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KINDERGARTEN DIRECTORY

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Application period opens



Application period closes



Offer letters sent to families



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WELCOME

TO KINDERGARTEN ADMISSIONS

Kindergarten is a new and exciting time for children and families. In New York City, your child can apply to kindergarten in the year they turn five. This directory contains information about all public elementary schools in District 23. This introduction will guide you through Kindergarten Admissions; these additional resources will also help in your Kindergarten Admissions journey.

Online Application

schools.nyc.gov/ApplyOnline

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ACTION STEPS CHECKLIST

Use this Action Steps Checklist to prepare for each part of Kindergarten Admissions.

NOVEMBER

Understand Your Options

- Check if you live in District 23 by calling 311 or using School Search (schools.nyc.gov/SchoolSearch).
- Research choices in District 23 using this directory.
- Visit schools to learn more.
- Develop your list of schools. You can list up to 12 choices on your application.

DECEMBER/JANUARY

Apply to Kindergarten by January 13, 2017

- You can submit your application online, over the phone, or in person at a Family Welcome Center.

MARCH

Get an Offer in March 2017

- In March, you will get an offer letter. This letter will let you know where your child will go to kindergarten.

APRIL

Accept Offer and Pre-Register by Early April 2017

- To accept an offer, you must pre-register at the school.
- To pre-register, visit the school in person with your child and bring all required documents.

PARTICIPATING IN KINDERGARTEN ADMISSIONS

Kindergarten is the start of your child's journey through elementary school. There are nearly 800 elementary schools throughout New York City.

All children living in NYC who were born in 2012 will begin kindergarten in September 2017. Kindergarten is an important next step in your child's education to set them up for success.

All children born in 2012 are guaranteed a kindergarten seat in school. Once your child starts kindergarten, they can remain at that school until its final grade.

All families should submit a kindergarten application, including current pre-K students, students with disabilities, and English Language Learners. For more information on how the NYC Department of Education meets the needs of all children, please see Section 6.0.

There are four steps to participate in Kindergarten Admissions:

- 1 Understanding your Kindergarten options
- 2 Applying to Kindergarten
- 3 Receiving a Kindergarten offer
- 4 Accepting your offer and pre-registering for Kindergarten

UNDERSTAND YOUR KINDERGARTEN OPTIONS

District 23 is a choice district, and all schools in the district are called "Choice Schools." There are no zoned schools in the district.

Children living in District 23 have priority to attend all schools in the district.

2.1 Find Your District

There are 32 school districts in NYC. This directory outlines all school options in District 23.



Call 311 or visit schools.nyc.gov/SchoolSearch to learn what district you live in.

2.2 Understand Your School Options

There are three types of schools you can list on your kindergarten application—zoned schools, non-zoned schools, and choice schools.

District 23 only has choice schools. If you live in District 23 you can apply

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to other types of schools outside of the district, but your child has a higher chance of getting into a school in the district.

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2.2.1 Zoned Schools: Zoned schools make offers to students that live in their zone first. Most zoned schools make kindergarten offers to all students living in the zone. Some zoned schools have room to make offers to children living outside of their zone.

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2.2.2 Non-Zoned Schools: Non-zoned schools do not have a zone. This means that no addresses are assigned to them and that families from throughout the district or borough can attend non-zoned schools. At most non-zoned schools, students who live in the school's district will get offers before students living outside the district. Sibling status and other criteria are also used to make offers.

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2.2.3 Choice Schools: There are three districts in NYC that have no zoned schools. The schools in these districts are called Choice Schools, and students living in these districts have priority to attend all schools in the district. These districts are:

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- **District 1:** Lower East Side-Manhattan
- **District 7:** South Bronx
- **District 23:** Brownsville-Brooklyn

2.3 Visit Schools

Many schools offer tours so families can visit and learn more about them. To find out when you can visit a school, contact schools directly or visit schools.nyc.gov/Kindergarten.

2.4 Use the Kindergarten Directory

Use this directory to research your school options. This directory lists all the elementary schools in District 23. It also has a map of all school options. Charter elementary school options are listed on the map and at the end of this directory.

This sample school page shows you the typical information listed for an elementary school in this directory; keep reading to learn how to use this information to research each choice for your Kindergarten Application.

Note: Translated directories are available at schools.nyc.gov/Kindergarten.

Learn more in section 2.4.1
"School Overview"

P.S./I.S. 155 Nicholas Herkimer
23K155

Special Education Programs | English Language Learner Programs
CHOICE SCHOOL

The school's mission states that the community of P.S./I.S. 155 is committed to developing self-confident, socially responsible, and critically thinking citizens who can succeed in college and career in the global community of the 21st century.

Programs Offered	Program Code
P.S./I.S. 155 NICHOLAS HERKIMER	23K155KG

<p>School Information</p> <p>Total Students: 499 Grades: PK-8</p> <p>Uniform: Yes Extended Day Program: Yes</p> <p>Summer Session: No</p> <p>Weekend Program: Yes</p> <p>Address: 1355 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn NY 11233 Shared Space: No</p> <p>Principal Name: Michelle Manns Email: MManns2@schools.nyc.gov</p> <p>Phone: 718-240-4340 Website: schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K155</p> <p>Subway: C to Rockaway Ave; A, J, L, Z to Broadway Junction</p> <p>Bus: B12, B20, B25, B60, B7, B83, Q24, Q56</p>	<p>Academics/Activities</p> <p>Activities: Academic Extended Day, Recreational Sports, School Newsletter, Finance Club, Dance, Drama, Yearbook Committee, Grades 2-3 STEM</p> <p>Sports: Basketball, Soccer, Track, Martial Arts, Flag Football</p> <p>Partnerships: 21st Century Community Learning Center Program Partnership</p>
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School Performance

- ▶ 16% of students were proficient on the State English Test
- ▶ 20% of students were proficient on the State Math Test
- 99% of parents are satisfied with their child's education
- 99% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

*Search **23K155** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.*

Learn more in section 2.4.3
"School Information"

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2.4.1 School Overview: Learn if the school is a Zoned School, Non-Zoned School, or Choice School.

All schools serve students with disabilities, and are expected to provide the special education programs and services listed on students' IEPs. Most students with IEPs will attend their local district schools, just like their general education peers. Families of students with disabilities should apply to kindergarten in order to secure a kindergarten seat.

Section 6.1 shares more information on how the Department of Education serves students with disabilities.

All schools will meet the needs of English Language Learners (ELLs). The Department of Education provides a range of programs and supports to students learning English to ensure that they develop the English language skills necessary to excel. There are three main types of programs designed to serve ELLs: English as a New Language, Transitional Bilingual Education, and Dual Language.

All schools offer English as a New Language programs. Some schools offer other programs, like Dual Language and Transitional Bilingual Education. These additional programs will be listed on a school's page in the directory.

Section 6.2 shares more information on how the Department of Education serves students learning English.

Find out if the school is accessible for individuals with limited mobility. Section 6.3 provides more information on how the Department of Education serves students with accessibility needs.

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2.4.2 Programs Offered: When completing your Kindergarten Application, you need to list the school’s program code. Schools that offer a Dual Language program in addition to a non-Dual Language program will have multiple codes.

P.S. 41 Francis White
23K041

Special Education Programs | English Language Learner Programs
CHOICE SCHOOL

The mission of the P.S. 41 school community is to create a safe, positive learning environment for all children. Members of our community share a commitment to respect, responsibility, and the use of reason. We strive to meet the individual needs of all children, both academically and socially. With the support and involvement of parents and community members, we will nurture, educate, and empower our children to think critically, solve problems, and make positive choices.

Programs Offered
P.S. 41 FRANCIS WHITE

Program Code
23K041KG

School Information
 Total Students: 499 | Grades: K-8
 Uniform: Yes | Extended Day Program: Yes
 Summer Session: Yes
 Weekend Program: No
 Address: 411 Thatford Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | Shared Space: No
 Principal Name: Therese Siegel | Email: TSiegel@schools.nyc.gov
 Phone: 718-495-7732 | Website: schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K041
 Subway: L to New Lots Ave; 3 to Rockaway Ave
 Bus: B14, B15, B35, B60, B7, B8

Academics/Activities
 Activities: SCO/Family Dynamics After-School Program
 Partnerships: Community Partnerships: FirstStepNYC (operated by SCO Family of Services), Salvation Army, SCO Family Dynamics After-School, Brownsville Recreation Center

School Performance

▶ **11%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

▶ **88%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

▶ **10%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

▶ **87%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

*Search **23K041** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.*

Section 4.0 provides more information on how we make kindergarten offers.

