



Yorkship Elementary School



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2015-16 Principal Tracey Reed-Thompson
Principal of this School Since 2014
Parent Contact Family and Operations Coordinator

Neighborhood



Fairview

Grade Levels



School Type **✓ District School**
Renaissance School
Charter School

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

This rating is based on the school's PARCC English and Math test results in grades 3-8, compared to similar public schools in New Jersey. Growth counts twice as much as proficiency in this rating.



	2015	Change	District	State	This school performed better than % of similar public schools
English Language Arts Proficiency	5%	NA*	6%	50%	5
English Language Arts Growth	20	-21 ▼	33	50	1
Mathematics Proficiency	2%	NA*	4%	39%	2
Mathematics Growth	17	-8 ▼	29	50	1
4th Grade Science (NJ ASK)	70%	10% ▲	60%	91%	NA
8th Grade Science (NJ ASK)	33%	NA	31%	77%	NA

K-2 Literacy (STEP)

Fall-to-Winter Growth **10%**

Year-to-Year Growth **NA**

*Not available this year due to change in test from NJ ASK to PARCC.



SCHOOL VISIT

This rating is based on an annual school visit by a team of Camden educators. The visit focuses on the school's learning environment, using a checklist to document observations of classroom instruction, student engagement, and school culture. The classroom instruction environment counts more in this rating.



Challenging Classroom Instruction 38%

Active Student Engagement 56%

Positive School Culture 38%



SCHOOL QUALITY RATING



Academic Performance



School Visit

The school's Academic Performance and School Visit are combined to equal this Quality Rating.





SCHOOL MISSION

Year Opened 1920

School Uniform Colors White, Navy

Yorkship’s mission is to promote a safe, caring, and continuous learning environment that empowers students to achieve personal excellence. We work collaboratively with the community to provide opportunities for creativity, cooperation, and problem-solving, promote enthusiasm for lifelong learning, and maintain high expectations.



BASIC INFORMATION

Student Enrollment 558

Number of Staff 83

	School	District
English Language Learners	3%	10%
Students Receiving Special Education Services	13%	16%
Student Mobility Rate	12%	10%
Student Attendance	91%	90%
Teacher Attendance	87%	90%
Student-Teacher Ratio	10:1	9:1



SCHOOL PROGRAMS & PARTNERSHIPS

Special Programs

- Behavioral Disabilities
- Learning Disabilities (Mild/Moderate & Severe)

Community Partnerships

- Fairview Community Association
- Rising Leaders Global
- Team Poke Holistic Fitness
- Superior Arts

After-School Programs

- Lions Academy Enrichment Program
- 21st Century Golden Gate
- Parenting Connection
- Life Needs Mentoring
- Camden Sophisticated Sisters Drill Team

Sports / Athletics

- Physical Fitness Mentoring
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Softball



SCHOOL COMMUNITY SURVEY

These are the results of the annual survey taken by 280 students, teachers, and parents on the climate and culture of the school. Results represent the percentage of favorable attitudes in each survey category. This represents 77% of students, 73% of school staff, and <10% of parents at Yorkship Elementary School.

Survey Categories	Students		Staff		Parents	
	2015	Change	2015	Change	2015	Change
Safety & Physical Environment	22%	-2% ▼	46%	-2% ▼	83%	20% ▲
Social & Emotional Supports	11%	1% ▲	54%	13% ▲	NA	NA
Teaching & Learning	34%	-3% ▼	55%	12% ▲	89%	6% ▲
Community & Collaboration	-14%	-4% ▼	62%	13% ▲	79%	-7% ▼
Family & Community Engagement	84%	-1% ▼	64%	26% ▲	89%	1% ▲
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