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SY2018-19 STAR Ratings: Bringing Accountability, Demonstrating Improvement in DC Public Schools

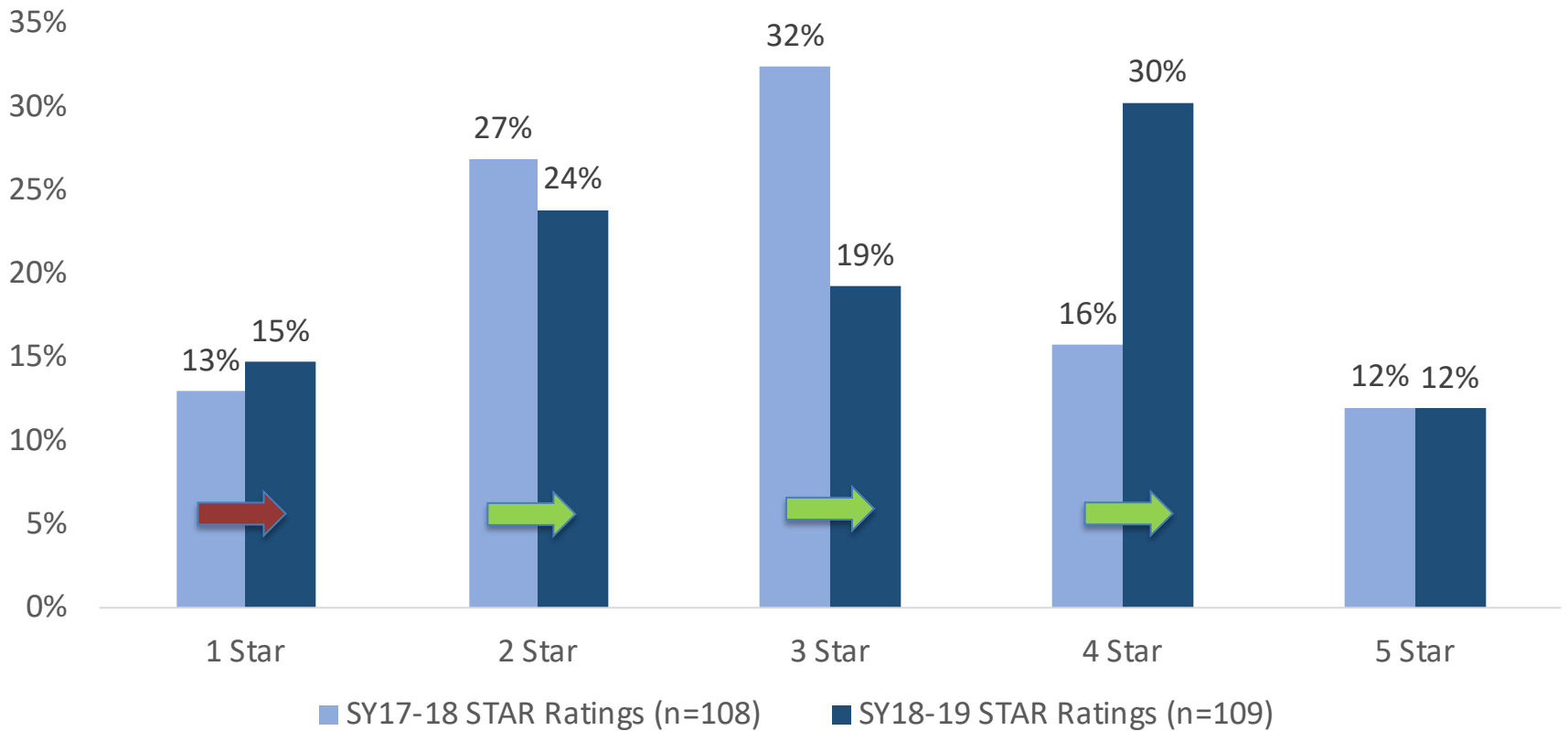


Evaluating School Performance & Improvement Using the STAR Framework

- The School Transparency and Reporting (STAR) Framework first launched last year and evaluates multiple areas of school performance, including academic achievement and growth, school environment, English language proficiency, and graduation rate.
- While metrics used vary across school type, each school receives a rating from **1 STAR** (lowest) to **5 STAR** (highest) based on their STAR score under a 100-point scale.
- This accountability framework is a requirement for all states under the federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and was first released last year.
- DC Public Schools utilizes STAR Ratings to recognize progress and our continued commitment to improve outcomes for all students.

