

# The New York State Accountability Report 2011-12

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Data in this report are those reported by districts in the Student Information Repository System as of August 24, 2012.

On May 29, 2012, the United States Department of Education (USDE) approved New York's Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) waiver. This waiver provides New York with increased flexibility to help close the achievement gap and assist students in becoming college and career ready. New York's waiver introduced a system of identifying districts and/or schools as **Reward, Focus,** or **Priority**, based on performance in English language arts (ELA), mathematics, and science at the elementary/middle level and in ELA, mathematics, and graduation rate at the secondary level. More information on the waiver is available at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/esea-waiver/.

Data in The New York State Accountability Report are those used to determine **Performance Indices (PIs)** and make **Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)** determinations which, in turn, are used to assist in identifying districts and schools as Reward, Focus, and Priority. Explanations of how the data are used to make the determinations are available at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/ESEAMaterials.html.

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## **Adequate Yearly Progress and Performance Indices**

Performance Indices (PIs) and Unweighted Combined PIs are used to determine if a district or school is Priority or Focus. Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) for accountability groups (all students, racial/ethnic groups, students with disabilities, limited English proficient students, and economically disadvantaged students) and PIs for accountability groups and non-AYP groups (non-racial/ethnic groups, general-education students, English proficient students, not economically disadvantaged students, male and female students, and migrant and non-migrant students) are used to determine if a district or school is Reward or a school requires a Local Assistance Plan. For more information, see http://www.p12.nysed.gov/accountability/documents/NYSESEAFlexibilityWaiver\_REVISED.pdf

## **Adequate Yearly Progress**

In accordance with federal and State laws, the New York State Education Department must determine and report on the performance of students in the following areas:

- 1) Elementary/middle-level (grades 3 8) English Language Arts (ELA)
- 2) Elementary/middle-level (grades 3 8) Mathematics
- 3) Elementary/middle-level (grades 4 and 8) Science
- 4) Secondary-level (grades 9-12) ELA
- 5) Secondary-level (grades 9-12) Mathematics
- 6) Graduation Rate

This performance is determined by identifying whether or not a district or school made **"Adequate Yearly Progress"** (AYP). AYP indicates satisfactory progress by a district or a school toward the goal of proficiency for all students. In ELA, mathematics, and science, AYP is determined by comparing the percentage of students tested and the performance of tested students against defined standards. In graduation rate, AYP is determined by comparing the percentage of students graduating against defined standards.

## Standards for English Language Arts, Mathematics, and Science

Participation: In ELA and mathematics, 95% of students in each accountability group with 40 or more members must be tested to meet the participation criterion. In science, 80% must be tested.
 Performance: In ELA and mathematics, a calculated measure of performance called the "Performance Index" (PI) for each accountability group with 30 or more members must equal or exceed a preset objective called an "Effective Annual Measurable Objective" (EAMO) or a safety net objective called a "Safe Harbor Target." In science, the criterion for performance is the same but the safety net is referred to as a "Progress Target."

Districts and schools must meet both the participation and performance criteria for all groups with sufficient numbers to make AYP.

## **Standards for Graduation Rate**

Districts and schools with secondary-level grades are also held to certain standards for the percentage of students who graduated. To make AYP in graduation rate, every accountability group with 30 or more members must make AYP. For a group to make AYP, the graduation rate of the 4-year graduation-rate total cohort or the 5-year graduation-rate total cohort must equal or exceed the Graduation-Rate Standard of 80% or the group's Progress Target. A cohort is a group of students who entered grade 9 anywhere in a particular school year. Graduation rates for these cohorts are then determined 4 and 5 years after the students first enter grade 9.

For more information on how AYP and PIs are determined, see "Determining AYP in 2011-12" under Understanding Accountability in New York State at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/accountability/.

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Adequate Yearly Progress: In elementary/middle-level (grades 3 - 8) English language arts (ELA), districts and schools must meet both the participation and performance criteria to make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

**Participation:** To meet the participation criterion, at least 95% of students in each accountability group with 40 or more members must be tested on an appropriate ELA assessment.