2.4.3 School Information: Find out how to get in touch with the school’s staff. We encourage you to reach out in person, by phone, or by email to the schools you are interested in.

See how many students went to the school in the 2015-2016 school year and which grades they serve.

You can also learn if the school shares a building with another school or program. This section also lists which English language support services and programs that the school offers.

If the school offers a Gifted & Talented program, it is noted in this section.

Learn if the school has a uniform, extended day program, weekend program, and/or summer sessions.

Lastly, if the school is a magnet school, it is also noted in this section. A magnet school is a public school that offers a school-wide curriculum designed around a specific theme. While some schools have the word “magnet” in their school’s name, only those schools that received Magnet Schools Assistance Program (M.S.A.P) funding will be designated as magnet in this directory.

2.4.4 Academics/Activities: Find out which activities, sports, and partnerships the school offers.

2.4.5 School Performance: Find out the percentage of third, fourth, and fifth graders who scored proficient in English and Math in the 2015-2016 school year. Also included are selected parent responses from the annual NYC School Survey. You can learn more about the school's performance and demographics by looking up the school at schools.nyc.gov/Accountability.

Citywide Elementary School Performance

- 35% of students were proficient on the State English Test
- 34% of students were proficient on the State Math Test
- 93% of parents are satisfied with their child's education
- 93% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

2.5 List Your School Choices

You can list up to 12 school choices on your kindergarten application. You should list schools in order of which you like the most. You can apply directly to a school's Dual Language program. If you are interested in applying to these programs, be sure to list the correct program code on your application.

The Department of Education will try to give you an offer to the highest choice on your application. Many programs have more applicants than seats. When this happens, we make offers to families with the highest priority to go to that school. This means a school would make offers to families living in District 23 before making an offer to someone living outside of the district.

3.0 APPLY TO KINDERGARTEN BY JANUARY 13, 2017

Once you pick your school choices, you are ready to submit your kindergarten application. You can apply to kindergarten from November 30, 2016 through January 13, 2017. You can apply online, by phone, or in person; ask for and save your receipt no matter how you apply.

All families should submit a kindergarten application, including current pre-K students, students with disabilities, and English Language Learners. Current pre-K students do not automatically stay at their school for kindergarten.

Only one application can be processed per child and only the primary custodial parent/guardian can submit an application. Where there are joint custody agreements, if there is no specific provision addressing school decision-making, the parent who has primary physical custody of the child during the school week is considered to be the custodial parent.

Note: Admission is not first-come, first-served. All applications received online, by phone, or in person by the January 13, 2017 deadline are treated the same based on admissions priorities.

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3.1 Three Ways to Apply to Kindergarten

Online at schools.nyc.gov/ApplyOnline

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- Available 24 hours a day
- The deadline to apply online is Friday, January 13, 2017 at 11:59pm
- Apply in Arabic, Bengali, Chinese, English, French, Haitian Creole, Korean, Russian, Spanish, and Urdu

Over the phone at 718-935-2400

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- Call Monday through Friday 8am-6pm
- The deadline to apply over the phone is Friday, January 13, 2017 at 6pm
- Apply in over 200 languages—if you speak a language other than English, ask for an interpreter

In person at a Family Welcome Center

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- Open Monday through Friday 8am-3pm; locations are listed on the cover
- The deadline to apply in person is Friday, January 13, 2017 at 3pm
- Apply in over 200 languages—if you speak a language other than English, ask for an interpreter

Families who apply online must use their own email address. If you do not have an email address and/or do not wish to provide an email address, please apply over the phone or in person.

3.2 Additional Public School Kindergarten Options

The below programs and schools all have separate application processes.

3.2.1 Gifted & Talented Programs: Gifted & Talented (G&T) programs are one way the NYC Department of Education supports the educational needs of students with unique academic abilities. For more information about G&T Admissions, please visit schools.nyc.gov/GiftedandTalented.

- All families are encouraged to participate in both the kindergarten and G&T admissions processes.
- Families interested in having their children tested to determine G&T eligibility should have submitted their Request for Testing (RFT) form by November 14, 2016.
- If your child is taking the G&T test, you will learn about your child's test results in April. Your child will be eligible to apply to G&T programs based on his or her test score.
- If you missed the RFT deadline and are interested in having your child tested, please contact ESEnrollment@schools.nyc.gov and we will make every effort to accommodate your request. Late requests will be reviewed

on a case-by-case basis, and there is no guarantee that your child will be able to test if you do not submit an RFT by the November 14, 2016 deadline.

3.2.2 Charter Schools: For a list of charter schools, please refer to the last section in this directory. Charter schools:

- Are public schools that operate independently according to the terms of a performance contract, or “charter,” that can last up to five years;
- Are free—they do not charge tuition;
- Commit to meeting or exceeding specific goals for academic performance;
- Are governed by non-profit Boards of Trustees—these are mainly comprised of unpaid volunteers and are responsible for such actions as establishing school policies, ensuring compliance with state and federal law, overseeing the school budget, and evaluating the school’s leader;
- Are reviewed regularly by their authorizers (state-sanctioned bodies with the power to create or renew charter schools); and
- Can be granted a renewal for up to five more years by their authorizers upon meeting or exceeding agreed-upon academic and operational goals and other standards of performance; this process repeats itself in cycles that depend on the length of each school’s most recent renewal.

3.2.3 Special Music School (03M859): If you are interested in applying to the Special Music School, please contact the school directly to schedule an audition. Families who audition should also list Special Music School on their Kindergarten Application through the main admissions process.

- **Address:** 129 West 67th Street, New York NY 10023
- **Phone:** 212-501-3318
- **Website:** www.kaufmanmusiccenter.org/sms

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GET A KINDERGARTEN OFFER IN MARCH 2017

You will get your child’s kindergarten offer letter in March 2017. If you applied online, you will also get your offer letter by email. Your offer letter will list which school your child got a seat at for kindergarten. This letter will also tell you where your child is waitlisted.

We use admissions priorities to make kindergarten offers. Admissions priorities group students based on their priority to attend a school. Offers are made in order of admissions priorities from the highest group to the lowest group.

The higher priority your child has to a school, the higher chance that your child will get an offer to that school. For example, if your child has an older sibling at a school you listed on your application, your child has a higher chance of getting an offer than a child who does not have a sibling.

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4.1 District 23 Admissions Priorities

Children living in District 23 have priority to attend all schools in the district.

We make offer to District 23 schools in order, based on these admissions priorities:

1. Students who live in District 23, with a verified sibling*
2. Students who live outside District 23, with a verified sibling*
3. Students who live in District 23, who are currently enrolled at the school for pre-K**
4. Students who live outside District 23, who are currently enrolled at the school for pre-K**
5. Students living in District 23, other than those in (1) and (3) above
6. Students living outside District 23, other than those in (2) and (4) above

* A sibling is defined as a brother or sister—including half-brothers, half-sisters, stepbrothers, stepsisters, foster brothers, and foster sisters—of the applicant, who lives in the same household, and is currently pre-registered or enrolled at that school in grades K-5, and will be enrolled at that school in grades K-5 in September 2017. This includes students enrolled in co-located District 75 programs in the same school building. Schools offer a priority to applicants with verified siblings in the school.

** Students who are currently enrolled in pre-K will only receive priority for admission in kindergarten at the school they are attending now. Not all schools have pre-K.

4.2 Waitlists

A school will have a kindergarten waitlist when there are more students that apply than kindergarten seats available at the school.

You will automatically be added to the waitlist for any school you ranked higher on your application than the school where your child received an offer.

For example, if you received an offer for the school you listed third on your application, you will automatically be listed on the waitlist for your first and second choice schools.

Schools contact waitlisted families directly if they are able to offer them a seat; no additional action is required of families on a waitlist at this point in the admissions process.

5.0 ACCEPT YOUR OFFER AND PRE-REGISTER BY APRIL 2017

Once you get your offer letter, you will need to accept your kindergarten offer. To accept your offer, families must go to the school in person to pre-register; we encourage families to contact the school to set up time to pre-register.

5.1 Pre-Registration

To pre-register you will bring your child and the required documents to the school where you got an offer. Pre-registering your child means you have accepted your offer and secured your seat. After you pre-register your child at the school where you got an offer, you can still get and accept an offer to a school where your child is on the waitlist or to a G&T program.



Stop Review the next page for a list of what to bring to your child's school to pre-register.