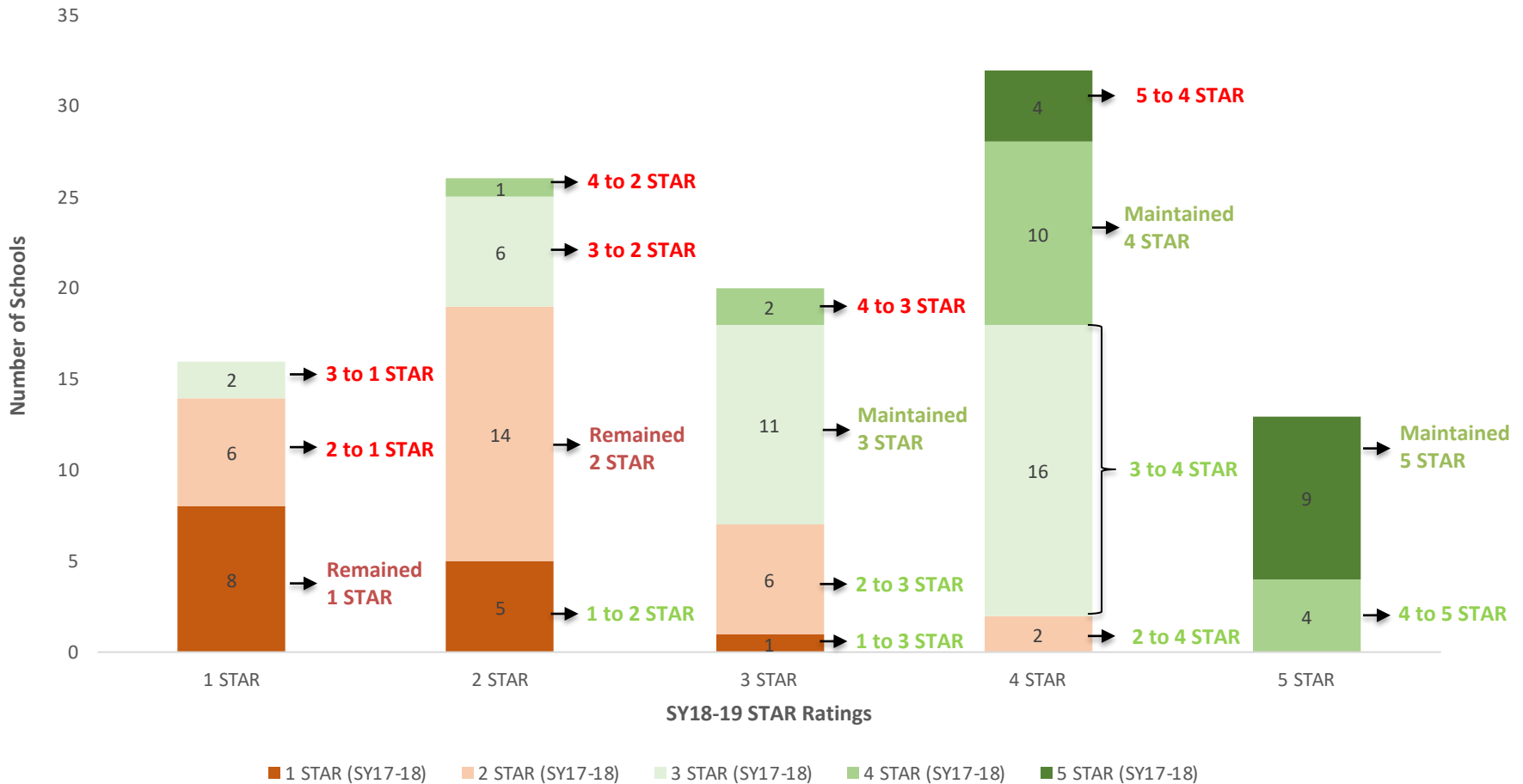
67 DCPS schools (61%) across all eight wards received 3 STAR or higher in SY18-19.

