

# SPOTlight: School Year 2022-2023

# Philadelphia Performing Arts: A String Theory Charter School

School Code3336Principal NameAngela PuleioSectorCharterAddress2600 S Broad St

Network Charters Phone 215 551 4000

**Report Type** K 8 School **Admission Category** Citywide With Criteria

Receives HS Report Yes October 1 Enrollment 2085

**Grades in Report** K 8

**Website** stringtheoryschools.org

#### **School Performance Outcomes Table**

|                                  | CONDITIONS FOR SUCCESS |                    |                     |   |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Metric Name                      | 2021-22<br>Results     | 2022-23<br>Results | 2022-23<br>Progress | Metric Description  |  |  |  |  |
| Student Attendance               | 89.1%                  | 92.0%              | +2.9 %-pts          | Percentage of students attending 90% or more of instructional days          |  |  |  |  |
| Teacher Attendance               |                        | Not Applicable     |                     | Percentage of teachers attending 90% or more of work days                   |  |  |  |  |
| Student Dropouts<br>(Grades 7-8) | 0                      | 0                  | +0                  | Number of students no longer enrolled, and who did not transfer or graduate |  |  |  |  |

| ACADEMIC GOALS           |                    |                    |                     |                    |                    |                     |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| Metric Name              | 2021-22<br>Results | 2022-23<br>Results | 2022-23<br>Progress | 2021-22<br>Results | 2022-23<br>Results | 2022-23<br>Progress |  |  |  |
| Goals 1-3:<br>Grades 3-8 | PSSA/PAS           | A Proficient or    | Advanced            | PSS/               | A/PASA Below I     | Basic               |  |  |  |
| Grade 3 Reading          | 57.8%              | 59.5%              | +1.7 %-pts          | 8.9%               | 6.7%               | -2.2 %-pts          |  |  |  |
| Grade 3 - 8 Reading      | 60.0%              | 57.1%              | -2.9 %-pts          | 9.1%               | 7.8%               | -1.3 %-pts          |  |  |  |
| Grade 3 Math             | 42.5%              | 54.7%              | +12.2 %-pts         | 22.0%              | 15.4%              | -6.6 %-pts          |  |  |  |
| Grade 3 - 8 Math         | 31.9%              | 37.3%              | +5.4 %-pts          | 35.6%              | 34.9%              | -0.7 %-pts          |  |  |  |
| Grade 4 and 8 Science    | 66.4%              | 64.8%              | -1.6 %-pts          | 9.5%               | 12.1%              | +2.6 %-pts          |  |  |  |

SPOTlight Legend: Improving Maintaining Not Improving



### **Philadelphia Performing Arts: A String Theory Charter School**

#### 2022-2023 SCHOOL PROGRESS REPORT ON EDUCATION AND EQUITY

School Code | 3336 Sector | Charter Network | Charters Principal Name | Angela Puleio Address | 2600 S Broad St Phone | 215-551-4000 Website | stringtheoryschools.org Report Type | K-8 School Grades in Report | K-8 Admissions Category | Citywide With Criteria Receives HS Report | Yes Oct 1 Enrollment | 2085

### **Student Enrollment and Demographics** 0.1% American Indian / Alaskan Native 17.6% Asian 30.7% Black / African American 12.1% Hispanic / Latino 8.4% Multi Racial / Other 0.1% Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islande 31.2% White

2108 # of Students Served Over the Full Year

% of Students with IEPs

20.9%

10.4% % of Students Identified as English Learners

66.8%

% of Students Identified as Economically Disadvantaged

#### **Student Attendance**

78.9%

92.0%

95% of Instructional Days

% of Students Attending at Least | % of Students Attending at Least 90% of Instructional Days

|    | Score Level   |
|----|---|
|    | Not Applicable for 2022-2023  |
| Р  | erformance  |
|    | Insufficient Data for Score   |
| In | provement   |
| 8  | Improving in 61.5% out of 13 Eligible Metrics   |
|    | Goal Performance (All Students) AL 1   PSSA ELA: % of Students Proficient dvanced, Grades 3-8 |
|    | Score: 57.1%  |
|    |   |
|    | NOT IMPROVING -2.9 From Prior Year  |
|    | AL 2   PSSA ELA: % of Students Proficient dvanced, Grade 3                                    |
|    | Score: 59.5%  |
|    |   |
| -  | IMPROVING +1.7 From Prior Year  |
|    | AL 3   PSSA Math: % of Students Proficient dvanced, Grades 3-8                                |
|    | Score: 37.3%  |
|    |   |
|    | IMPROVING +5.4 From Prior Year  |
|    |   |