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WHAT TO BRING FOR PRE-REGISTRATION

Please bring the following to accept your kindergarten offer and secure your seat.
Remember to pre-register by April 2017.

- Your child**
- Proof of your child's age (child's birth certificate, passport, or record of baptism)**
- Two of the documents below verifying proof of address**

- Lease agreement, deed, or mortgage statement for the residence;
- A residential utility bill (gas or electric) in the resident's name issued by a utility company (e.g., National Grid or Con Edison); must be dated within the past 60 days;
- A bill for cable television services provided to the residence; must include the name of the parent and the address of the residence and be dated within the past 60 days;
- Documentation or letter on letterhead from a federal, state, or local government agency, including the IRS, the City Housing Authority, the federal Office of Refugee Resettlement, the Human Resources Administration, or the Administration for Children's Services (ACS), or an ACS subcontractor, indicating the resident's name and address; must be dated within the past 60 days;
- A current property tax bill for the residence;
- A water bill for the residence; must be dated within the past 90 days;
- Rent receipt which includes the address of residence; must be dated within the past 60 days;
- State, city, or other government issued identification (including an IDNYC card), which has not expired and includes the address of residence;
- Income tax form for the last calendar year;
- Official NYS Driver's License or learner's permit, which has not expired;
- Official payroll documentation from an employer issued within the past 60 days such as a pay stub with home address, a form submitted for tax withholding purposes, or payroll receipt (a letter on the employer's letterhead is not adequate); must include home address and be dated within the past 60 days;
- Voter registration documents, which include the name of the parent and the address of residence;
- Unexpired membership documents based upon residency (e.g., neighborhood residents' association), which include the name of the parent and the address of residence;
- Evidence of custody of the child, including but not limited to judicial custody orders or guardianship papers; documents must have been issued within the past 60 days and include name of student and address of residence.

Note: Students in temporary housing, as defined by McKinney-Vento, are not required to submit documentation—including address, proof of date of birth, and immunization—in order to enroll. Schools must provisionally pre-register the student and then work with the Students in Temporary Housing liaison to obtain documentation.

5.2 Transportation

In New York City, attending a public elementary school **does not guarantee yellow school bus service**. Students who are eligible for specialized transportation will receive bus service. For general education students, if your child’s school is in a different district than where you live, school bus transportation will **not** be available. If your child’s school is in the district where you live, the Department of Education will use the table below to determine if your child qualifies for free or reduced fare transportation.

Grade	Walking Distance from Child’s Home to School		
	Less than ½ mile	½ to 1 mile	1 mile or more
K-2	Half-fare MTA bus pass	Either Yellow Bus or MetroCard	Either Yellow Bus or MetroCard
3-4	No transportation is provided	Half-fare MTA bus pass	

If your child is eligible for “Either Yellow Bus or MetroCard” in the chart above, your child will get a yellow school bus if:

1. The school has applied to the Office of Pupil Transportation for yellow bus service;
2. The student lives in the same district as the school; and
3. The Department of Education can reach the student and at least 10 other students on a bus route that does not exceed 5 miles in length when measured on the streets travelled by the bus through the stops on the route.

Eligible students who do not meet this criteria will get a MetroCard. This means that an eligible kindergarten student will get a MetroCard if:

- He/she goes to school in another district, or
- He/she lives so far from the school that the Department of Education cannot create an 11-person/5-mile bus route.

Families in the larger school districts such as 31 (Staten Island) or the larger districts in Queens should pay particular attention to this since students in these areas often cannot be reached on a 5-mile route.

For information about current bus stops at specific schools, please contact the school directly. Please also visit the Office of Pupil Transportation website for more information: optnyc.org/parents/information.

6.0 MEETING YOUR CHILD’S NEEDS

The New York City Department of Education is committed to meeting the academic needs of all students, including students with disabilities and English Language Learners.

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6.1 Students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs)

All schools serve students with disabilities, and are expected to provide the special education programs and services listed on students' IEPs. Most students with IEPs will attend their local district schools, just like their general education peers. Families of students with disabilities should apply to kindergarten in order to secure a kindergarten seat.

The Department of Education is committed to ensuring students with disabilities have access to quality education and, to the extent appropriate, instruction alongside their general education peers. This policy is called *A Shared Path to Success*. For more information on special education in New York City, visit schools.nyc.gov/KindergartenSpecialEducation.

6.1.1 Evaluation for Kindergarten (School-Age) Special Education Services:

Some incoming kindergarteners will be eligible for school-age special education services. These students receive an Individualized Education Program (IEP).

If your child receives special education services in pre-K, he/she will be reevaluated to determine if he/she is eligible for special education services when he/she transitions to kindergarten.

If your child does not currently receive special education services, but you believe he/she may have a disability and may need special education services, please contact the Committee on Special Education (CSE) for your district of residence. For contact information, call 311 or visit schools.nyc.gov/Academics/SpecialEducation/ContactsResources/cse.

6.1.2 Special Education Services and Supports at Schools: All schools serve students with disabilities, and are expected to provide the special education programs and services documented on students' IEPs. For more information about special education programs and services, visit schools.nyc.gov/Academics/SpecialEducation/tellmemore/importantDocuments.

6.1.3 Specialized Programs in District Schools: Specialized programs exist within some district schools and are designed to meet the needs of students with specific disabilities. While most students are served in their local schools, some students may be eligible to attend a specialized program which is not available in every school. Some district schools offer one or more of the following specialized programs:

- Bilingual Special Education (BSE) Program
- Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Nest Program and/or ASD Horizon Program
- Academic, Career, and Essential Skills (ACES) Program

For more information about specialized programs in community schools, visit schools.nyc.gov/Academics/SpecialEducation/enrolling/specializedprograms.

6.1.4 Specialized Schools (District 75): District 75 provides highly specialized instruction in programs for students with severe disabilities, including students with autism, intellectual disability, emotional disturbance, sensory

impairments, and/or multiple disabilities. For more information about District 75, visit schools.nyc.gov/Academics/SpecialEducation/D75.

6.2 Students Learning English

The NYC Department of Education provides a range of programs and supports to students learning English, called English Language Learners (ELLs), to ensure that they develop the English language skills necessary to excel. There are three main types of programs designed to serve ELLs: English as a New Language (ENL), Transitional Bilingual Education (TBE), and Dual Language (DL). All schools provide ENL programs; TBE and DL programs are available in certain elementary schools across the city.

- **English as a New Language (ENL):** ENL programs, which used to be called English as a Second Language or ESL, provide instruction in English with support in the students' home language so that they can learn to read, write, and speak English. Students in this program can come from many different language backgrounds, and English may be the only common language among them.
- **Transitional Bilingual Education (TBE):** TBE programs provide reading, writing, and other classes in English and in your child's home language. As students' English improves, time spent learning in English increases and time spent learning in the home language decreases. Once your child is no longer identified as an English Language Learner, he or she will exit the program.
- **Dual Language (DL):** In Dual Language programs, students are taught in two languages: English and their home language, such as Spanish, Chinese, or French, among others. The goal of this program is for students to be able to read, write, and speak in both English and their home language. In Dual Language classes, the home language and English are used equally.

DL programs aim for a balanced number of ELLs and English-speaking students; therefore, some seats may be reserved for ELLs. Additionally, schools may conduct an assessment and an interview with the child, to determine a child's home language and English proficiency.

If you are interested in a DL program, you must apply directly to that program, using the DL program code, on your kindergarten application.

6.2.1 Identification of English Language Learners (ELLs): As the parents or guardians of a newly enrolled student, you are required to complete a Home Language Identification Survey (HLIS) at the school within ten days of when your child first begins attending the school. This survey lets school staff know what language you use in your home. If the HLIS indicates that your child uses a language other than English, the school will determine whether he or she is eligible to be given an English proficiency test called the New York State Identification Test for English Language Learners (NYSITELL). How your child does on this test determines whether your child is entitled to ELL supports and services.

6.2.2 ELL Program Orientation: Selecting the Best Program for your Child: If your child has been identified as an ELL, you will be invited to attend an ELL parent orientation at your child's school within ten days of when your child first

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begins attending the school. During the orientation, you will fill out the Parent Survey and Program Selection Form and select the program that you believe best meets your child’s needs. If you do not receive this form, you can request it from the school.

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The school pages in this directory list the ELL programs currently offered for kindergarten students in each school according to school-reported data. For the most up-to-date information about ELL program offerings, contact schools directly.

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All schools offer ENL programs, and all schools are expected to open a TBE or DL program when the families of at least 15 ELLs in a single language in one grade or two consecutive grades have requested that program. By selecting a TBE or Dual Language program on the Parent Survey and Program Selection Form, families help inform which ELL programs should be offered at schools.