SY17-18 to SY18-19 DCPS STAR Ratings Distribution



In SY18-19, 55 schools received a different STAR rating from SY17-18; 16 out of 35 (46%) of 3 STAR schools in SY17-18 moved up to 4 STAR in SY18-19.

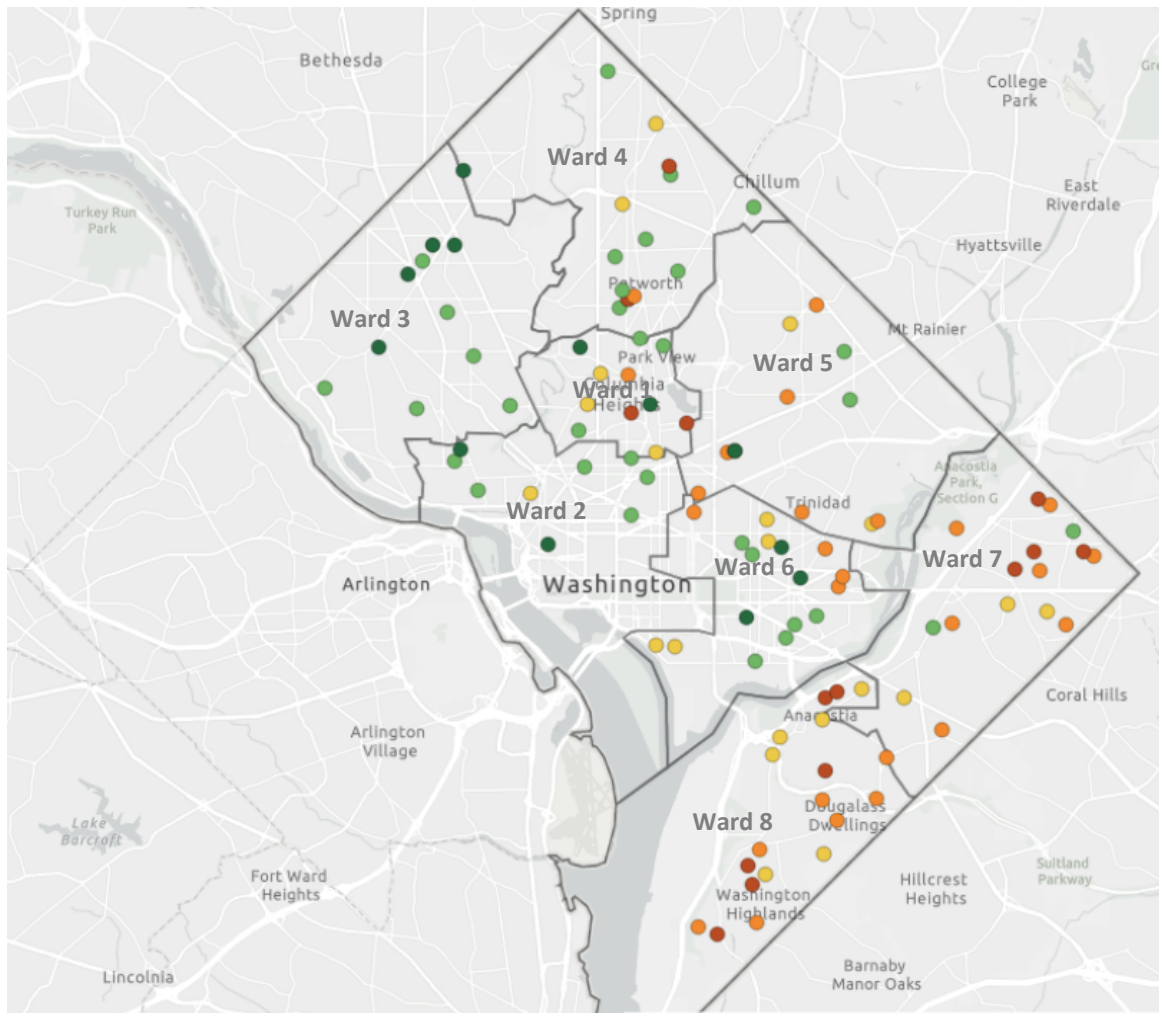
SY18-19 STAR Ratings Distribution by SY17-18 Ratings



