



## P.S. 135Q: The Bellaire Magnet School of Exploration through the Arts

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# Grading Policy

Below is a Table of the Grading Dataset Methodology:

Marking Period 1	Datasets completed and collected during Marking Period 1 only
Marking Period 2	Datasets completed and collected during Marking Period 2 only
Marking Period 3	Datasets completed and collected during Marking Period 3 only
<b>Final Grade</b>	<b>Cumulative average of all three marking period datasets</b>

45% of the grade is classwork completed.

55% of the grade is assessment scores.

The school will continue to use the following grading scale:

Level	Grade Range	Explanation
Level 4	95 – above	Excels in standards for their grade
Level 3	75-94	Proficient in standards for their grade
Level 2	74-60	Partially proficient in standards for their grade
Level 1	59 – below	Well below proficient in standards for their grade

## Report Card Overview

- Website URL Address to enter grades: <https://www.nycenet.edu/starsclassroom/> User ID and Password is your DOE Email credentials.

### English Language Arts:

- The English Language Arts Overall Grade is the average of Reading and Writing.
- For the Reading Overall Grade, it is the average of all the sub-categories: a. K-2, level is based on All Assessments – Letter Sound Relationships b. K-5, level is based on All Assessments – Comprehension by Referring to Text Detail
- The overall Writing grade is based on the HMH assessments and tasks.
- The Writing subcategory grades are a combination of data from content study and HMH informal anecdotes.



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### **Mathematics:**

- The overall Mathematics score are based on Envisions Unit Assessments and Open Response Exams.
- The Mathematics subcategory grades will be based on Envisions formal and informal data, Math Journals and observational data.

### **All Subject Areas including Science, Social Studies and History, Visual Art, Music, Physical Education, and Health**

- There should be a rubric or grading system, which outlines how you are deriving a specific grade on the report grade.
- If your classroom does not receive instruction from a specialized teacher for Visual Arts and/or Music then a grade is not necessary. Example: If your classroom does not receive instruction from Mr. Papiewski then a grade is not necessary. The following subject areas should be taught to the students however, a grade is not needed for the report cards: Dance, Theater, Academic and Personal Behaviors, Family and Consumer Science and Career Development and Occupational Studies.

### **Cluster teachers are responsible for entering grades.**

### **Comments:**

- Students who are receiving a grade of Level 1 on their report card must have specific comments entered in the comments section of their report card.
- Parents of all potential level 1 students should have had conversations with you prior to the report card grade being given.
- Comments are not required for students who are receiving Levels 2, 3 and 4 on their report card.
- STARS Classroom platform offers some content specific comments.