| Performance                    | Improvement                      | Level |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Black / A                      | African American                 |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 70.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hisp                           | oanic / Latino                   |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 20.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Multi                          | Racial / Other                   |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 50.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                | White                            |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 90.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| American In                    | American Indian / Alaskan Native |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | Insufficient Data for Score      | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                | Asian                            |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 30.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Native Hawa                    | iian / Pacific Islander          |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | Insufficient Data for Score      | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eng                            | lish Learners                    |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 60.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stude                          | ents with IEPs                   |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 60.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Economic                       | ally Disadvantaged               |       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Insufficient Data<br>for Score | 40.0%                            | NA    |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                |                                  |       |  |  |  |  |  |

# Climate, Culture & Opportunity

### **Conditions for Success**

| % of Students Attending 90%+ of Days | % of Students Attending                    |               |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|
| All Students 2108 Students           | Greater Than 95% of Instructional Days     | 78.9%         |
| Score: 92.0%                         | 90-95% of Instructional Days               | 13.1%         |
|                                      | 85-90% of Instructional Days               | 4.4%          |
|                                      | 80-85% of Instructional Days               | 1.6%          |
| IMPROVING +2.9 From Prior Year       | Less than 80% of Instructional Days        | 2.0%          |
| Number of Dropouts                   | % of Students Receiving Zero Out-of-School | l Suspensions |
| All Students  Grades 7-8             | All Students 2108 Students                 |               |
| Students: 0                          | Score: 99.5%                               |               |
| IMPROVING +0.0 From Prior Year       | MAINTAINING -0.5 From Prior Year           |               |

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# **Climate, Culture & Opportunity**

**Conditions for Success** 

| % of Teachers Attending 90%+ of Days | A                                       | Additional Teacher Metrics           |                                   |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| All Teachers                         |   |                                      |                                   |  |
|                                      |   |                                      |                                   |  |
|                                      |   |                                      |                                   |  |
|                                      | Data Unavailable                        | Data Unavailable                     | Data Unavailable                  |  |
| Not Applicable                       | % of Teachers Rated as<br>Distinguished | % of Teachers Rated as<br>Proficient | Year-to-Year Teacher<br>Retention |  |
|                                      |   |                                      |                                   |  |
|                                      |   |                                      |                                   |  |
|                                      |   |                                      |                                   |  |

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# Reading: Every Student Reads On or Above Grade Level

**Goal 1 - PSSA Reading Proficiency, Grades 3-8** 

| PSSA ELA: % of Student                              | s Proficient or Advanc | ced, Grades 3-8       | PSSA ELA: % of Stu                                | idents Below Basic, G | irades 3-8           |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|----------------------|
| All Students<br>736 out of 1288 Students            |                        |                       | All Students 100 out of 1288 Students             |                       |                      |
| Score: 57.1%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -2.9 From Prior Year  | Score: 7.8%                                       | IMPROVING             | -1.3 From Prior Year |
| Black / African American<br>172 out of 431 Students |                        |                       | Black / African American 59 out of 431 Students   |                       |                      |
| Score: 39.9%  | IMPROVING              | +1.2 From Prior Year  | Score: 13.7%                                      | IMPROVING             | -1.5 From Prior Year |
| Hispanic / Latino 74 out of 136 Students            |                        |                       | Hispanic / Latino 12 out of 136 Students          |                       |                      |
| Score: 54.4%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -11.0 From Prior Year | Score: 8.8%                                       | NOT IMPROVING         | +1.1 From Prior Year |
| Multi Racial / Other 62 out of 110 Students         |                        |                       | Multi Racial / Other 5 out of 110 Students        |                       |                      |
| Score: 56.4%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -1.4 From Prior Year  | Score: 4.6%                                       | IMPROVING             | -9.9 From Prior Year |
| White<br>253 out of 388 Students                    |                        |                       | White 17 out of 388 Students                      |                       |                      |
| Score: 65.2%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -2.1 From Prior Year  | Score: 4.4%                                       | IMPROVING             | -1.8 From Prior Year |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native                    |                        |                       | American Indian / Alaskan Native                  |                       |                      |
|   | Insuffic               | ient Sample           |   | Insuffic              | cient Sample         |
| Asian 174 out of 221 Students                       |                        |                       | Asian 7 out of 221 Students                       |                       |                      |
| Score: 78.7%  | IMPROVING              | +2.1 From Prior Year  | Score: 3.2%                                       | MAINTAINING           | -0.2 From Prior Year |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                  |                        |                       | Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                |                       |                      |
|   | Insuffic               | ient Sample           |   | Insuffic              | cient Sample         |
| English Learners<br>83 out of 131 Students          |                        |                       | English Learners 12 out of 131 Students           |                       |                      |
| Score: 63.4%  | IMPROVING              | +8.0 From Prior Year  | Score: 9.2%                                       | IMPROVING             | -2.9 From Prior Year |
| Students with IEPs<br>59 out of 241 Students        |                        |                       | Students with IEPs 57 out of 241 Students         |                       |                      |
| Score: 24.5%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -2.4 From Prior Year  | Score: 23.7%                                      | IMPROVING             | -2.8 From Prior Year |
| Economically Disadvantaged 404 out of 797 Students  |                        |                       | Economically Disadvantaged 75 out of 797 Students |                       |                      |
| Score: 50.7%  | NOT IMPROVING          | -4.3 From Prior Year  | Score: 9.4%                                       | IMPROVING             | -1.8 From Prior Year |

