of different genders, gender identities and	
		expressions and sexual orientations equally.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= I don't know	
Т	Q46	School staff treat students of different races, cultures, or backgrounds	
		equally.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= I don't know			
S	Q12	At this school, students with disabilities are included in all school	
		activities.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		

Innovation and Collective Responsibility			
Но	w man	y teachers at this school	
Т	Q1	help build a welcoming school environment in the entire school, not	
		just their classroom?	
1 =	None,	2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All	
T Q2 are actively trying to improve their teaching?		are actively trying to improve their teaching?	
1 =	None,	2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All	
Т	Q3	take responsibility for improving the school?	
1 =	1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
Т	T Q4 are eager to try new ideas?		
1 =	1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All		
Т	T Q5 feel responsible that all students learn?		
1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All			

Instructional Leadership		
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
The	e princi	pal/program leader at this school
Т	Q63	makes clear to the staff their expectations for meeting instructional
		goals.
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	Q64	understands how children learn.
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		



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T Q65 sets high standards for student learning.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
The principal/assistant principal(s) at this school		
T Q66 supports teachers in implementing what they have learned in		
professional development.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T Q67 carefully tracks student academic progress.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T Q68 knows what's going on in my classes.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T Q69 provides teachers with formative feedback to improve practice.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T Q70 participates in instructional planning with teams of teachers.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Peer Collaboration			
Ple	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
At t	his sch	ool	
Т	Q49	the principal/program leader, teachers, and staff collaborate to make	
		this school run effectively.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q50	teachers design instructional programs (e.g. lessons, units) together.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q51	teachers make a conscious effort to coordinate their teaching with	
		instruction at other grade levels.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A	
Per	sonal A	Attention and Support	
Ho	w mucł	n do YOU agree with the following statements?	
S	Q11	In general, my teachers make their lessons relevant to my everyday life	
		experiences.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
S	Q13	My teachers take into consideration how my background and identity	
		affect my learning and interests.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
S	Q40	Adults at this school check in with me frequently about how I'm doing	
		personally.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
S	Q41	Adults at this school check in with me frequently about how I'm doing	
		academically.	

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1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
S Q42 I feel like I belong at this school.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
In how many of your classes, this school year, do YOU feel the following			
statement is true? My teachers			
S Q33 ask if I have everything that I need to succeed in their class			
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			
S Q34 give me specific suggestions about how I can improve my work in			
class.			
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			
S Q35 explain things a different way if I don't understand something in class.			
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			
S Q36 support me when I am upset.			
1 = None, 2 = A few, 3 = Most, 4 = All			

Pre	Preventing Bullying			
Но	How often is the following thing true?			
Т	Q47	At this school students harass, bully, or intimidate other students.		
1 =	None c	of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time		
Но	w often	are the following things true? At this school		
S	Q61	students harass, bully, or intimidate other students.		
1 =	None c	of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time		
S	Q62	students harass, bully, or intimidate each other because of their race,		
		religion, ethnicity, national origin, language/accent, or		
		citizenship/immigration status.		
1 =	None c	of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time		
S	Q63	students harass, bully, or intimidate each other because of their		
		gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation.		
1 =	None c	of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time		
S	Q64	students harass, bully, or intimidate each other because of other		
		differences, like different body type or disability.		
1 =	1 = None of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time			
S	Q65	students harass, bully, or intimidate each other online (through mobile		
		phones, social media, email, or other forms of electronic		
		communication).		
1 =	None c	1 = None of the time, 2 = Rarely, 3 = Some of the time, 4 = Most of the time		



Pre	Program Coherence		
Ple	ease ma	ark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.	
At	this sch	nool	
Т	Q52	curriculum, instruction, and learning materials are well coordinated	
		across the different grade levels at this school.	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A	
Т	Q53	once we start a new program, we follow up to make sure that it's	
		working.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T Q54 it is clear how all of the programs offered are connected to our			
		school's instructional vision.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Quality of Professional Development				
Plea	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.			
Ove	erall, m	y professional development experiences this year have		
Т	Q60	curriculum, instruction, and learning materials are well coordinated		
		across the different grade levels at this school.		
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A		
Plea	ase ma	rk the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
Ove	erall, m	y professional development experiences this year have		
Т	T Q61 included opportunities to engage in inquiry-based, professional			
	collaboration with peers and/or mentors from other schools.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree				
T Q62 directly related to my students' needs.				
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree				

Safety				
Hov	How much do you agree with the following statements? My students are safe			
T	Q129	outside around this school.		
1 = \$	Strongly	disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
Т	T Q130 traveling between home and this school.			
1 = \$	Strongly	disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
Т	Q131	in the hallways, bathrooms, locker rooms, and cafeteria of this		
		school.		
1 = \$	Strongly	disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
T	Q132	in my class(es).		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A				
Hov	How much do you agree with the following statements? I feel safe			
S	Q57	outside around this school.		