34 DCPS schools received a higher STAR Rating for SY18-19 compared to SY17-19.

School	Ward	2019 STAR Score	2019 STAR Rating	2018 STAR Score	2018 STAR Rating	2018 to 2019 Change
Brookland MS	Ward 5	41.17	3	18.56	1	+ 2 STAR
Burrville ES	Ward 7	61.44	4	31.72	2	+ 2 STAR
Kimball ES	Ward 7	60.14	4	27.81	2	+ 2 STAR
Amidon-Bowen ES	Ward 6	48.54	3	36.53	2	+ 1 STAR
Bancroft ES	Ward 1	83.01	5	76.34	4	+ 1 STAR
Brent ES	Ward 6	81.49	5	65.64	4	+ 1 STAR
Bruce-Monroe ES @ Park View	Ward 1	69.10	4	49.24	3	+ 1 STAR
Burroughs ES	Ward 5	62.14	4	58.66	3	+ 1 STAR
C.W. Harris ES	Ward 7	22.08	2	18.59	1	+ 1 STAR
Capitol Hill Montessori School @ Logan	Ward 6	65.71	4	54.34	3	+ 1 STAR
Dorothy I. Height ES	Ward 4	60.16	4	59.19	3	+ 1 STAR
Eliot-Hine MS	Ward 6	31.21	2	7.43	1	+ 1 STAR
Garrison ES	Ward 2	78.16	4	57.94	3	+ 1 STAR
Hart MS	Ward 8	44.20	3	20.83	2	+ 1 STAR
Lafayette ES	Ward 4	81.52	5	73.92	4	+ 1 STAR
Langley ES	Ward 5	32.07	2	14.26	1	+ 1 STAR
LaSalle-Backus EC	Ward 4	64.10	4	55.23	3	+ 1 STAR
Lawrence E. Boone ES	Ward 8	47.47	3	30.82	2	+ 1 STAR
Murch ES	Ward 3	92.30	5	79.07	4	+ 1 STAR
Payne ES	Ward 6	71.94	4	40.08	3	+ 1 STAR
Powell ES	Ward 4	62.23	4	59.92	3	+ 1 STAR
Randle Highlands ES	Ward 7	48.56	3	20.98	2	+ 1 STAR
Raymond EC	Ward 4	62.46	4	59.12	3	+ 1 STAR
Savoy ES	Ward 8	40.12	3	29.16	2	+ 1 STAR
Seaton ES	Ward 6	70.59	4	46.54	3	+ 1 STAR
Sousa MS	Ward 7	32.46	2	12.33	1	+ 1 STAR
Stuart-Hobson MS (Capitol Hill Cluster)	Ward 6	61.02	4	53.53	3	+ 1 STAR
Takoma EC	Ward 4	44.94	3	30.48	2	+ 1 STAR
Thomas ES	Ward 7	32.57	2	19.94	1	+ 1 STAR
Thomson ES	Ward 2	61.03	4	43.67	3	+ 1 STAR
Truesdell EC	Ward 4	65.32	4	56.88	3	+ 1 STAR
Tyler ES	Ward 6	75.34	4	47.07	3	+ 1 STAR
West EC	Ward 4	67.22	4	55.27	3	+ 1 STAR
Whittier EC	Ward 4	77.18	4	45.39	3	+ 1 STAR

STAR Ratings results reflect historic inequities and persistent opportunity gaps.