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# Reading: Every Student Reads On or Above Grade Level

**Goal 2 - PSSA Reading Proficiency, Grade 3** 

| PSSA ELA: % of Stude   | nts Proficient or Adva | nced, Grade 3         | PSSA ELA: % of S  | PSSA ELA: % of Students Below Basic, Grade 3 |                       |  |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|-----------------------|--|
| All Students<br>125 out of 210 Students                        |                        |                       | All Students<br>14 out of 210 Students                        |  |                       |  |
| Score: 59.5%   | IMPROVING              | +1.7 From Prior Year  | Score: 6.7%   | IMPROVING                                    | -2.2 From Prior Year  |  |
| Black / African American 30 out of 56 Students Score: 53.6%    | IMPROVING              | +23.0 From Prior Year | Black / African American 3 out of 56 Students Score: 5.4%     | IMPROVING                                    | -6.8 From Prior Year  |  |
| Hispanic / Latino 11 out of 27 Students Score: 40.7%           | NOT IMPROVING          | -26.0 From Prior Year | Hispanic / Latino 4 out of 27 Students Score: 14.8%           | MAINTAINING                                  | +0.0 From Prior Year  |  |
| Multi Racial / Other   |                        |                       | Multi Racial / Other  |  |                       |  |
| Insufficient Sample  |                        |                       | Insufficient Sample   |  |                       |  |
| White 42 out of 66 Students Score: 63.6%                       | IMPROVING              | +4.8 From Prior Year  | White 3 out of 66 Students Score: 4.6%                        | IMPROVING                                    | -7.3 From Prior Year  |  |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native                               |                        |                       | American Indian / Alaskan Native                              |  |                       |  |
|  | Insuffic               | ient Sample           |   | Insuffic                                     | cient Sample          |  |
| Asian 31 out of 42 Students Score: 73.8%                       | MAINTAINING            | -0.6 From Prior Year  | Asian 2 out of 42 Students Score: 4.8%                        | NOT IMPROVING                                | +4.8 From Prior Year  |  |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                             |                        |                       | Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                            |  |                       |  |
|  | Insuffic               | ient Sample           |   | Insuffic                                     | cient Sample          |  |
| English Learners 13 out of 24 Students Score: 54.2%            | NOT IMPROVING          | -13.5 From Prior Year | English Learners 4 out of 24 Students Score: 16.7%            | NOT IMPROVING                                | +13.8 From Prior Year |  |
| Students with IEPs 13 out of 40 Students Score: 32.5%          | MAINTAINING            | -0.8 From Prior Year  | Students with IEPs 8 out of 40 Students Score: 20.0%          | IMPROVING                                    | -4.2 From Prior Year  |  |
| Economically Disadvantaged 72 out of 135 Students Score: 53.3% | NOT IMPROVING          | -2.1 From Prior Year  | Economically Disadvantaged 13 out of 135 Students Score: 9.6% | MAINTAINING                                  | +0.1 From Prior Year  |  |