**Performance:** To meet the performance criterion, the Performance Index (PI) of students in each accountability group with 30 or more members must be equal to or greater than the Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO) or the Safe Harbor Target.

#### All accountability groups met the participation and performance criteria (made AYP): NO

Student Group	Made AYP
All Students	×
American Indian or Alaska Native	—
Black or African American	×
Hispanic or Latino	×
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—
White	—
Multiracial	—
Students With Disabilities	×
Limited English Proficient	×
Economically Disadvantaged	×

Made AYP

X Did not make AYP

There were not enough students to make an AYP determination

# **Elementary/Middle-Level ELA: Participation**

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# All accountability groups with 40 or more members tested at least 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period: YES

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 3 - 8) English Language Arts (ELA) Participation Results

Student Group	Tested 95%	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores
All Students	<ul> <li>Image: A set of the set of the</li></ul>	401	99%
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	1	_
Black or African American	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	95	99%
Hispanic or Latino	×	291	98%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	10	_
White	—	4	—
Multiracial	—	0	
Students With Disabilities	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	79	97%
Limited English Proficient	×	63	100%
Economically Disadvantaged	<ul> <li>Image: A set of the set of the</li></ul>	379	98%

✓ At least 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

**X** Less than 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Medically Excused:

Students who were excused from testing for medical reasons in accordance with federal No Child Left Behind guidance are not included in these calculations.

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

# All accountability groups with 30 or more members had a PI greater than or equal to the EAMO or Safe Harbor Target: NO

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 3 - 8) English Language Arts (ELA) Performance Results

	PI >= EAMO or	Tested Students		Objectives	
Student Group	Safe Harbor Target	Enrolled on BEDS Day	PI	EAMO	Safe Harbor Target
All Students	×	380	117	144	125
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	1	_	—	—
Black or African American	×	92	104	120	120
Hispanic or Latino	×	273	118	125	125
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	10	—	—	—
White	—	4	—	—	—
Multiracial	—	0	_	—	—
Students With Disabilities	×	76†	76†	90	80
Limited English Proficient	×	90‡	98‡	100	100
Economically Disadvantaged	×	360	116	128	124

✓ Performance Index is equal to or greater than Effective Annual Measurable Objective.

✗ Performance Index is less than Effective Annual Measurable Objective and Safe Harbor Target. ▮

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

+ Includes former students with disabilities because the number of students with disabilities in the current year is equal to or greater than 30.

‡ Includes former limited English proficient students because the number of limited English proficient students in the current year is equal to or greater than 30.

BEDS Day (Basic Educational Data System Day): BEDS Day is the first Wednesday in October of the school year.

**Performance Index (PI):** A PI is a value from 0 to 200 that is assigned to an accountability group, indicating how that group performed on a required State test (or approved alternative). Student scores on the tests are converted to six performance levels: Level 1 On Track, Level 1 Not On Track, Level 2 On Track, Level 2 Not On Track, Level 3, and Level 4. A PI is calculated using the levels and the following equation: ([2(Count at Level 1 On Track) + Count at Level 2 Not On Track + 2(Count at Level 2 On Track) + 2(Count at Level 3) + 2(Count at Level 4)] ÷ [Count of Tested Students]) × 100

**Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO):** The EAMO is the PI value that each accountability group of a given size within a district or school is expected to achieve to meet the performance criterion. The EAMO table is available at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/accountability/ under the header "Annual Measurable Objectives."

**Safe Harbor Target:** Safe Harbor provides an alternate means to meet the performance criterion for accountability groups whose PIs are less than their EAMOs. The 2011-12 Safe Harbor Target is calculated using the following formula: 2010-11 PI + (200 - the 2010-11 PI)  $\times$  0.10.

# **Elementary/Middle-Level ELA: Non-AYP Groups**

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### Participation and performance for the following groups are *NOT* used to determine AYP.