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For more information about all ELL programs and services available in New York City public elementary schools, and to learn more about the ELL Enrollment Process, please visit: schools.nyc.gov/Academics/ELL and schools.nyc.gov/Academics/ELL/FamilyResources.

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6.3 Students with Limited Mobility and/or Accessibility Needs

The NYC Department of Education is committed to providing students with limited mobility and/or accessibility needs with a kindergarten placement that allows the student to access all relevant programs and services.

Note: Accessible school placements are made *after* the kindergarten admissions process, and are based on documentation that details the student’s particular needs and the building accommodations he/she requires.

Accessible Schools or Programs are located in a fully accessible building or a partially accessible building where an individual with limited mobility may enter and access all relevant programs and services, including the science laboratory, library, cafeteria, and the gymnasium. In some cases, school programs may need to be re-located to accommodate access. At least one restroom is accessible.

All schools that are considered accessible are labeled as Fully Accessible or Partially Accessible in this directory.

The kindergarten application includes a non-admissions question that asks families to indicate whether their child has limited mobility and/or accessibility needs that would require an accessible school. **The answer to this question has no impact on the school offered through the kindergarten admissions process.** Rather, families who select “yes” or “not sure” are provided with additional information on the documentation they need to submit and the steps the Department of Education takes to identify placement.

For more information on accessibility and Department of Education schools, visit schools.nyc.gov/offices/osp/accessibility.

You may submit this paper application in person at a Family Welcome Center, or you can apply online at schools.nyc.gov/ApplyOnline or over the phone by calling 718-935-2400 by the January 13, 2017 deadline. **Do not submit this application by mail or directly to schools.** You cannot apply to charter schools using this application.

1 KINDERGARTEN APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant First Name: _____ Applicant Last Name: _____ M.I.: _____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy): 2 0 1 2

Parent/Guardian First Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Last Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

House Number: _____ Street Name: _____ Apartment #: _____ M F
Gender (optional)

City: _____ State: N Y Zip Code: _____ Optional: Student ID Number (OSIS): _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Borough of Residence (please check one):

Bronx Brooklyn Manhattan Queens Staten Island

PRE-KINDERGARTEN (PRE-K) INFORMATION

Does your child currently attend a NYC Public School Pre-K program? Yes No

If **yes**, indicate the current school below.

School Code (DBN): _____ School Name: _____

2 SIBLINGS APPLYING TO KINDERGARTEN

Does your child have one or more siblings applying to kindergarten for September 2017? Yes No

If **yes**, and you want the applicants to attend the same school, you must 1) complete an application for each child, and 2) enter each child's information below. Applicants must have the same schools listed in the same order on their application to be placed together. If no, leave this section blank.

Siblings are brothers/sisters (including stepbrothers, stepsisters, foster brothers, foster sisters) who live in the same household as the applicant.

SIBLINGS APPLYING TO KINDERGARTEN

First Name	Last Name	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)
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3 SIBLINGS INFORMATION

Does your child have one or more siblings who will be attending any of the schools in grades K-5 listed on this application in September 2017? Yes No

If **yes**, enter the information for each of these siblings below. Please do not include siblings listed in Section 2. If **no**, leave this section blank.

SIBLINGS					
Name (First, Last)	School Name	School Code (DBN)	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Sept 2017 Grade	Student ID Number (OSIS)
John Doe	PS 999	24Q999	01/01/2008	4	123456789

SIBLINGS					
Name (First, Last)	School Name	School Code (DBN)	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Sept 2017 Grade	Student ID Number (OSIS)
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Date and Timestamp (for DOE use only)

4 ACCESSIBILITY NEED

Does your child have limited mobility and therefore require a specific building layout (such as a wheelchair ramp or an accessible restroom)? Yes No Not sure

Please Note: This question will not be used for initial admissions decisions. The determination of whether your child requires an accessible program will be made after review of documentation describing your child's condition and accessibility needs. This review may take place during the Individualized Education Program (IEP) development process or by requesting a Medical Transfer/Reasonable Accommodation. If you answer yes to this question, the DOE will communicate next steps to you with respect to your child's stated accessibility need. If it is determined that your child requires an accessible program and the program you are offered is not accessible, you will receive an updated accessible placement offer later in the spring or summer.

5 PUBLIC SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM LIST

You may list up to 12 New York City public school programs on this application. Please list programs in your order of preference. You should only list programs that you are interested in having your child attend. For each choice you make you must enter the:

1. Program Code
2. School Name
3. For dual language program applicants, please answer the additional questions below

If you want to apply to a dual language program, be sure to list the correct program code. Program codes are available in the *2017 New York City Kindergarten Directory*.

Preference Order ↓	Program Code	School Name
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FOR DUAL LANGUAGE PROGRAM APPLICANTS ONLY

In Dual Language programs, students are taught in two languages: English and the program's target language. The goal of this program is for students to be able to read, write, and speak in both English and the target language. Please answer all three questions below if you have listed a dual language program on this kindergarten application.

What is your child's home language? English Program's target language (circle one below)

Arabic Chinese French Haitian Creole Japanese Korean Polish Russian Spanish

How well does your child speak and understand English? Not at all Only a little Very well

How well does your child speak and understand the program's target language? Not at all Only a little Very well

6 PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME & SIGNATURE

Applications must be signed and dated

By signing this form, I certify that I am the parent/guardian of the applicant(s), that the applicant(s) and I live at the same address (as listed on this form), that the applicant was born in 2012, that I have read and understand the placement process, and that I am authorized to submit this application on behalf of the applicant(s). I understand that if I do not reside at the address provided on this application, my child's offer may be rescinded.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

District 23 is a choice district. This means there are no zoned schools, and children living in District 23 have priority to attend all schools in the district.

● Choice Schools

DBN	School	Grades
23K041	P.S. 41 Francis White	K-8
23K137	P.S./I.S. 137 Rachel Jean Mitchell	PK-8
23K150	P.S. 150 Christopher	K-5
23K155	P.S./I.S. 155 Nicholas Herkimer	PK-8
23K156	P.S. 156 Waverly	PK-5
23K165	P.S. 165 Ida Posner	PK-8
23K178	P.S. 178 Saint Clair Mckelway	PK-8
23K184	P.S. 184 Newport	PK-8
23K284	P.S. 284 Lew Wallace	PK-8
23K298	P.S. 298 Dr. Betty Shabazz	PK-5
23K323	P.S./I.S. 323	PK-8
23K327	P.S. 327 Dr. Rose B. English	PK-5,7-8
23K401	Christopher Avenue Community School	PK-5
23K446	Riverdale Avenue Community School	PK-5
23K599	Brooklyn Landmark Elementary School	PK-5

◆ Charter Schools

DBN	School	Grades
84K626	Achievement First Brownsville Charter School	K-10
84K711	Leadership Prep Brownsville Charter School	K-8
84K737	Brownsville Ascend Charter School	K-8
84K775	Leadership Prep Ocean Hill Charter School	K-12
84K790	Central Brooklyn Ascend Charter School	K-4

The mission of the P.S. 41 school community is to create a safe, positive learning environment for all children. Members of our community share a commitment to respect, responsibility, and the use of reason. We strive to meet the individual needs of all children, both academically and socially. With the support and involvement of parents and community members, we will nurture, educate, and empower our children to think critically, solve problems, and make positive choices.

Programs Offered

P.S. 41 FRANCIS WHITE

Program Code

23K041KG

School Information

Total Students: 499 | **Grades:** K-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: No

Address: 411 Thatford Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** No

Principal Name: Therese Siegel | **Email:** TSiegel@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7732 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K041

Subway: L to New Lots Ave; 3 to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B14, B15, B35, B60, B7, B8

Academics/Activities

Activities: SCO/Family Dynamics After-School Program

Partnerships: Community Partnerships: FirstStepNYC (operated by SCO Family of Services), Salvation Army, SCO Family Dynamics After-School, Brownsville Recreation Center

School Performance

 **11%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

 **10%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 **88%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 **87%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K041** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

P.S./I.S. 137 RACHEL JEAN MITCHELL

Program Code

23K137KG

School Information

Total Students: 295 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Please contact the school for more information. |

Extended Day Program: Please contact the school for more information.

Summer Session: Please contact the school for more information.

Weekend Program: Please contact the school for more information.