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# Math & Science: Every Student Performs On or Above Grade Level

**Goal 3 - PSSA Math Proficiency, Grades 3-8** 

| PSSA Math: % of Studen   | ts Proficient or Advan | iced, Grades 3-8      | PSSA Math: % of St  | udents Below Basic, C | Grades 3-8           |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|----------------------|
| All Students<br>490 out of 1314 Students                           |                        |                       | All Students<br>458 out of 1314 Students                            |                       |                      |
| Score: 37.3%   | IMPROVING              | +5.4 From Prior Year  | Score: 34.9%  | MAINTAINING           | -0.7 From Prior Year |
| Black / African American<br>73 out of 433 Students<br>Score: 16.9% | IMPROVING              | +5.2 From Prior Year  | Black / African American<br>256 out of 433 Students<br>Score: 59.1% | NOT IMPROVING         | +2.2 From Prior Year |
| Hispanic / Latino 41 out of 136 Students Score: 30.2%              | IMPROVING              | +5.0 From Prior Year  | Hispanic / Latino 48 out of 136 Students Score: 35.3%               | NOT IMPROVING         | +1.3 From Prior Year |
| Multi Racial / Other<br>38 out of 110 Students<br>Score: 34.6%     | NOT IMPROVING          | -1.8 From Prior Year  | Multi Racial / Other 37 out of 110 Students Score: 33.6%            | IMPROVING             | -4.9 From Prior Year |
| White 187 out of 412 Students Score: 45.4%                         | IMPROVING              | +10.8 From Prior Year | White 95 out of 412 Students Score: 23.1%                           | IMPROVING             | -8.7 From Prior Year |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native                                   |                        |                       | American Indian / Alaskan Native                                    |                       |                      |
|  | Insuffic               | cient Sample          |   | Insuffic              | cient Sample         |
| Asian 151 out of 221 Students Score: 68.3%                         | IMPROVING              | +8.3 From Prior Year  | Asian 20 out of 221 Students Score: 9.1%                            | MAINTAINING           | +0.3 From Prior Year |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                                 |                        |                       | Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                                  |                       |                      |
|  | Insuffic               | cient Sample          |   | Insuffic              | cient Sample         |
| English Learners 85 out of 153 Students Score: 55.6%               | IMPROVING              | +14.6 From Prior Year | English Learners 23 out of 153 Students Score: 15.0%                | MAINTAINING           | -0.7 From Prior Year |
| Students with IEPs<br>36 out of 245 Students<br>Score: 14.7%       | IMPROVING              | +1.6 From Prior Year  | Students with IEPs 161 out of 245 Students Score: 65.7%             | MAINTAINING           | +0.8 From Prior Year |
| Economically Disadvantaged 254 out of 821 Students Score: 30.9%    | IMPROVING              | +2.0 From Prior Year  | Economically Disadvantaged 342 out of 821 Students Score: 41.7%     | NOT IMPROVING         | +2.0 From Prior Year |

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# Math & Science: Every Student Performs On or Above Grade Level

