

Universal Charter School at Alcorn

School Code	X24	Report Type	K8
Sector	Charter	Grades in Report	K-8
Address	3200 Dickinson St., 19146	Enrollment	597
Phone/Fax	215-952-6219 / 215-952-0853	Admissions Category	Neighborhood
Website	www.universalfamilyofschools.org/universal-alcorn-elementary/	Turnaround Model	Renaissance Charter

Performance Tiers Legend

INTERVENE (0-24%)
WATCH (25-49%)
REINFORCE (50-74%)
MODEL (75-100%)

2016-2017 2017-2018 2018-2019 3-YEAR AVG

OVERALL: REINFORCE (62%)

A school's overall score represents its combined performance on the Achievement, Progress, Climate, and College & Career (for high schools only) domains.



Achievement: WATCH (25%)

The Achievement domain measures performance on standardized assessments, including PSSA, Keystone Exams, ACCESS for ELLs, and reading assessments.



Progress: MODEL (83%)

The Progress domain measures growth on standardized assessments and progress towards graduation (for high schools only).



Climate: REINFORCE (70%)

The Climate domain measures school climate as well as student and parent/guardian engagement.



Achievement

METRIC	METRIC SCORE	POINTS EARNED	TIER
% Reading at Grade Level- Grades K-2	48% (212 students)	1.39 out of 3.00 (46%)	WATCH
PSSA: English Language Arts			
% Proficient or Advanced	43% (349 students)	2.62 out of 9.00 (29%)	WATCH
Grade 3 - % Proficient or Advanced	46% (76 students)		
Grade 4 - % Proficient or Advanced	43% (76 students)		
Grade 5 - % Proficient or Advanced	35% (68 students)		
Grade 6 - % Proficient or Advanced	30% (46 students)		
Grade 7 - % Proficient or Advanced	58% (45 students)		
Grade 8 - % Proficient or Advanced	50% (38 students)		
% Advanced	12% (349 students)	0.96 out of 2.00 (48%)	WATCH
ACCESS for ELLs: % 4.5 or Above			INSUFFICIENT SAMPLE

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Achievement (Continued)

METRIC	METRIC SCORE	POINTS EARNED	TIER
PSSA: Mathematics	26%	0.63 out of 9.00	INTERVENE
% Proficient or Advanced	(352 students)	(7%)	
Grade 3 - % Proficient or Advanced	31% (75 students)		
Grade 4 - % Proficient or Advanced	22% (77 students)		
Grade 5 - % Proficient or Advanced	28% (68 students)		
Grade 6 - % Proficient or Advanced	17% (47 students)		
Grade 7 - % Proficient or Advanced	32% (47 students)		
Grade 8 - % Proficient or Advanced	21% (38 students)		
% Advanced	7% (352 students)	0.52 out of 2.00 (26%)	WATCH
PSSA: Science	43%	0.88 out of 3.00	WATCH
% Proficient or Advanced	(115 students)	(29%)	
Grade 4 - % Proficient or Advanced	51% (77 students)		
Grade 8 - % Proficient or Advanced	29% (38 students)		
% Advanced	10% (115 students)	0.21 out of 0.50 (42%)	WATCH
Achievement Total:	25%	7.21 out of 28.50	WATCH
% of Points Earned			

Progress

METRIC	METRIC SCORE	POINTS EARNED	TIER
PSSA Mathematics: Average Growth Index (AGI)	5.48	12.00 out of 12.00 (100%)	MODEL
PSSA English Language Arts: Average Growth Index (AGI)	2.66	12.00 out of 12.00 (100%)	MODEL
PSSA Science (Grade 4): Average Growth Index (AGI)	-2.39	0.00 out of 2.50 (0%)	INTERVENE
PSSA Science (Grade 8): Average Growth Index (AGI)	0.06	0.88 out of 2.50 (35%)	WATCH
ACCESS for ELLs: % of Students Meeting Growth Target			DATA NOT AVAILABLE

Progress, On Equity

PSSA Mathematics: AGI for Lowest-Performing 33% of Students	4.08	4.00 out of 4.00 (100%)	MODEL
PSSA English Language Arts: AGI for Lowest-Performing 33% of Students	0.29	1.72 out of 4.00 (43%)	WATCH
Progress Total: % of Points Earned	83%	30.60 out of 37.00	MODEL

Climate

METRIC	METRIC SCORE	POINTS EARNED	TIER
% of Students Attending 95% or More of Instructional Days	63% (612 students)	8.78 out of 12.00 (73%)	REINFORCE
% Attending 90-95% of Days	18% (612 students)		
% Attending 85-90% of Days	9% (612 students)		
% Attending 80-85% of Days	5% (612 students)		
% Attending Less Than 80% of Days	5% (612 students)		
Annual Retention Rate	88% (547 students)	6.56 out of 10.00 (66%)	REINFORCE
% of Students with Zero In-School Suspensions	100% (612 students)	1.00 out of 1.00 (100%)	MODEL
% of Students with Zero Out-Of-School Suspensions	100% (612 students)	4.00 out of 4.00 (100%)	MODEL
Student Survey: School Climate Rating (% of most positive responses)	76%	0.76 out of 1.00 (76%)	MODEL
Parent Survey: School Climate Rating (% of most positive responses)	0%	0.00 out of 1.00 (0%)	INTERVENE
Parent/Guardian Survey: Participation Rate	6%	0.00 out of 1.00 (0%)	INTERVENE
Climate Total: % of Points Earned	70%	21.10 out of 30.00	REINFORCE

Educator Effectiveness

Teacher effectiveness measures are displayed in the School Progress Report, but not included in the SPR rating, to share data we have gathered to monitor and support teacher practice. This information is also used to develop responsive and customized professional learning for teachers to ensure that all students have access to great instruction.

In addition to other metrics, the SPR includes teachers' overall Multiple Measure Summary (MMS) effectiveness ratings. These ratings are comprised of teachers' Formal Observation, Student Learning Objectives, Teacher-Specific PVAAS, and the building-level score from the state of Pennsylvania's School Performance Profile (SPP, also known as Act 82).

Here are some important details that contextualize the teacher effectiveness data reported in the SPR.

- Teachers in a formal observation year who fail to receive a required observation receive a default observation score of 2 (Proficient) for any missing observation data, which may inflate the overall scores.
- Until District-wide inter-rater reliability norming is held for all principals, observation scores may vary significantly across schools and observers. As a result, comparisons of scores between schools may not be meaningful.
- The District's observation tool evaluates 10 components of the Danielson Framework for Teaching. Therefore, comparing SDP's observation scores to scores evaluated against all 22 components of the Danielson Framework may not be meaningful.

EDUCATOR EFFECTIVENESS INDICATORS

% of Teachers Receiving an MMS Rating of Distinguished

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

% of Teachers Receiving an MMS Rating of Proficient

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

% of Teachers Attending 95% or More of Days

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

Student Survey: Student Perception of Quality of Teacher Practice
(% of most positive responses)

89%

FOR MORE INFORMATION

More information about the School Progress Reports, including the User Guide, Public Business Rules, and FAQ, is available at philasd.org/spr.

NOTES ABOUT ROUNDING

All calculated values in the SPR (metric scores, percent of points earned, and points earned) are calculated using unrounded values; however, displayed values may differ slightly due to rounding for publication purposes.

UNDERSTANDING DUAL REPORTS

Schools that serve multiple grade spans receive separate SPRs for each grade span (for example, a school serving grades 6-12 receives a Middle School Report and a High School Report). The grades included in a particular report are displayed on the top right of the cover page.