Address: 121 Saratoga Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11233 | **Shared Space:** No

Principal Name: Suzette Rose | **Email:** SRose8@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-453-2926 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K137

Subway: J to Halsey St; C to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B20, B25, B26, B47, B60, B7, Q24

School Performance

22% of students were proficient on the State English Test

21% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

92% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

95% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K137** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

P.S. 150 ensures that all scholars are prepared academically, socially, and emotionally for each subsequent grade through high school, ensuring that they are ultimately college and career ready.

Programs Offered

Program Code

P.S. 150 CHRISTOPHER

23K150KG

School Information

Total Students: 184 | **Grades:** K-5

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Please contact the school for more information.

Weekend Program: Please contact the school for more information.

Address: 364 Sackman Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Pamela Bradley Muchere | **Email:** PBradle2@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7746 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K150

Subway: L to Sutter Ave; 3 to Junius St

Bus: B12, B14, B60

Academics/Activities

Activities: Imani House After-School Program offers: Archery, Chess, Martial Arts, Steel Pan, Dance, Visual Arts

Sports: Scholars will engage in sports related activities via our physical education department

Partnerships: Brownsville Youth Association, Imani House, Brooklyn Arts Council, Mark Morris, The Leadership Program, Playworks

School Performance

 **10%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

 **11%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 **92%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 **90%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K150** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

The school's mission states that the community of P.S./I.S. 155 is committed to developing self-confident, socially responsible, and critically thinking citizens who can succeed in college and career in the global community of the 21st century.

Programs Offered

P.S./I.S. 155 NICHOLAS HERKIMER

Program Code

23K155KG

School Information

Total Students: 499 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: No

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 1355 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn NY 11233 | **Shared Space:** No

Principal Name: Michelle Manns | **Email:** MManns2@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-240-4340 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K155

Subway: C to Rockaway Ave; A, J, L, Z to Broadway Junction

Bus: B12, B20, B25, B60, B7, B83, Q24, Q56

Academics/Activities

Activities: Academic Extended Day, Recreational Sports, School Newsletter, Finance Club, Dance, Drama, Yearbook Committee, Grades 2-3 STEM

Sports: Basketball, Soccer, Track, Martial Arts, Flag Football

Partnerships: 21st Century Community Learning Center Program Partnership

School Performance

▶ **16%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

▶ **20%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

● **99%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

● **99%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K155** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

At P.S. 156, we establish and maintain a challenging and nurturing environment that is skills-based and arts-driven to produce well-rounded children.

Programs Offered

P.S. 156 WAVERLY

Program Code

23K156KG

School Information

Total Students: 751 | **Grades:** PK-5

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** No

Summer Session: No

Weekend Program: No

Address: 104 Sutter Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Beverly Logan | **Email:** BLogan2@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-498-2811 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K156

Subway: 3 to Sutter Ave-Rutland Road

Bus: B12, B14, B15, B45, B47, B60, B65, B7

Academics/Activities

Activities: African Drumming, Dance, Visual Arts, Martial Arts, Robotics, Photography, Academics

Sports: Basketball, Soccer

Partnerships: Community Works, Learning Leaders, CITE, Brooklyn District Attorney's Office, Community Counsel and Mediation, Oasis Children Services

School Performance

17% of students were proficient on the State English Test

18% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

94% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

96% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K156** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

The P.S./I.S. 165 school community provides a positive data-driven learning environment that is based on Common Core Learning Standards. We inspire and challenge our students to achieve academic excellence in all subject areas, to grow in respect for oneself and others, and to become leaders, record-breakers, and trendsetters.

Programs Offered

P.S. 165 IDA POSNER

Program Code

23K165KG

School Information

Total Students: 408 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 76 Lott Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** No

Principal Name: Jason Rivers | **Email:** ABonds@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7759 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K165

Subway: 3 to Saratoga Ave

Bus: B15, B35, B60, B7, B8

Academics/Activities

Activities: CHAMPS, Martial Arts, Stage Production, Saturday Academy, Enrichment Clubs

Sports: Basketball, Track

Partnerships: Partnership With Children

School Performance

 **20%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

 **13%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 **92%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 **91%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K165** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

Program Code

P.S. 178 SAINT CLAIR MCKELWAY

23K178KG

This school also serves students at 1784 Park Place in Brooklyn.

School Information

Total Students: 364 | Grades: PK-8

Uniform: Yes | Extended Day Program: Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Please contact the school for more information.

Address: 2163 Dean Street, Brooklyn NY 11233 | Shared Space: Yes

Principal Name: Joseph Henry | Email: JHenry1@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7768 | Website: schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K178

Subway: C to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B12, B14, B25, B45, B47, B60, B65, B7

School Performance

41% of students were proficient on the State English Test

32% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

97% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

98% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K178** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

P.S. 184 NEWPORT

Program Code

23K184KG

School Information

Total Students: 504 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 273 Newport Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** No

Principal Name: Lisa Caldwell Linder | **Email:** LLinder@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7775 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K184

Subway: L to New Lots Ave; 3 to Junius St

Bus: B14, B15, B35, B60, B8

Academics/Activities

Activities: Basketball, Flag Football, Martial Arts, Step, Dance, Creative Arts Institute, Drama Club, Morning Fitness, Community Services

Sports: Basketball, Football, Swimming, Volleyball, Step

Partnerships: Italian-American Civil Rights League After-School Program, BOKS-Reebok Morning Fitness Program, CHAMPS Sports-Team Sports, Mobile Response Team-Counseling and Crisis Intervention through Interborough Hospital, Instructional Leads-DOE Teacher Leadership Program, Learning Gardens-Science from the City Parks Foundation, Brownsville Community Center, Swimming Lessons, Legal Lives-Legal Education from Brooklyn District Attorney's Office, Mighty Milers-Running Program from NYC Road Runners, Student Success Mentors-Attendance Support, Council for Unity-Character Building

School Performance

▶ **17%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

▶ **14%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

● **97%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

● **97%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K184** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

We aim to continue our tradition of providing a family-centered environment that supports a solid academic foundation, is socially and culturally sophisticated, and prepares our students for 21st century colleges and careers.

Programs Offered

P.S. 284 LEW WALLACE

Program Code

23K284KG

School Information

Total Students: 535 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 213 Osborn Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Keva Pitts | **Email:** KPitts2@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7791 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K284

Subway: L to Sutter Ave; 3 to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B12, B14, B60, B7

Academics/Activities

Activities: 21st Century Program, Building Our Kids' Success (BOKS), CHAMPS

Sports: Basketball, Swimming

Partnerships: Brownsville Recreation Center (BRC)

School Performance

17% of students were proficient on the State English Test

13% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

96% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

97% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K284** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

At P.S. 298, our learning community works together to provide students with educational experiences that will make them masterful decision makers and problem solvers. We work with others to create a better world where our children will become future leaders.

Programs Offered

P.S. 298 DR. BETTY SHABAZZ

Program Code

23K298KG

School Information

Total Students: 216 | **Grades:** PK-5

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 85 Watkins Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Jonathan Dill | **Email:** JDill2@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7793 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K298

Subway: L to Sutter Ave

Bus: B12, B14, B25, B60, B7

Academics/Activities

Activities: Instrumental Music, Recorder, Keyboards, Folk Arts, Newspaper, Student Government, Hip-Hop, Videography, Peer Meditation

Sports: Basketball

Partnerships: Partnership with Children TEAM FIRST

School Performance

13% of students were proficient on the State English Test

7% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

93% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

95% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K298** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

P.S./I.S. 323

Program Code

23K323KG

School Information

Total Students: 443 | **Grades:** PK-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 210 Chester Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Linda Harris | **Email:** LHarris7@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7781 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K323

Subway: 3 to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B12, B14, B60, B7

Academics/Activities

Activities: Drama, Dance, Basketball, Double Dutch

Sports: Basketball, Double Dutch, Gymnastics, Swimming

Partnerships: BEACON OASIS

School Performance

21% of students were proficient on the State English Test

14% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

95% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

97% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K323** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

P.S. 327 DR. ROSE B. ENGLISH

Program Code

23K327KG

School Information

Total Students: 527 | **Grades:** PK-5, 7-8

Uniform: Yes | **Extended Day Program:** Yes

Summer Session: No

Weekend Program: Yes

Address: 111 Bristol Street, Brooklyn NY 11212 | **Shared Space:** Yes

Principal Name: Kimberly Chance Peart | **Email:** KChance@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-7801 | **Website:** schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K327

Subway: 3 to Rockaway Ave

Bus: B12, B14, B60, B7

Academics/Activities

Activities: Culinary Arts, Music, Technology, Robotics, Step, Dance, Fine Arts, Journalism, Social Media, Drama

Sports: Basketball, Double Dutch, Football, Martial Arts

Partnerships: YWCA, Ballet Tech, Pure Elements Italian American, 21st Century, Broadway Jr.