The majority of 4 and 5 STAR schools (30 out of 46) are in Wards 3, 4, and 6. There are some 4 and 5 STAR schools in Wards 1, 2, 5, and 7.

DCPS is taking transformative action in our schools.

- The STAR Ratings incorporate school and student performance, but they are only one metric available to evaluate how our schools are setting students up for success on the path to college and career.
- After four consecutive years of gains on PARCC and a decade of growth on NAEP, DCPS has shown across multiple measures that our students and our schools continue to make progress.
- We also recognize that some schools need to accelerate progress, so we are prioritizing supports, resources, and innovative approaches to learning to ensure that they are on the pathway to excellence.
- Three of our schools previously designated for comprehensive support – Langley Elementary School (Ward 5), Sousa Middle School (Ward 7), and Eliot-Hine Middle School (Ward 6) – improved their STAR Rating this year.
- Ten Schools with a 65% or higher at-risk student population received a 3 or 4 STAR rating in SY18-19.

Appendix: STAR Ratings by School Type

STAR Ratings for Elementary Schools

School	Ward	SY18-19 STAR Rating	SY18-19 STAR Score	SY17-18 STAR Rating	SY17-18 STAR Score
Aiton ES ▼▼	Ward 7	1 STAR	10.79	3 STAR	43.85
Amidon-Bowen ES ▲	Ward 6	3 STAR	48.54	2 STAR	36.53
Bancroft ES ▲	Ward 1	5 STAR	83.01	4 STAR	76.34
Barnard ES	Ward 4	4 STAR	73.19	4 STAR	66.46
Beers ES	Ward 7	2 STAR	38.68	2 STAR	35.32
Brent ES ▲	Ward 6	5 STAR	81.49	4 STAR	65.64
Bruce-Monroe ES @ Park View ▲	Ward 1	4 STAR	69.10	3 STAR	49.24
Bunker Hill ES ▼	Ward 5	2 STAR	34.72	3 STAR	49.18
Burroughs ES ▲	Ward 5	4 STAR	62.14	3 STAR	58.66
Burrrville ES ▲▲	Ward 7	4 STAR	61.44	2 STAR	31.72
C.W. Harris ES ▲	Ward 7	2 STAR	22.08	1 STAR	18.59
Cleveland ES	Ward 1	3 STAR	49.16	3 STAR	47.37
Dorothy I. Height ES ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	60.16	3 STAR	59.19
Drew ES	Ward 7	2 STAR	20.41	2 STAR	30.73
Eaton ES ▼	Ward 3	4 STAR	72.54	5 STAR	88.24
Garfield ES	Ward 8	2 STAR	21.95	2 STAR	32.10
Garrison ES ▲	Ward 2	4 STAR	78.16	3 STAR	57.94
H.D. Cooke ES ▼	Ward 1	3 STAR	52.53	4 STAR	71.40
Hearst ES	Ward 3	4 STAR	66.61	4 STAR	75.17
Hendley ES	Ward 8	2 STAR	35.84	2 STAR	27.46
Houston ES	Ward 7	2 STAR	26.18	2 STAR	30.00
Hyde-Addison ES ▼	Ward 2	4 STAR	60.70	5 STAR	87.57