#### Participation

Student Group	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	400	99%
Not Black or African American	306	98%
Not Hispanic or Latino	110	99%
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	391	98%
Not White	397	98%
Not Multiracial	401	99%
General Education	322	99%
English Proficient	338	98%
Not Economically Disadvantaged	22	—
Male	203	100%
Female	198	97%
Migrant	0	_
Not Migrant	401	99%

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Performance

Student Group	Tested Students Enrolled on BEDS Day	PI
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	379	117
Not Black or African American	288	120
Not Hispanic or Latino	107	113
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	370	115
Not White	376	116
Not Multiracial	380	117
General Education	305	127
English Proficient	322	123
Not Economically Disadvantaged	20	—
Male	198	108
Female	182	126
Migrant	0	—
Not Migrant	380	117

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

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Adequate Yearly Progress: In elementary/middle-level (grades 3 - 8) mathematics, districts and schools must meet both the participation and performance criteria to make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

**Participation:** To meet the participation criterion, at least 95% of students in each accountability group with 40 or more members must be tested on an appropriate math assessment.

**Performance:** To meet the performance criterion, the Performance Index (PI) of students in each accountability group with 30 or more members must be equal to or greater than the Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO) or the Safe Harbor Target.

#### All accountability groups met the participation and performance criteria (made AYP): NO

Student Group	Made AYP
All Students	×
American Indian or Alaska Native	—
Black or African American	×
Hispanic or Latino	×
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—
White	—
Multiracial	—
Students With Disabilities	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>
Limited English Proficient	×
Economically Disadvantaged	×

Made AYP

X Did not make AYP

There were not enough students to make an AYP determination

# **Elementary/Middle-Level Math: Participation**

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# All accountability groups with 40 or more members tested at least 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period: YES

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 3 - 8) Math Participation Results

Student Group	Tested 95%	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores
All Students	×	401	98%
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	1	—
Black or African American	×	95	98%
Hispanic or Latino	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>	291	98%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	10	—
White	—	4	—
Multiracial	—	0	—
Students With Disabilities	<ul> <li>Image: A set of the set of the</li></ul>	79	96%
Limited English Proficient	×	63	100%
Economically Disadvantaged	×	379	98%

✓ At least 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

**X** Less than 95% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Medically Excused:

Students who were excused from testing for medical reasons in accordance with federal No Child Left Behind guidance are not included in these calculations.

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

# All accountability groups with 30 or more members had a PI greater than or equal to the EAMO or Safe Harbor Target: NO

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 3 - 8) Math Performance Results

	PI >= EAMO or	<b>Tested Students</b>		Objectives	
Student Group	Safe Harbor Target	or Enrolled on BEDS P Day		ΕΑΜΟ	Safe Harbor Target
All Students	×	378	131	158	142
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	1	-	-	—
Black or African American	×	91	118	132	132
Hispanic or Latino	×	272	133	143	142
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	10	-	—	—
White	—	4	-	—	—
Multiracial	—	0	-	—	—
Students With Disabilities	×	75 <b>†</b>	80 <b>†</b>	111	79
Limited English Proficient	×	90‡	120‡	130	130
Economically Disadvantaged	×	359	130	145	141

✓ Performance Index is equal to or greater than Effective Annual Measurable Objective.

✗ Performance Index is less than Effective Annual Measurable Objective and Safe Harbor Target. ▮

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

+ Includes former students with disabilities because the number of students with disabilities in the current year is equal to or greater than 30.

‡ Includes former limited English proficient students because the number of limited English proficient students in the current year is equal to or greater than 30.

BEDS Day (Basic Educational Data System Day): BEDS Day is the first Wednesday in October of the school year.