School Performance

 **8%** of students were proficient on the State English Test

 **8%** of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 **82%** of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 **80%** of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K327** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Programs Offered

Program Code

CHRISTOPHER AVENUE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

23K401KG

School Information

Total Students: 316 | Grades: PK-5

Uniform: Yes | Extended Day Program: Yes

Summer Session: Yes

Weekend Program: No

Address: 51 Christopher Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | Shared Space: Yes

Principal Name: Deon Mitchell | Email: DMitche5@schools.nyc.gov

Phone: 718-495-5761 | Website: schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K401

Subway: L to Atlantic Ave; A, C, J, Z to Broadway Junction

Bus: B12, B14, B20, B25, B60, B7, B83, Q24, Q56

Academics/Activities

Activities: After-School Arts Program

Partnerships: New York Cares

School Performance

 19% of students were proficient on the State English Test

 19% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 95% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 96% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K401** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

As a focused learning community, knowledge and self-improvement are our driving forces. We expect our students to constantly be learning, acquiring new skills, and encountering new experiences. Our staff works daily to provide students with these opportunities. We see parents as our partners, as they are their child's first teachers, and provide them with support. Teachers and staff work together to ensure that students engage in opportunities that address their individual strengths and areas of growth. Community partnerships provide students with broad experiences that help them grow into unique individuals.

Programs Offered

RIVERDALE AVENUE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Program Code

23K446KG

School Information

Total Students: 370 | Grades: PK-5

Uniform: Yes | Extended Day Program: No

Summer Session: No

Weekend Program: No

Address: 76 Riverdale Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11212 | Shared Space: Yes

Principal Name: Meghan Dunn | Email: info@riverdaleavenuebrooklyn.org

Phone: 718-485-1679 | Website: www.riverdaleavenuebrooklyn.org

Subway: 3 to Saratoga Ave

Bus: B15, B35, B47, B60, B7, B8

Academics/Activities

Activities: Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Chess-in-the-Schools, CookShop

Partnerships: Partnership with Children

School Performance

 30% of students were proficient on the State English Test

 20% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

 94% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

 94% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K446** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Brooklyn Landmark Elementary School empowers students to choose the voice and methods in which they learn. Scholars are given innovative, individualized instruction that addresses their unique learning styles, promotes character building, and enables students to contribute their ideas locally and globally. The Brooklyn Landmark experience guides scholars as they develop a sense of identity and purpose. Our scholars will inspire greatness in others by creating change through their own actions. By giving our scholars a voice in their learning, we are building the next foundation of critical-thinkers for the 21st century workplace.

Programs Offered

BROOKLYN LANDMARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Program Code

23K599KG

School Information

Total Students: 239 | Grades: PK-5

Uniform: Yes | Extended Day Program: Yes

Summer Session: No

Weekend Program: No

Address: 251 McDougal Street, Brooklyn NY 11233 | Shared Space: Yes

Principal Name: Robin Williams | Email: bklandmark@gmail.com

Phone: 718-443-2747 | Website: schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/23/K599

Subway: L to Bushwick-Aberdeen; J to Chauncey St; C to Rockaway Ave; A, Z to Broadway Junction

Bus: B12, B20, B25, B26, B60, B7, B83, Q24, Q56

Academics/Activities

Activities: Art, Music, Movement, One-on-One Tutoring, Readers Theater

Sports: Basketball, Soccer

Partnerships: Partnerships: CITYatwork (a program that provides school-based support in science and technology); Change for Kids (which provides a broad range of programming for students in literacy, the arts, health, and classroom support); Studio in a School (offers quality art workshops to children)

School Performance

69% of students were proficient on the State English Test

71% of students were proficient on the State Math Test

99% of parents are satisfied with their child's education

95% of parents feel their child is safe at the school

Search **23K599** at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school.

Brooklyn Charter Elementary Schools

This is a list of New York City elementary charter schools located in Brooklyn that serve elementary school students during the 2016-2017 school year. For current admissions information, please contact each school directly and learn more at schools.nyc.gov/Charters.

District 13

<input type="checkbox"/> Achievement First Endeavor Charter School	84K508
Address: 510 Waverly Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11238 Phone: 718-622-5994 Email: AFEndeavor@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: 56%	School Leader: Stephanie Keenoy (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 1002 Grades: K-12 State Math Proficiency: 69%
<input type="checkbox"/> Brooklyn Prospect Charter School	84K707
Address: 80 Willoughby Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11201 Phone: 718-722-7634 Email: info@brooklynprospect.org Website: www.brooklynprospect.org State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: Jumaane Saunders (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 929 Grades: K-4, 6-12 (School is expanding to serve grades K-12) State Math Proficiency: N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Partnership Charter School	84K702
Address: 241 Emerson Place, Brooklyn, NY, 11205 Phone: 718-399-3824 Email: info@cpcsschool.org Website: www.cpcsschool.org State English Proficiency: 21%	School Leader: Jubilee Mosley (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 471 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 26%
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Roots Charter School	84K536
Address: 51 Saint Edwards Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11205 Phone: 718-858-1629 Email: INFO@COMMUNITYROOTS.ORG Website: www.communityroots.org State English Proficiency: 57%	School Leader: Allison Keil (ES), Sara Stone (ES) Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 458 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 54%
<input type="checkbox"/> Compass Charter School	84K789
Address: 300 Adelphi Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11205 Phone: 718-310-3588 Email: info@brooklyncompass.org Website: brooklyncompass.org State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: Michelle Healy (ES), Brooke Peters (ES), Todd Sutler (ES) Authorizer: SED Total Students: 154 Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Leadership Prep Bedford Stuyvesant Charter School	84K517
Address: 141 Macon Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11216 Phone: 718-636-0360 Email: kbanks@leadershipprep.org ; ahigh@leadershipprep.org Website: www.leadershipprepbedstuy.uncommonschoools.org State English Proficiency: 56%	School Leader: Ishani Mehta (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 772 Grades: K-12 State Math Proficiency: 71%
<input type="checkbox"/> Success Academy Charter School - Fort Greene	84K752
Address: 101 Park Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11205 Phone: 646-790-2137 Email: info@successacademies.org Website: www.successacademies.org State English Proficiency: 85%	School Leader: Jennifer Loving Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 293 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 100%

The International Charter School of New York

84K766

Address: 55 Willoughby Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11201
Phone: 718-305-4199
Email: info@icsnyc.org
Website: www.icsnyc.org
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Ellen Borenstein
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 112
Grades: K-3 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

District 14**Beginning With Children Charter School II**

84K037

Address: 215 Heyward Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11206
Phone: 718-302-7700
Email: info@bwccs2.org
Website: www.bwccs2.org
State English Proficiency: 50%

School Leader: Esosa Ogbahon
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 254
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 79%

Brooklyn Charter School

84K701

Address: 545 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11206
Phone: 718-302-2085
Email: info@brooklyncharter.org
Website: www.brooklyncharter.org
State English Proficiency: 37%

School Leader: Omigbade Escayg
Authorizer: DOE
Total Students: 245
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 31%

Citizens of the World Charter School - New York 1 (Williamsburg)

84K689

Address: 424 Leonard Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11222
Phone: 718-384-1386
Email: info@cw-newyork.org
Website: www.cwc-williamsburg.org
State English Proficiency: 20%

School Leader: Meredith Cronk
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 276
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 29%

Success Academy Charter School - Bed-Stuy 1

84K367

Address: 70 Tompkins Avenue, 2nd Floor, Brooklyn, NY, 11206
Phone: 718-635-3294
Email: N/A
Website: www.successacademies.org
State English Proficiency: 96%

School Leader: Javeria Khan
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 477
Grades: K-6 (School is expanding to serve grades K-10)
State Math Proficiency: 100%

Success Academy Charter School - Bed-Stuy 2

84K125

Address: 211 Throop Avenue, 3rd Floor, Brooklyn, NY, 11206
Phone: 718-704-1439
Email: N/A
Website: www.successacademies.org
State English Proficiency: 86%

School Leader: Brittany Davis-Roberti
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 355
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 97%

Success Academy Charter School - NYC 6

84KTBD

Address: N/A
Phone: N/A
Email: N/A
Website: N/A
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: N/A
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: N/A
Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Success Academy Charter School - Williamsburg