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J.O. Wilson ES	Ward 6	3 STAR	50.78	3 STAR	59.25
Janney ES	Ward 3	5 STAR	83.03	5 STAR	88.2
Ketcham ES	Ward 8	3 STAR	42.19	3 STAR	49
Key ES	Ward 3	4 STAR	76.58	4 STAR	76.61
Kimball ES ▲▲	Ward 7	4 STAR	60.14	2 STAR	27.81
King ES	Ward 8	2 STAR	35.37	2 STAR	25.44
Lafayette ES ▲	Ward 4	5 STAR	81.52	4 STAR	73.92
Langdon ES	Ward 5	4 STAR	65.74	4 STAR	72.65
Langley ES ▲	Ward 5	2 STAR	32.07	1 STAR	14.26
Lawrence E. Boone ES ▲	Ward 8	3 STAR	47.47	2 STAR	30.82
Ludlow-Taylor ES ▼	Ward 6	3 STAR	51.87	4 STAR	77.61
Malcolm X ES @ Green	Ward 8	3 STAR	42.33	3 STAR	41.51
Mann ES	Ward 3	5 STAR	85.65	5 STAR	87.12
Marie Reed ES ▼	Ward 1	4 STAR	67.93	5 STAR	83.7
Maury ES	Ward 6	5 STAR	83.16	5 STAR	94.38
Miner ES ▼	Ward 6	2 STAR	24.54	3 STAR	45.31
Moten ES	Ward 8	1 STAR	19.88	1 STAR	13.63
Murch ES ▲	Ward 3	5 STAR	92.30	4 STAR	79.07
Nalle ES	Ward 7	3 STAR	54.86	3 STAR	44.78
Noyes ES	Ward 5	2 STAR	29.81	2 STAR	25.08
Patterson ES	Ward 8	1 STAR	16.94	1 STAR	17.74

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Payne ES ▲	Ward 6	4 STAR	71.94	3 STAR	40.08
Plummer ES	Ward 7	3 STAR	43.81	3 STAR	45.35
Powell ES ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	62.23	3 STAR	59.92
Randle Highlands ES ▲	Ward 7	3 STAR	48.56	2 STAR	20.98
Ross ES	Ward 2	4 STAR	70.26	4 STAR	72.96
Savoy ES ▲	Ward 8	3 STAR	40.12	2 STAR	29.16
School-Within-School @ Goding	Ward 6	5 STAR	88.26	5 STAR	88.55
Seaton ES ▲	Ward 6	4 STAR	70.59	3 STAR	46.54
Shepherd ES	Ward 4	4 STAR	76.61	4 STAR	67.39
Simon ES ▼▼	Ward 8	1 STAR	17.91	3 STAR	40.12
Smothers ES ▼	Ward 7	1 STAR	16.27	2 STAR	25.48
Stanton ES	Ward 8	2 STAR	38.76	2 STAR	20.72
Stoddert ES	Ward 3	4 STAR	77.86	4 STAR	78.95
Thomas ES ▲	Ward 7	2 STAR	32.57	1 STAR	19.94
Thomson ES ▲	Ward 2	4 STAR	61.03	3 STAR	43.67
Tubman ES ▼▼	Ward 1	2 STAR	37.26	4 STAR	63.62
Turner ES ▼	Ward 8	2 STAR	32.42	3 STAR	45.33
Tyler ES ▲	Ward 6	4 STAR	75.34	3 STAR	47.07
Van Ness ES	Ward 6	4 STAR	67.40	N/A	N/A
Watkins ES (Capitol Hill Cluster)	Ward 6	4 STAR	69.95	4 STAR	73.94

STAR Ratings for Education Campuses

School	Ward	SY18-19 STAR Rating	SY18-19 STAR Score	SY17-18 STAR Rating	SY17-18 STAR Score
Brightwood EC	Ward 4	3 STAR	57.16	3 STAR	59.87
Browne EC	Ward 5	2 STAR	28.63	2 STAR	32.78
Capitol Hill Montessori School @ Logan ▲	Ward 6	4 STAR	65.71	3 STAR	54.34
Cardozo EC	Ward 1	1 STAR	16.22	1 STAR	15.12
Columbia Heights EC	Ward 1	3 STAR	58.10	3 STAR	58.59
Excel Academy	Ward 8	3 STAR	43.78	N/A	N/A
LaSalle-Backus EC ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	64.10	3 STAR	55.23
Leckie EC	Ward 8	2 STAR	32.15	2 STAR	33.85
Oyster-Adams Bilingual School ▼	Ward 3	4 STAR	77.54	5 STAR	80.14
Raymond EC ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	62.46	3 STAR	59.12
School Without Walls @ Francis-Stevens	Ward 2	3 STAR	58.04	3 STAR	58.29
Takoma EC ▲	Ward 4	3 STAR	44.94	2 STAR	30.48
Truesdell EC ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	65.32	3 STAR	56.88
Walker-Jones EC ▼	Ward 6	2 STAR	27.18	3 STAR	50.92
West EC ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	67.22	3 STAR	55.27
Wheatley EC ▼	Ward 5	2 STAR	30.24	3 STAR	42.16
Whittier EC ▲	Ward 4	4 STAR	77.18	3 STAR	45.39