1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
S	Q58	traveling between home and this school.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
S	Q59	in the hallways, bathrooms, locker rooms, and cafeteria of this	
		school.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		
S	S Q60 In my classes at this school.		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A			

Sc	School Commitment		
Ple	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
T	T Q21 I usually look forward to each working day at this school.		
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q22	I would recommend this school to parents/guardians seeking a place	
		for their child.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	T Q23 I would recommend this school to other teachers as a place to work.		
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

So	Social-Emotional		
Ho	How many adults at this school		
Т	Q116	help students develop the skills they need to complete challenging	
		coursework despite obstacles?	
1 =	None, 2	= Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q117	tell their students they believe they can achieve high academic	
		standards?	
1 =	None, 2	= Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q118	teach students how to advocate for themselves?	
1 =	None, 2	= Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q119	recognize disruptive behavior as social-emotional learning	
		opportunities?	
1 =	None, 2	= Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All, 5 = I don't know	
Т	Q120	have access to school-based supports to assist in	
		behavioral/emotional escalations?	
1 =	1 = None, 2 = Some, 3 = A lot, 4 = All, 5 = I don't know		
Ho	How much do YOU agree with the following statements?		
S	Q20	I know where to go at my school if I need additional support with	
		my mental health.	
1 =	Strongly	disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
S	Q39	There is time at school to talk about feelings and emotions.	

If you need mental health supports or resources, click here. During this school		
year, I have felt while learning.		
S Q22 Happy		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S Q23 Safe		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S Q24 Hopeful		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S Q25 Bored		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S Q26 Stressed		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S Q27 Worried		
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Student-Student Trust				
Но	How much do YOU agree with the following statements?			
S	S Q1 Most students at this school treat each other with respect.			
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
S	S Q46 Most students treat students from different cultures or backgrounds			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree				

Stu	Student-Teacher Trust		
Ho	How much do YOU agree with the following statements?		
S	Q38	There is at least one adult at my school that I can confide in (trust and	
		talk to about what's going on).	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
S	Q43	My teachers are open to students' ideas, suggestions, and	
		comments.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
S	Q44	My teachers always do what they say they will do.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
S	Q45	My teachers treat me with respect.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		



Те	Teacher Influence		
Ple	ease ma	ark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.	
At	this sch	nool	
Т	Q59	There is at least one adult at my school that I can confide in (trust and	
		talk to about what's going on).	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Ho	w muc	h influence do teachers have over school policy in each of the areas	
be	low?		
Т	Q72	planning how discretionary school funds should be used.	
1 =	1 = No influence, 2 = Little, 3 = A moderate amount, 4 = A great deal of influence		
T	Q71	hiring new professional personnel	
1 =	1 = No influence, 2 = Little, 3 = A moderate amount, 4 = A great deal of influence		
Т	Q73	selecting instructional materials and/or curriculum used in	
		classrooms.	
1 = No influence, 2 = Little, 3 = A moderate amount, 4 = A great deal of influence			
T	Q74	setting standards for student behavior.	
1 = No influence, 2 = Little, 3 = A moderate amount, 4 = A great deal of influence			

Tea	Teacher-Principal Trust		
Plea	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
Т	Q28	I feel respected by the principal/program leader at this school.	
1 = 3	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
T	Q29	The principal/program leader at this school is an effective manager	
		who makes the school run smoothly.	
1 =	Strongl	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
T	Q30	The principal/program leader has confidence in the expertise of the	
		teachers at this school.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	Q31	I trust the principal/program leader at their word (to do what they say	
		that they will do).	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Т	Q32	The principal/program leader looks out for the personal welfare of the	
		staff members.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Т	Q33	The principal/program leader places the needs of children ahead of	
		personal interests.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Т	Q34	The principal and assistant principals function as a cohesive unit.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5= N/A		



Te	Teacher-Teacher Trust		
Ple	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.		
Т	Q24	Teachers in this school trust each other.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	Q25	It's OK in this school to discuss feelings, worries, and frustrations with	
		other teachers.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Τ	Q26	I feel respected by other teachers at this school.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Relationship with Families

Questions included within each measure in the Relationship with Families category.