84K182

Address: 183 South 3 Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11211
Phone: 718-704-1419
Email: N/A
Website: www.successacademies.org
State English Proficiency: 76%

School Leader: Abigail Johnson
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 432
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 95%

District 15

<input type="checkbox"/> Hellenic Classical Charter School	84K362
Address: 646 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11215 Phone: 718-499-0957 Email: Joy.Petrakos@hccs-nys.org Website: www.hccs-nys.org State English Proficiency: 65%	School Leader: Christina Tettonis Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 494 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 70%
<input type="checkbox"/> PAVE Academy Charter School	84K651
Address: 732 Henry Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11231 Phone: 718-858-7813 Email: info@paveschools.org Website: www.paveacademy.org State English Proficiency: 47%	School Leader: Hannah Prussin (ES) Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 500 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 50%
<input type="checkbox"/> Success Academy Charter School - Cobble Hill	84K129
Address: 284 Baltic Street, Basement, Brooklyn, NY, 11201 Phone: 718-704-1460 Email: N/A Website: www.successacademies.org State English Proficiency: 93%	School Leader: Kerri Nicholls Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 433 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 94%
<input type="checkbox"/> Success Academy Charter School - NYC 7	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A
District 16	
<input type="checkbox"/> Achievement First Charter School 10	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-7) State Math Proficiency: N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Achievement First Charter School 11	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-7) State Math Proficiency: N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Bedford Stuyvesant New Beginnings Charter School	84K782
Address: 82 Lewis Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11206 Phone: 718-453-1001 Email: contact@bsnbcs.org Website: www.bsnbcs.org State English Proficiency: 28%	School Leader: Silbia Pagan Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 599 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 22%
<input type="checkbox"/> Brooklyn Excelsior Charter School	84K731
Address: 856 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11221 Phone: 718-246-5681 Email: info@nhaschools.com Website: www.brooklynexcelsiorcharterschool.org State English Proficiency: 27%	School Leader: Dr. Christopher Petty Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 676 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 31%

Excellence Boys Charter School 84K593

Address: 225 Patchen Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11233
Phone: 718-638-1830
Email: fli@excellencecharter.org
Website: excellenceboys.uncommonschoools.org
State English Proficiency: 49%

School Leader: Kevin Hall (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 809
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 67%

Excellence Girls Charter School 84K712

Address: 794 Monroe Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: 718-638-1875
Email: sbrown@excellencecharter.org
aherndon@excellencecharter.org
Website: www.excellencegirls.uncommonschoools.org
State English Proficiency: 73%

School Leader: Nikki Bowen (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 724
Grades: K-12
State Math Proficiency: 77%

La Cima Charter School 84K649

Address: 800 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: 718-443-2136
Email: adel@lacimacharterschool.org
Website: www.lacimacharterschool.org
State English Proficiency: 32%

School Leader: Christiana Cavaliere
Authorizer: SED
Total Students: 425
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 31%

Success Academy Charter School - Bed Stuy 3 84K883

Address: 787 Lafayette Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: N/A
Email: N/A
Website: N/A
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Rita Deng
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: N/A
Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Teaching Firms of America-Professional Preparatory Charter School 84K406

Address: 616 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: 718-285-3787
Email: Info@tfoaprofessionalprep.org
Website: www.tfoaprofessionalprep.org
State English Proficiency: 38%

School Leader: Rafiq R. Kalam Id-Din II, Esq., Damien Dunkley
Authorizer: DOE
Total Students: 374
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 19%

District 17

Achievement First Crown Heights Charter School 84K356

Address: 790 East New York Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11203
Phone: 347-471-2580
Email: AFCrownHeights@achievementfirst.org
Website: www.achievementfirst.org
State English Proficiency: 40%

School Leader: Camilla Lopez (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 1016
Grades: K-12
State Math Proficiency: 57%

Citizens of the World Charter School - New York 2 (Crown Heights) 84K692

Address: 791 Empire Boulevard, Brooklyn, NY, 11213
Phone: 718-221-5095
Email: elisabeth.young@cw-newyork.org
Website: www.cw-newyork.org
State English Proficiency: 27%

School Leader: Liz Runco
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 285
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 27%

Explore Charter School 84K704

Address: 655 Parkside Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11226
Phone: 718-703-4484
Email: exploreboard@explorenetwork.org
Website: explorenetwork.org/schools/explore/
State English Proficiency: 31%

School Leader: Michal-Anne Jones, Kevin Mara
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 529
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 27%

Explore Empower Charter School

84K742

Address: 188 Rochester Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11213
Phone: 718-771-2090
Email: empowerboard@explorenetwork.org
Website: exploreschools.org/empower
State English Proficiency: 📈 27%

School Leader: Christina Cotter
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 505
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 📈 27%

Explore Enrich Charter School

84KTBD

Address: N/A
Phone: N/A
Email: N/A
Website: N/A
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: N/A
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: N/A
Grades: K (School is expanding to serve grades K-7)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Explore Exceed Charter School

84K333

Address: 443 Saint Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11238
Phone: 718-989-6702
Email: exceedboard@explorenetwork.org
Website: explorenetwork.org/exceed
State English Proficiency: 📈 18%

School Leader: Curtis Palmore
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 441
Grades: K-8 (School is expanding to serve grades K-7)
State Math Proficiency: 📈 20%

KIPP AMP Charter School

84K357

Address: 1224 Park Place, Brooklyn, NY, 11213
Phone: 718-943-3740
Email: mpozzi@kippnyc.org
Website: kippnyc.org
State English Proficiency: 📈 30%

School Leader: Emily Carroll-Chocolaad (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 787
Grades: K-12
State Math Proficiency: 📈 18%

Success Academy Charter School - Crown Heights

84K741

Address: 330 Crown Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11225
Phone: 646-790-2129
Email: N/A
Website: www.successacademies.org
State English Proficiency: 📈 98%

School Leader: Kristen Cipriano
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 359
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 📈 100%

Success Academy Charter School - Flatbush

84K886

Address: 15 Snyder Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11226
Phone: N/A
Email: N/A
Website: N/A
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Wintanna Abai
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: N/A
Grades: K-2 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Success Academy Charter School - Prospect Heights

84K756

Address: 760 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, NY, 11216
Phone: 646-790-2121
Email: N/A
Website: www.successacademies.org
State English Proficiency: 📈 85%

School Leader: Sydney Chernoff
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 332
Grades: K-5
State Math Proficiency: 📈 98%

District 18

Brooklyn Ascend Charter School	84K652
Address: 205 Rockaway Parkway, Brooklyn, NY, 11212 Phone: 718-907-9150 Email: elena.day@ascendlearning.org Website: www.ascendlearning.org State English Proficiency: 46%	School Leader: Johana Andujar , Melissa Cedeno, Marsha Gadsden Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 1165 Grades: K-11 State Math Proficiency: 50%
Canarsie Ascend Charter School	84K759
Address: 9719 Flatlands Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11236 Phone: 347-713-0100 Email: info@ascendlearning.org Website: www.ascendlearning.org State English Proficiency: 50%	School Leader: Anastasia Michals Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 424 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 56%
Cultural Arts Academy Charter School at Spring Creek	84K792
Address: 1400 Linden Boulevard, Brooklyn, NY, 11212 Phone: 718-683-3300 Email: caacs@caa-ny.org Website: culturalartsacademy.org State English Proficiency: 40%	School Leader: Dr. Laurie B. Midgette Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 275 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 24%
Explore Excel Charter School	84K379
Address: 1077 Remsen Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11236 Phone: 718-303-3245 Email: excelboard@explorenetwork.org Website: explorenetwork.org/excel State English Proficiency: 29%	School Leader: Karen Francois (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 490 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 44%
Leadership Prep Canarsie Charter School	84K724
Address: 1001 East 100th Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11236 Phone: 347-390-0570 Email: rweinholt@leadershipprep.org; mflynn@leadershipprep.org Website: www.leadershipprepcanarsie.uncommonschoools.org State English Proficiency: 24%	School Leader: Emily Hoefling Crouch (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 474 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 42%
New American Academy Charter School (The)	84K736
Address: 5800 Tilden Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11203 Phone: 718-968-6520 Email: matthew@thenewamericanacademy.org Website: tnaacs.org State English Proficiency: 16%	School Leader: Lisa Parquette Silva Authorizer: SED Total Students: 261 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 18%
New Hope Academy Charter School	84K797
Address: 475 East 57th Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11203 Phone: 718-337-8303 Email: Info@newhopeacademycharterschool.org Website: www.newhopebrooklyn.org State English Proficiency: 29%	School Leader: Tamika Stewart Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 382 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 35%
Success Academy Charter School - NYC 9	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A