STAR Ratings for Middle Schools

School	Ward	SY18-19 STAR Rating	SY18-19 STAR Score	SY17-18 STAR Rating	SY17-18 STAR Score
Brookland MS ▲▲	Ward 5	3 STAR	41.17	1 STAR	18.56
Deal MS	Ward 3	5 STAR	88.94	5 STAR	88.22
Eliot-Hine MS ▲	Ward 6	2 STAR	31.21	1 STAR	7.43
Hardy MS	Ward 2	5 STAR	90.45	5 STAR	82.74
Hart MS ▲	Ward 8	3 STAR	44.20	2 STAR	20.83
Jefferson MS Academy	Ward 6	3 STAR	50.07	3 STAR	46.49
Johnson MS	Ward 8	2 STAR	25.56	2 STAR	21.01
Kelly Miller MS	Ward 7	2 STAR	25.92	2 STAR	20.45
Kramer MS	Ward 8	1 STAR	1.61	1 STAR	5.72
MacFarland MS ▼	Ward 4	2 STAR	31.12	3 STAR	55.13
McKinley MS ▼	Ward 5	1 STAR	18.82	2 STAR	26.23
Sousa MS ▲	Ward 7	2 STAR	32.46	1 STAR	12.33
Stuart-Hobson MS (Capitol Hill Cluster) ▲	Ward 6	4 STAR	61.02	3 STAR	53.53

STAR Ratings for High Schools

School	Ward	SY18-19 STAR Rating	SY18-19 STAR Score	SY17-18 STAR Rating	SY17-18 STAR Score
Anacostia HS	Ward 8	1 STAR	3.64	1 STAR	2.85
Ballou HS	Ward 8	1 STAR	4.88	1 STAR	4.65
Benjamin Banneker HS	Ward 1	5 STAR	98.67	5 STAR	99.01
Coolidge HS	Ward 4	1 STAR	14.35	1 STAR	13.24
Duke Ellington School of the Arts	Ward 2	4 STAR	74.06	4 STAR	72.66
Dunbar HS	Ward 5	2 STAR	22.09	2 STAR	26.57
Eastern HS	Ward 6	2 STAR	25.62	2 STAR	31.67
H.D. Woodson HS ▼	Ward 7	1 STAR	18.72	2 STAR	24.54
McKinley Technology HS	Ward 5	5 STAR	87.05	5 STAR	85.43
Phelps ACE HS	Ward 5	3 STAR	54.27	3 STAR	44.7
Ron Brown College Prep HS ▼	Ward 7	1 STAR	15.11	2 STAR	29.57
Roosevelt HS	Ward 4	1 STAR	12.87	1 STAR	10.62
School Without Walls HS	Ward 2	5 STAR	97.89	5 STAR	98.56
Woodrow Wilson HS	Ward 3	4 STAR	72.14	4 STAR	74.46

STAR Ratings for Alternative Framework Schools

School	Ward	SY18-19 STAR Rating	SY18-19 STAR Score	SY17-18 STAR Rating	SY17-18 STAR Score
Ballou STAY	Ward 8	No Rating	-	No Rating	-
Luke C. Moore HS	Ward 5	No Rating	-	2 STAR	29.69
River Terrace EC	Ward 7	No Rating	-	No Rating	-
Roosevelt STAY ▼	Ward 4	1 STAR	17.05	2 STAR	21.15
Washington Metropolitan HS ▼	Ward 1	1 STAR	12.91	2 STAR	24.88