

2019-2020 End-of-Year Report

Philadelphia Performing Arts: A String Theory Charter School (K8)

School Code	3336	Report Type	K8
Sector	Charter	Grades in Report	K-8
Address	2600 S Broad St	Enrollment	1927
Phone	215-551-4000	Admissions Category	Citywide With Criteria
Website	stringtheoryschools.org	Turnaround Model	N/A

Due to the impacts of the global COVID-19 pandemic in the Spring of 2020, the School District of Philadelphia will not produce the School Progress Reports (SPR) for the 2019-2020 academic year. Many of the metrics usually included in the SPR are not comparable to previous years; for others, results are not available. This End-of-Year report provides unscored information about the metrics for which 2019-20 data are available and provides prior years' data for comparison. For more information about why some metrics are not available and why others are significantly different from previous years, see www.philasd.org/performance/eoy.

	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20 (see FAQ for full explanation)	Pandemic Notes
Achievement				
PSSA - ELA: % Proficient or Advanced	63%	62%	Unavailable (COVID)	The state of Pennsylvania cancelled all spring PSSA exams for the 2019-2020 school year.
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 3	73%	71%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 4	72%	71%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 5	55%	63%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 6	50%	55%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 7	62%	53%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 8	67%	56%	Unavailable (COVID)	
PSSA - ELA: % Advanced	17%	16%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Reading at Grade Level - Grades K-2	64%	67%	Unavailable (COVID)	
ACCESS for ELLs: % 4.5 or Above	11%	21%	Not Provided by Source	
PSSA - Math: % Proficient or Advanced	39%	39%	Unavailable (COVID)	The state of Pennsylvania cancelled all spring PSSA exams for the 2019-2020 school year.
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 3	64%	63%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 4	50%	57%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 5	34%	40%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 6	28%	25%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 7	31%	22%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 8	30%	25%	Unavailable (COVID)	
PSSA - Math: % Advanced	14%	15%	Unavailable (COVID)	
PSSA - Science: % Proficient or Advanced	64%	69%	Unavailable (COVID)	The state of Pennsylvania cancelled all spring PSSA exams for the 2019-2020 school year.
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 4	84%	89%	Unavailable (COVID)	
% Proficient or Advanced - Grade 8	42%	49%	Unavailable (COVID)	
PSSA - Science: % Advanced	23%	27%	Unavailable (COVID)	

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Progress				
PSSA				
ELA - Average Growth Index (AGI)	3.02	-0.98	Unavailable (COVID)	The state of Pennsylvania cancelled all spring PSSA exams for the 2019-2020 school year and will not release full-year PSSA AGI values.
Math - AGI	2.73	-1.92	Unavailable (COVID)	
Science - Grade 4 - AGI	-1.78	-1.02	Unavailable (COVID)	
Science - Grade 8 - AGI	-2.33	-2.83	Unavailable (COVID)	
ELA - AGI for Lowest-Performing 33%	0.76	-0.73	Unavailable (COVID)	
Math - AGI for Lowest-Performing 33%	-0.37	0.27	Unavailable (COVID)	
ACCESS for ELLs: % Meeting Growth Target	Data Not Available	Data Not Available	Not Provided by Source	
Climate				
% Attending 95% or More of Days	57%	60%	67%	For 2019-2020, these metrics include data only through mid-March. In previous years, these metrics were calculated through the end of the school year (i.e., June).
% Attending 90-95% of Days	29%	27%	22%	
% Attending 85-90% of Days	8%	9%	7%	
% Attending 80-85% of Days	3%	2%	2%	
% Attending Less than 80% of Days	2%	2%	2%	
Students with Zero OSS	99%	100%	100%	
Students with Zero ISS	100%	100%	100%	
Annual Retention Rate	94%	98%	Unavailable (COVID)	Due to enrollment disruptions, this metric was not calculated.
Student Survey: Climate	67%	60%	61%	Survey window was open through June. Responses and participation rates may have been affected by the school closures in Spring 2020.
Student Survey Response Rate	N/A	N/A	74%	
Parent Survey: Climate	91%	83%	81%	
Parent Survey Response Rate	49%	48%	26%	
Educator Effectiveness				
% of Teachers Attending 95% or More of Days	Data Not Available	Data Not Available	Not Applicable	
% with an MMS Rating of Distinguished	N/A	Data Not Available	Not Applicable	These metrics may have been affected by school closures in Spring 2020.
% with an MMS Rating of Proficient	N/A	Data Not Available	Not Applicable	
Student Survey: Instructional Quality	61%	62%	67%	