**PSSA Math Proficiency, Grade 3** 

| PSSA Math: % of Stude   | nts Proficient or Adva | nced, Grade 3         | PSSA Math: % of S  | Students Below Basic, | Grade 3               |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| All Students<br>117 out of 214 Students                           |                        | _                     | All Students 33 out of 214 Students                            |                       | _                     |
| Score: 54.7%  | IMPROVING              | +12.2 From Prior Year | Score: 15.4%   | IMPROVING             | -6.6 From Prior Year  |
| Black / African American<br>26 out of 56 Students<br>Score: 46.4% | IMPROVING              | +30.4 From Prior Year | Black / African American 18 out of 56 Students Score: 32.1%    | IMPROVING             | -11.9 From Prior Year |
| Hispanic / Latino 10 out of 27 Students Score: 37.0%              | NOT IMPROVING          | -3.7 From Prior Year  | Hispanic / Latino 3 out of 27 Students Score: 11.1%            | IMPROVING             | -7.4 From Prior Year  |
| Multi Racial / Other  |                        |                       | Multi Racial / Other   |                       |                       |
| Insufficient Sample   |                        |                       | Insufficient Sample  |                       |                       |
| White 40 out of 70 Students Score: 57.1%                          | IMPROVING              | +14.4 From Prior Year | White 8 out of 70 Students Score: 11.4%                        | IMPROVING             | -10.7 From Prior Year |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native                                  |                        |                       | American Indian / Alaskan Native                               |                       |                       |
|   | Insuffic               | cient Sample          |  | Insuffic              | ient Sample           |
| Asian 33 out of 42 Students Score: 78.6%                          | IMPROVING              | +13.5 From Prior Year | Asian 1 out of 42 Students Score: 2.4%                         | NOT IMPROVING         | +2.4 From Prior Year  |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                                |                        |                       | Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                             |                       |                       |
|   | Insuffic               | cient Sample          |  | Insuffic              | ient Sample           |
| English Learners 17 out of 28 Students Score: 60.7%               | IMPROVING              | +4.8 From Prior Year  | English Learners 3 out of 28 Students Score: 10.7%             | NOT IMPROVING         | +7.8 From Prior Year  |
| Students with IEPs 12 out of 40 Students Score: 30.0%             | IMPROVING              | +8.8 From Prior Year  | Students with IEPs 13 out of 40 Students Score: 32.5%          | IMPROVING             | -9.9 From Prior Year  |
| Economically Disadvantaged 65 out of 139 Students Score: 46.8%    | IMPROVING              | +6.5 From Prior Year  | Economically Disadvantaged 29 out of 139 Students Score: 20.9% | IMPROVING             | -1.9 From Prior Year  |

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# Math & Science: Every Student Performs On or Above Grade Level

**PSSA Science Proficiency, Grades 4 and 8** 

| PSSA Science: % of Studen  | nts Proficient or Advan | ced, Grades 4 & 8    | PSSA Science: % of S   | tudents Below Basic, ( | Grades 4 & 8          |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------|--|------------------------|-----------------------|
| All Students<br>278 out of 429 Students                            |                         |                      | All Students<br>52 out of 429 Students                         |                        |                       |
| Score: 64.8%   | NOT IMPROVING           | -1.6 From Prior Year | Score: 12.1%   | NOT IMPROVING          | +2.6 From Prior Year  |
| Black / African American<br>54 out of 126 Students<br>Score: 42.9% | NOT IMPROVING           | -4.7 From Prior Year | Black / African American 32 out of 126 Students Score: 25.4%   | NOT IMPROVING          | +15.7 From Prior Year |
| Hispanic / Latino 27 out of 42 Students Score: 64.3%               | MAINTAINING             | -0.9 From Prior Year | Hispanic / Latino 2 out of 42 Students Score: 4.8%             | MAINTAINING            | +0.4 From Prior Year  |
| Multi Racial / Other 29 out of 41 Students Score: 70.7%            | MAINTAINING             | -0.7 From Prior Year | Multi Racial / Other 2 out of 41 Students Score: 4.9%          | IMPROVING              | -14.2 From Prior Year |
| White 104 out of 148 Students Score: 70.3%                         | IMPROVING               | +2.3 From Prior Year | White 13 out of 148 Students Score: 8.8%                       | IMPROVING              | -3.4 From Prior Year  |
| American Indian / Alaskan Native                                   |                         |                      | American Indian / Alaskan Native                               |                        |                       |
|  | Insuffic                | ient Sample          | Insufficient Sample  |                        |                       |
| Asian 63 out of 71 Students Score: 88.7%                           | NOT IMPROVING           | -1.3 From Prior Year | Asian 3 out of 71 Students Score: 4.2%                         | NOT IMPROVING          | +2.8 From Prior Year  |
| Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                                 |                         |                      | Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander                             |                        |                       |
|  | Insuffic                | ient Sample          |  | Insuffic               | ient Sample           |
| English Learners 44 out of 53 Students Score: 83.0%                | IMPROVING               | +5.7 From Prior Year | English Learners 2 out of 53 Students Score: 3.8%              | IMPROVING              | -5.3 From Prior Year  |
| Students with IEPs 30 out of 79 Students Score: 38.0%              | NOT IMPROVING           | -2.7 From Prior Year | Students with IEPs 19 out of 79 Students Score: 24.1%          | IMPROVING              | -5.6 From Prior Year  |
| Economically Disadvantaged 145 out of 250 Students Score: 58.0%    | NOT IMPROVING           | -4.4 From Prior Year | Economically Disadvantaged 37 out of 250 Students Score: 14.8% | NOT IMPROVING          | +2.2 From Prior Year  |

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