Why HudsonWay Immersion School?
Top 10 Reasons

HudsonWay Immersion School, HWIS (www.hwis.org), the first independent immersion school in the Tri-State area, develops the cognitive abilities, character and global skills to enable students to succeed in a fast-changing and interconnected world.

HWIS serves students from preschool through Grade 8 on two campuses – Midtown West, NYC and Stirling, NJ. Children learn all subjects in two languages, Mandarin/English or Spanish/English, becoming fully bilingual and biliterate in several years.

1. **Improves Cognitive Ability:**
   100% of students at HWIS 4+ years performed above average or gifted on IQ test

2. **Feeder to Top Schools:**
   90% of NJ graduates were admitted to their top choice independent school

3. **15 Year History:**
   15 year history as a pioneer in immersion education

4. **Best Immersion School:**
   45% higher score for Mandarin and Spanish language proficiency vs. other immersion schools

5. **Superior English and Math Scores:**
   92=median percentile ranking in language arts and math

6. **Knowledgeable Administration:**
   Our administrators have 10 years of immersion experience on average

7. **Small Class Size:**
   6:1 student to faculty ratio

8. **Global Perspective:**
   27 different countries represented in our community

9. **Supportive to All:**
   80% of families do not speak the second language at home

10. **Good Value for Money:**
    40% more affordable than top-tier NJ independent schools