**Performance Index (PI):** A PI is a value from 0 to 200 that is assigned to an accountability group, indicating how that group performed on a required State test (or approved alternative). Student scores on the tests are converted to six performance levels: Level 1 On Track, Level 1 Not On Track, Level 2 On Track, Level 2 Not On Track, Level 3, and Level 4. A PI is calculated using the levels and the following equation: ([2(Count at Level 1 On Track) + Count at Level 2 Not On Track + 2(Count at Level 2 On Track) + 2(Count at Level 3) + 2(Count at Level 4)] ÷ [Count of Tested Students]) × 100

**Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO):** The EAMO is the PI value that each accountability group of a given size within a district or school is expected to achieve to meet the performance criterion. The EAMO table is available at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/accountability/ under the header "Annual Measurable Objectives."

**Safe Harbor Target:** Safe Harbor provides an alternate means to meet the performance criterion for accountability groups whose PIs are less than their EAMOs. The 2011-12 Safe Harbor Target is calculated using the following formula: 2010-11 PI + (200 - the 2010-11 PI)  $\times$  0.10.

# **Elementary/Middle-Level Math: Non-AYP Groups**

### SCHOOL: PS/MS 31 THE WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

### Participation and performance for the following groups are *NOT* used to determine AYP.

#### Participation

Student Group	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	400	98%
Not Black or African American	306	98%
Not Hispanic or Latino	110	98%
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	391	98%
Not White	397	98%
Not Multiracial	401	98%
General Education	322	98%
English Proficient	338	98%
Not Economically Disadvantaged	22	_
Male	203	99%
Female	198	97%
Migrant	0	_
Not Migrant	401	98%

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Performance

Student Group	Tested Students Enrolled on BEDS Day	PI
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	377	132
Not Black or African American	287	136
Not Hispanic or Latino	106	125
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	368	129
Not White	374	131
Not Multiracial	378	131
General Education	304	144
English Proficient	320	137
Not Economically Disadvantaged	19	—
Male	196	126
Female	182	137
Migrant	0	—
Not Migrant	378	131

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

## **Elementary/Middle-Level Science: AYP**

#### SCHOOL: PS/MS 31 THE WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

Adequate Yearly Progress: In elementary/middle-level (grades 4 & 8) science, districts and schools must meet both the participation and performance criteria to make Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

**Participation:** To meet the participation criterion, at least 80% of students in each accountability group with 40 or more members must be tested on an appropriate science assessment.

**Performance:** To meet the performance criterion, the Performance Index (PI) of students in each accountability group with 30 or more members must be equal to or greater than the Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO) or the Progress Target.

#### All accountability groups met the participation and performance criteria (made AYP): NO

Student Group	Made AYP
All Students	×
American Indian or Alaska Native	—
Black or African American	_
Hispanic or Latino	×
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	
White	
Multiracial	-
Students With Disabilities	_
Limited English Proficient	_
Economically Disadvantaged	×

Made AYP

X Did not make AYP

There were not enough students to make an AYP determination

# **Elementary/Middle-Level Science: Participation**

### SCHOOL: PS/MS 31 THE WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

# All accountability groups with 40 or more members tested at least 80% of students enrolled during the test administration period: YES

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 4 & 8) Science Participation Results

Student Group	Tested 80%	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores
All Students	1	116	88%
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	0	—
Black or African American	—	24	—
Hispanic or Latino	1	90	88%
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	2	—
White	—	0	—
Multiracial	—	0	—
Students With Disabilities	—	16	—
Limited English Proficient	—	16	—
Economically Disadvantaged	1	112	88%

✓ At least 80% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

**X** Less than 80% of students enrolled during the test administration period were tested.

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Medically Excused:

Students who were excused from testing for medical reasons in accordance with federal No Child Left Behind guidance are not included in these calculations.

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

# All accountability groups with 30 or more members had a PI greater than or equal to the EAMO or Progress Target: NO

#### Elementary/Middle-Level (Grades 4 & 8) Science Performance Results

Student Crown	PI >= EAMO or	Tested Students Enrolled on BEDS	PI	Objectives	
Student Group	Progress Target	Day		EAMO	Progress Target
All Students	×	100	150	169	154
American Indian or Alaska Native	—	0	_	—	—
Black or African American	—	21	—	—	—
Hispanic or Latino	×	77	151	154	152
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	—	2	—	—	—
White	—	0	—	—	—
Multiracial	—	0	—	—	—
Students With Disabilities	—	13	—	—	—
Limited English Proficient	—	13	—	_	—
Economically Disadvantaged	×	97	148	158	154

✓ Performance Index is equal to or greater than Effective Annual Measurable Objective.