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Ou	treach	to Parents	
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following.			
At 1	this sch	ool	
T	Q55	teachers understand families' challenges and concerns.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Τ	Q56	teachers work closely with families to meet students' needs.	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q57	staff regularly communicate with families about how they can help	
		students learn.	
1 =	Strong	ly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Т	Q58	school staff value families' race, ethnicity, culture, family structure,	
		and background.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Р	Q1	School staff regularly communicate with me about how I can help my	
		child learn.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Р	Q13	My child's school will make me aware if there are any concerns about	
		my child's social or emotional well-being.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			
Р	Q13	Teachers work closely with me to meet my child's needs.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Р	Q2	My child's school communicates with me in a language that I can	
		understand.	
1 =	Strong	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Р	Q3	I am greeted warmly when I contact or visit the school.	



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Р	Q8	If I suspect my child needs additional learning supports and services, I	
		know the next steps to get support at my school.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Р	Q43	At this school/program, teachers incorporate feedback from families	
		into supporting children in the program.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Bu	Building Families		
(Ea	(Early Childhood Only) How much do you agree with the following statements?		
T	Q123 It is a priority at this school/program that staff help families support		
		their child's transition to the next age-group.	
1 =	Strongly	disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree	
Τ	Q124	It is a priority at this school/program that staff provide families with	
		information about the annual application/enrollment process.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
T	Q125	At this school/program, teachers let families know that they can	
		make a difference in their child's learning and development.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Pai	Parent Involvement in School		
Sin	Since the beginning of the school year, how often have you		
Р	Q20	communicated with your child's teacher about your child's	
		performance?	
1 =	Never,	2 = Rarely, 3 = Sometimes, 4 = Often	
Р	Q21	seen your child's projects, artwork, homework, tests, or quizzes?	
1 =	Never,	2 = Rarely, 3 = Sometimes, 4 = Often	
Р	Q22	I know how to contact the Parent Coordinator at my child's school	
1 =	Yes, 2	= No	
Р	Q40	attended a school meeting, school event, or parent-teacher	
		conference (virtually or in-person)?	
1 =	1 = Yes, 2 = No		

Pa	Parent-Principal Trust		
Ple	Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following		
sta	tement	s about this school.	
Р	Q5	I feel respected by my child's principal/school leader.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Р	Q10	I trust the principal/school leader at their word (to do what they say	
		that they will do).	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know			

Р	Q11	The principal/school leader is an effective manager who makes the
		school run smoothly.
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know		

Pare	Parent- Teacher Trust		
Plea	se mar	k the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following	
state	ements	s about this school.	
Р	Q12	My child's teachers treat me as a partner in educating my child.	
1 = 5	Strongly	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	
Р	Q4	I feel respected by my child's teachers.	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
Р	Q9	Staff at this schoolwork hard to build trusting relationships with	
		parents/guardians like me.	
1 = 5	Strongly	y disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know	

Stı	Strong Relationship		
(Ea	(Early Childhood Only) How much do you agree with the following statements?		
Т	Q122	It is a priority at this school/program that we establish, model, and	
		reinforce expectations for respectful and trusting relationships	
		among children, families, and all staff.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		
Т	Q126	At the beginning of the school year, teachers support children in	
		adjusting to this school/program.	
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree		

Two-Way Communication			
(Early Childhood Only) How much do you agree with the following statements?			
Т	Q127	At this school/program, teachers incorporate feedback from families	
		into supporting children in the program	
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			

School Description

Questions are included within each measure in the School Description category.

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School Facilities and Services			
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following			
T Q40 This school is kept clean.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			
T Q41 This school is kept in good physical condition.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree			



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T	Q42	Physical repairs to the school building are completed in a timely			
		manner.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree					
Please mark the extent to which you disagree or agree with the following					
statement.					
Р	Q24	My child's school provides me information about transportation			
		options (e.g. MetroCard and busing).			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = N/A					
Р	Q25	I am satisfied with my child's school bus transportation service this			
		year.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,					
6 = N/A					
Р	Q29	I am satisfied with the meal options provided at my child's school.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,					
6 = N/A					
Ple	ase ma	ork the extent to which you disagree or agree with each of the following			
statements about this school.					
Р	Q15	This school is kept clean.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,					
6 = N/A					
Р	Q16	This school is kept in good physical condition.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know, 6 = N/A					
How much do YOU agree with the following statements?					
S	Q15	I am satisfied with my school bus transportation service this year.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know,					
6 =	N/A				
S	Q16	I am satisfied with the meal options provided at this school.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know					
S	Q18	This school is kept clean.			
1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know					
S	Q19	This school is kept in good physical condition.			
1 =	1 = Strongly disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Agree, 4 = Strongly agree, 5 = I don't know				