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ASSESSMENT SUMMARY

SCHOOL NAME
PS 23

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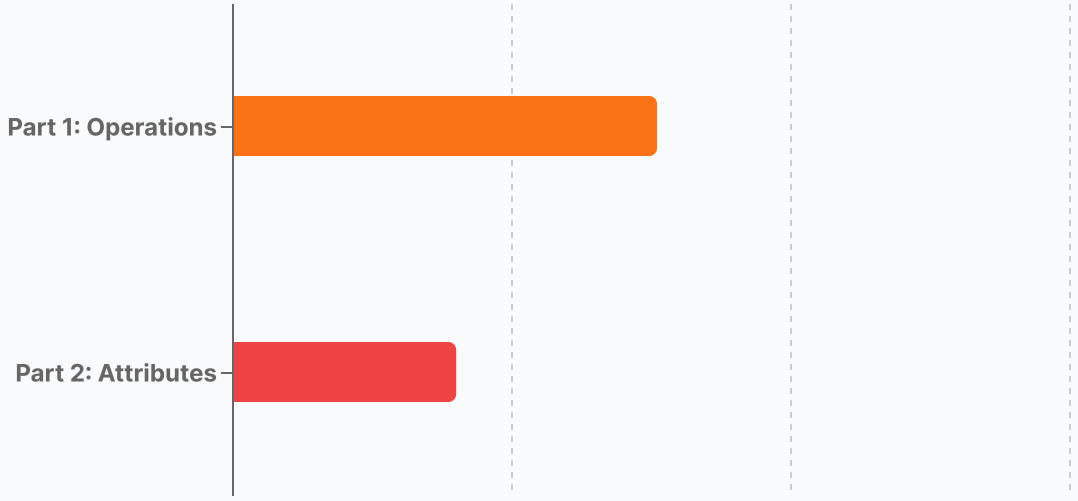
PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW (NORMALIZED %)



Part 1: Current Operations

SCORE
9/24 (38%)

RESULT
MOSTLY TRADITIONAL

Detailed Breakdown

QUESTION	ANSWER	PTS
1. Children spend 75% or more of their school day in classrooms.	SOMEWHAT TRUE	1

QUESTION	ANSWER	PTS
2. Each group of 12-25 students is sorted by age and actively supervised by one adult.	TRUE	0
3. In the higher grades, different teachers teach different subjects, and less than 25% of the curriculum is interdisciplinary.	SOMEWHAT TRUE	1
4. The school day is broken down into fixed periods with each period devoted to study of a different subject.	TRUE	0
5. Teachers do not routinely collaborate with peers other than fixed times set for team preparation.	SOMEWHAT TRUE	1
6. Direct instruction predominates the teaching practice, and even the teamwork tasks are explicitly defined by the teacher.	TRUE	0
7. A majority of student assessments measure the retention of content and not the demonstration of skills.	NOT TRUE	2
8. During the middle of each school day, there is almost no opportunity for teachers to mentor students individually or tutor them in small groups.	TRUE	0
9. During the school day, peer tutoring between students is rare to non-existent.	SOMEWHAT TRUE	1
10. Most of the learning is theoretical, and there is very little hands-on or practical learning.	TRUE	0
11. Over 75% of student use of computers is in the classroom or labs.	NOT TRUE	2
12. It is rare for students to get a variety of challenges that require creativity or complex problem-solving skills.	SOMEWHAT TRUE	1

Part 2: Attributes

SCORE
12/60

RESULT
VERY TRADITIONAL

Detailed Breakdown

QUESTION	ANSWER	PTS
1. Children choose to occupy spaces best suited to the learning activity they are engaged in.	2	2
2. Students work in multi-age groups of varying sizes, passively supervised by a group of adults.	1	1
3. A group of teachers working together offers a robust interdisciplinary curriculum.	0 - Not True	0
4. Individual student schedules are organized around the completion of interdisciplinary projects.	2	2
5. Teachers work together in a professional office and collaborate throughout the school day and beyond.	0 - Not True	0
6. There is very little direct instruction. Teachers serve as advisors and guide students with the help they need to complete individual or team assignments that students had a hand in selecting.	2	2
7. Individualized formative assessments are designed to provide ongoing feedback and are focused on skill building.	0 - Not True	0
8. Teachers can work one-on-one with students, tutor them in small groups, or lecture to larger groups.	1	1
9. Peer tutoring is encouraged and facilitated by the design of the learning spaces.	1	1

QUESTION	ANSWER	PTS
10. Most of the learning is hands-on and practical with the theory embedded in the assignments.	0 - Not True	0
11. Learning spaces amply demonstrate the power of anytime, anywhere learning.	1	1
12. A majority of student work is personalized and focused on creativity and complex problem solving.	2	2

SCORING REFERENCE

0-30% / 0-15 VERY TRADITIONAL	**31-45% / 16-30** MOSTLY TRADITIONAL
46-60% / 31-45 PARTLY MODERN	**61-100% / 46-60** MODERN