

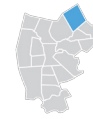


# Harry C. Sharp Elementary School



928 North 32nd Street  
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**2015-16 Principal Evelyn Ruiz**  
Principal of this School Since 2003  
Parent Contact Family and Operations Coordinator

**Neighborhood**

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**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
<b>English Language Arts Proficiency</b>	<b>12%</b>	NA*	6%	50%	<b>19</b>
<b>English Language Arts Growth</b>	<b>52</b>	16 ▲	33	50	<b>66</b>
<b>Mathematics Proficiency</b>	<b>9%</b>	NA*	4%	39%	<b>23</b>
<b>Mathematics Growth</b>	<b>31</b>	-2 ▼	29	50	<b>14</b>
4th Grade Science (NJ ASK)	74%	6% ▲	60%	91%	NA
8th Grade Science (NJ ASK)	NA	NA	31%	77%	NA

K-2 Literacy (STEP)

Fall-to-Winter Growth **17%**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 77%****Active Student Engagement 100%****Positive School Culture 97%**

## 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 1921

School Uniform Colors Red, White

Sharp aspires to teach our children to honor, respect, and love one another. We provide meaningful experiences in a quality environment that will prepare our students to be competitive in a global community. It is our duty to engage parents, staff, and the community to educate, support, and guide children to a better future.



## BASIC INFORMATION

Student Enrollment 332

Number of Staff 58

	School	District
English Language Learners	9%	10%
Students Receiving Special Education Services	12%	16%
Student Mobility Rate	11%	10%
Student Attendance	95%	90%
Teacher Attendance	88%	90%
Student-Teacher Ratio	9:1	9:1



## SCHOOL PROGRAMS & PARTNERSHIPS

### Special Programs

- Learning Disabilities (Mild/Moderate)

### Community Partnerships

- NA

### After-School Programs

- Chess Club
- Enrichment Academy
- Tutoring
- Art Club
- Soccer

### Sports / Athletics

- Soccer
- Cheerleading



## SCHOOL COMMUNITY SURVEY

These are the results of the annual survey taken by 147 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 86% of students, 75% of school staff, and <10% of parents at Harry C. Sharp Elementary School.

Survey Categories	Students		Staff		Parents	
	2015	Change	2015	Change	2015	Change
Safety & Physical Environment	87%	-4% ▼	77%	-2% ▼	85%	-15% ▼
Social & Emotional Supports	75%	-6% ▼	74%	6% ▲	NA	NA
Teaching & Learning	86%	-4% ▼	82%	16% ▲	100%	0%
Community & Collaboration	70%	-1% ▼	90%	15% ▲	100%	0%
Family & Community Engagement	97%	-1% ▼	95%	7% ▲	99%	0%
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