District 19

Achievement First Apollo Charter School	84K774
Address: 350 Linwood Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11208 Phone: 347-471-2620 Email: media@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: 37%	School Leader: Jesse Balis-Harris (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 678 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 54%
Achievement First Aspire Charter School	84K680
Address: 982 Hegeman Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11208 Phone: 347-471-2055 Email: AFAspire@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: 46%	School Leader: Sarah Iannucci Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 375 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 60%
Achievement First East New York Charter School	84K358
Address: 557 Pennsylvania Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11207 Phone: 718-485-4924 Email: afupops@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: 47%	School Leader: Injy Carpenter (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 846 Grades: K-12 State Math Proficiency: 69%
Achievement First Linden Charter School	84K788
Address: 800 Van Sicken Ave, Brooklyn, NY, 11207 Phone: 347-471-2700 Email: AFLinden@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: Amanda Hageman Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 248 Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A
Brooklyn Scholars Charter School	84K740
Address: 2635 Linden Boulevard, Brooklyn, NY, 11208 Phone: 718-348-9360 Email: N/A Website: www.brooklynsscholarscharterschool.org State English Proficiency: 43%	School Leader: Desiree Kirton Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 674 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 47%
Explore Envision Charter School	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K (School is expanding to serve grades K-7) State Math Proficiency: N/A
Hyde Leadership Charter School - Brooklyn	84K769
Address: 330 Alabama Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11207 Phone: 718-495-5620 Email: info@hydebrooklyn.org Website: www.hydebrooklyn.org State English Proficiency: 32%	School Leader: Christine DePina Forbes Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 383 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 29%
Imagine Me Leadership Charter School	84K785
Address: 818 Schenck Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11207 Phone: 347-985-2140 Email: info@imlcs.org Website: www.IMLCS.org State English Proficiency: 44%	School Leader: Bevon Thompson Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 216 Grades: K-5 State Math Proficiency: 71%

District 21

Coney Island Preparatory Public Charter School	84K744
Address: 8787 24th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11214 Phone: 718-676-4755 Email: info@coneyislandprep.org Website: www.coneyislandprep.org State English Proficiency: 14%	School Leader: Juliana Bryansmith (ES) Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 780 Grades: K-2, 5-11 (School is expanding to serve grades K-12) State Math Proficiency: 24%

Success Academy Charter School - Bensonhurst	84K772
Address: 99 Avenue P, Brooklyn, NY, 11204 Phone: 347-514-7082 Email: N/A Website: www.successacademies.org State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: Jonathan Dant Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 245 Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A

District 22

Brooklyn Dreams Charter School	84K791
Address: 259 Parkville Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11230 Phone: 718-859-8400 Email: jmccarthy@nhaschools.com Website: Nhaschools.com State English Proficiency: 39%	School Leader: Omar Thomas Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 671 Grades: K-8 State Math Proficiency: 45%

Hebrew Language Academy Charter School	84K746
Address: 2186 Mill Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11234 Phone: 718-377-7200 Email: info@hlacharterschool.org Website: www.hlacharterschool.org State English Proficiency: 48%	School Leader: Peter Katcher Authorizer: DOE Total Students: 571 Grades: K-6 (School is expanding to serve grades K-8) State Math Proficiency: 61%

Success Academy Charter School - Bergen Beach	84K781
Address: 1420 East 68th Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11234 Phone: 347-817-2017 Email: N/A Website: www.successacademies.org State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: Jessica Johnson Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 251 Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A

Success Academy Charter School - NYC 10	84KTBD
Address: N/A Phone: N/A Email: N/A Website: N/A State English Proficiency: N/A	School Leader: N/A Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: N/A Grades: K-1 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5) State Math Proficiency: N/A

District 23

Achievement First Brownsville Charter School	84K626
Address: 2021 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11233 Phone: 347-471-2600 Email: AFBrownsville@achievementfirst.org Website: www.achievementfirst.org State English Proficiency: 43%	School Leader: Katherine Roger (ES) Authorizer: SUNY Total Students: 828 Grades: K-10 State Math Proficiency: 52%

Brownsville Ascend Charter School 84K737

Address: 1501 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11212
Phone: 347-294-2600
Email: info@ascendlearning.org
Website: www.ascendlearning.org
State English Proficiency: 48%

School Leader: Erica Murphy (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 909
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 45%

Central Brooklyn Ascend Charter School 84K790

Address: 465 East 29th Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11226
Phone: 917-246-4800
Email: frances.dewindt@ascendlearning.org
Website: www.ascendlearning.org
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Michelle Flowers
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 252
Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Leadership Prep Brownsville Charter School 84K711

Address: 985 Rockaway Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11212
Phone: 718-669-7461
Email: kdulay@leadershipprep.org; jshaad@leadershipprep.org
Website: www.leadershipprepbrownsville.uncommonschoools.org
State English Proficiency: 50%

School Leader: Celestina de la Garza (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 666
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 68%

Leadership Prep Ocean Hill Charter School 84K775

Address: 51 Christopher Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11212
Phone: 718-250-5767
Email: tmarlovits@uncommonschoools.org
Website: leadershipprepoceanhill.uncommonschoools.org
State English Proficiency: 75%

School Leader: Rachel King (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 701
Grades: K-12
State Math Proficiency: 82%

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Achievement First Bushwick Charter School 84K538

Address: 125 Covert Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11207
Phone: 347-471-2550
Email: AFBushwick@achievementfirst.org
Website: www.achievementfirst.org
State English Proficiency: 60%

School Leader: Stacey Park (ES)
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 1064
Grades: K-12
State Math Proficiency: 80%

Achievement First North Brooklyn Preparatory Charter School 84K784

Address: 200 Woodbine Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: 347-471-2690
Email: AFNorthBrooklynPrep@achievementfirst.org
Website: www.achievementfirst.org
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Elena Knappen
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 243
Grades: K-4 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A

Bushwick Ascend Charter School 84K793

Address: 751 Knickerbocker Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: 347-294-2500
Email: zelda.washington@ascendlearning.org; pascale.artamin@ascendlearning.org
Website: www.ascendlearning.org/schools/bushwick-ascend-lower
State English Proficiency: 30%

School Leader: Zeld Washington
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: 758
Grades: K-8
State Math Proficiency: 40%

Success Academy Charter School - Bushwick 84K882

Address: 139 Menahan Street, Brooklyn, NY, 11221
Phone: N/A
Email: N/A
Website: N/A
State English Proficiency: N/A

School Leader: Katherine Haves
Authorizer: SUNY
Total Students: N/A
Grades: K-2 (School is expanding to serve grades K-5)
State Math Proficiency: N/A



Borough	Districts	Family Welcome Center
Bronx	7, 9, 10	1 Fordham Plaza, 7th Floor Bronx, NY 10458
	8, 11, 12	1230 Zerega Avenue, Room 24 Bronx, NY 10462
Brooklyn	17, 18, 22	1780 Ocean Avenue, 3rd Floor Brooklyn, NY 11230
	20, 21	415 89th Street, 5th Floor Brooklyn, NY 11209
	19, 23, 32	1665 St. Mark's Avenue, Room 116 Brooklyn, NY 11233
	13, 14, 15, 16	29 Fort Greene Place, Basement (BS12) Brooklyn, NY 11217
Manhattan	1, 2, 4	333 Seventh Avenue, 12th Floor, Room 1211 New York, NY 10001
	3, 5, 6	388 West 125th Street, 7th Floor, Room 713 New York, NY 10027
Queens	24, 30	28-11 Queens Plaza North, 3rd Floor Long Island City, NY 11101
	25, 26	30-48 Linden Place, 2nd Floor Flushing, NY 11354
	27, 28, 29	90-27 Sutphin Boulevard, 1st Floor Jamaica, NY 11435
Staten Island	31	715 Ocean Terrace, Building A Staten Island, NY 10301

Key Dates



Information sessions
(sign up for the Kindergarten
Admissions email list or
call 718-935-2009
for dates and locations)



Application period opens



Application period closes



Offer letters sent to families



Pre-registration deadline

Action Steps

- Check if you live in District 23 by calling 311 or using School Search (schools.nyc.gov/SchoolSearch).
- Research choices in District 23 using this directory.
- Mark choices for your application. You can list up to 12 choices on your application.
- Complete your application online, by phone, or in person at a Family Welcome Center.

Online
schools.nyc.gov/ApplyOnline

Phone
718-935-2400

Family Welcome Center
See inside for locations

- Remember to submit your application by Friday, January 13, 2017.