## Calculating Accountability Results: Elementary Schools

### Academic Achievement in English Language Arts (ELA) and Math

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| 5               | Percent of students scoring “proficient” or higher, English Language Arts | Earned Points = Percent “proficient” or higher x 5  
Ex: School has 60% of students “proficient” or higher on ELA. (0.60 x 5 = 3 points) |
| 5               | Average Performance Level, English Language Arts | Earned Points = Average Performance Level  
Ex: School has an average ELA Performance Level of 3.3. (3.3 points) |
| 5               | Percent of students scoring “proficient” or higher, math | Earned Points = Percent “proficient” or higher x 5  
Ex: School has 50% of students “proficient” or higher on math. (0.50 x 5 = 2.5 points) |
| 5               | Average Performance Level, math | Earned Points = Average Performance Level  
Ex: School has an average math Performance Level of 3.5. (3.5 points) |

### Student Growth in English Language Arts (ELA) and Math

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| 12.5            | Median student growth percentile (SGP), English Language Arts | Earned Points are awarded for ELA and math by:  
Ex: A school with a median SGP of exactly 50.00 earns 7 points. |
| 12.5            | Median student growth percentile (SGP), math | Earned Points are awarded for ELA and math by:  
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### Credit for Completion of a Well-Rounded Curriculum

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| 5 *             | Percent of students scoring “proficient” or higher, science* | Earned Points = Percent “proficient” or higher x 5  
*Will not be used in 2017-2018 |
| 5               | Percent of 5th grade students earning credit in social studies, fine arts, physical education and health | Earned Points = Percent earning credit x 5  
Ex: School has 70% of 5th graders earning credit. (0.70 x 5 = 3.5 points) |

### Progress in Achieving English Language Proficiency

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| 10              | Percent of English learner (EL) students on-track to attaining English language proficiency | Earned Points = Percent of EL students on-track x 10  
Ex: School has 40% of EL students on-track. (0.40 x 10 = 4 points) |

### Chronic Absenteeism

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| 15              | Percent of students not chronically absent | Earned points are awarded by:  
Ex: A school with a percent of exactly 84.00 earns 10.5 points. |

### School Survey

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| 10 *            | School’s score on a survey of students and educators* | Earned Points to be determined  
*Will not be used in 2017-2018 |

### Access to a Well-Rounded Curriculum

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| 10              | Percent of 5th grade students enrolled in science, social studies, fine arts, physical education and health | Earned Points = Percent enrolled x 10  
Ex: School has 80% of 5th graders enrolled. (0.80 x 10 = 8 points) |

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MSDE has developed an Accountability User’s Guide to help you better understand the new accountability measures and Report Card. To see the latest School Report Cards, view the User’s Guide and find more information, please visit: MdReportCard.org

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