✗ Performance Index is less than Effective Annual Measurable Objective and Progress Target. ▮

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

BEDS Day (Basic Educational Data System Day): BEDS Day is the first Wednesday in October of the school year.

**Performance Index (PI):** A PI is a value from 0 to 200 that is assigned to an accountability group, indicating how that group performed on a required State test (or approved alternative). Student scores on the tests are converted to four performance levels, from Level 1 to Level 4. A PI is calculated using the levels and the following equation: ([(Count at Level 2) + 2(Count at Level 3) + 2(Count at Level 4)] ÷ [Count of Tested Students]) × 100

**Effective Annual Measurable Objective (EAMO):** The EAMO is the PI value that each accountability group of a given size within a district or school is expected to achieve to meet the performance criterion. The EAMO table is available at http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/accountability/ under the header "Annual Measurable Objectives."

**Progress Target:** A Progress Target provides an alternate means to meet the performance criterion for accountability groups whose PIs are less than their EAMOs. The 2011-12 Progress Target is calculated by adding 1 point to the previous year's PI.

# **Elementary/Middle-Level Science: Non-AYP Groups**

### SCHOOL: PS/MS 31 THE WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON

#### SCHOOL ID: 320700010031 DISTRICT: NYC GEOG DIST # 7 - BRONX

### Participation and performance for the following groups are NOT used to determine AYP.

#### Participation

Student Group	Students Enrolled During the Test Administration Period	Percent of Enrolled Students with Valid Test Scores	
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	116	88%	
Not Black or African American	92	88%	
Not Hispanic or Latino	26	—	
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	114	88%	
Not White	116	88%	
Not Multiracial	116	88%	
General Education	100	89%	
English Proficient	100	88%	
Not Economically Disadvantaged	4	_	
Male	53	89%	
Female	63	87%	
Migrant	0	_	
Not Migrant	116	88%	

- There were fewer than 40 students enrolled during the test administration period.

#### Performance

Student Group	Tested Students Enrolled on BEDS Day	PI
Not American Indian or Alaska Native	100	150
Not Black or African American	79	152
Not Hispanic or Latino	23	—
Not Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	98	149
Not White	100	150
Not Multiracial	100	150
General Education	87	163
English Proficient	87	156
Not Economically Disadvantaged	3	_
Male	47	147
Female	53	153
Migrant	0	—
Not Migrant	100	150

- There were fewer than 30 tested students enrolled on BEDS day and during the test administration period.

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#### **Unweighted Combined ELA and Math Performance Indices (PIs)**

The unweighted combined ELA and math Performance Index (PI) is the sum of the PIs for all measures for which the school/district has 30 or more students in the group divided by the number of measures for which the school/district has 30 or more students in the group. For example, EM ELA = 150, EM Math = 180, HS ELA = 140, HS Math = 160:  $(150 + 180 + 140 + 160) \div 4 = 157.5 = 158$ .

Student Group	Elementary/ Middle-Level ELA Pl	Elementary/ Middle-Level Math Pl	Secondary-Level ELA Pl	Secondary-Level Math Pl	Unweighted Combined Pl
All Students	117	131	—	—	124
American Indian or Alaska Native	_	_	_	_	—
Black or African American	104	118	—	—	111
Hispanic or Latino	118	133	—	—	126
Asian or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	_	_	_	_	_
White	—	—	—	—	—
Multiracial	—	—	—	—	—
Students With Disabilities	76	80	—	—	78
Limited English Proficient	98	120	—	—	109
Economically Disadvantaged	116	130	—	—	123

- There was not enough students to determine a Performance Index.