

Jean Nuzzi I.S. 109 offers students the opportunity to thrive academically, socially and emotionally through a rigorous curriculum. Students will engage in Computer Science, STEAM, Creative Writing, Art, Dance, and Instrumental Music. Students will enroll in the specialized prep academy to prepare students for the NYC’s Specialized High Schools. Students will have access to both iPads and Chrome books in class. Teachers will communicate with parents via Skedula system. Students at I.S. 109 have the ability to take two regents exams, the Algebra 1 and Living Environment, while in middle school. Last year, 100% of our students who took the Algebra 1 regents and 99% who took the Living Environment regents passed the exam.

**Neighborhood:** Queens Village  
**Address:** 213-10 92<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Queens NY 11428  
**Shared Space:** No  
**Accessibility:** Not Accessible  
**Subway:** N/A  
**Bus:** Q1, Q110, Q27, Q36, Q43, Q88, X68

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**PROGRAMS OFFERED**

**Jean Nuzzi Intermediate School 109 Gifted & Talented Program** Program Code: **Q109M**

**Admissions Method:**  
 Composite Score

**Program Eligibility:** Open to students and residents of District 29

Prior Year Admissions	Applicants	Seats	Applicants Per Seat	Seats Filled
General Education	N/A	25	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	5	N/A	N/A

**Selection Criteria:** Academic and Personal Behaviors: 10% - Attendance: 10% - Final 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Report Card: 45% - New York State ELA Exam: 17.5% - New York State Math Exam: 17.5%

**PERFORMANCE**

- 96% of students passed core courses
- 35% of students scored at Level 3 or 4 on the State English Test
- 31% of students scored at Level 3 or 4 on the State Math Test
- 74% of students feel safe in the hallways, bathrooms, locker room, and cafeteria

Which high schools did students from this school most frequently attend?

- Martin Van Buren High School
- Benjamin N. Cardozo High School
- Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Education High School

Search **29Q109** at [schools.nyc.gov/accountability](https://schools.nyc.gov/accountability) for more about this school.

**SCHOOL LIFE**

**Total Students:** 1039 | **Grades:** 6-8  
**Community School:** No | **Uniform:** Yes  
**School Day:** 8am-2:20pm  
**Extended Day:** Yes  
**English Language Learner Program:** English as a New Language  
**Community Service:** Yes—Offered  
**Summer Session:** Yes—Academic support for certain students  
**Weekend Program:** Yes—Saturday program

**ACADEMICS**

**Language:** Spanish  
**Accelerated:** Algebra I, Living Environment, Spanish  
**Elective:** Art, Dance, Creative Writing, Instrumental Music, STEAM, Technology, Coding, 3D Printing and Robotics, National Foundation for Teaching Entrepreneurship (NFTE), Middle School Quality Initiative (MSQI) Debate and Thurgood Marshall Mock Trial

**ACTIVITIES**

Career Day, Debate with our local politicians, College Access for All, Art Club, Music Band, Community Service, Debate Team, STEAM Team, Robotics, SHSAT Prep, Track Club, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Trip to Medieval Times, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade day trip to Philadelphia, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade overnight trip to Washington DC  
**CHAMPS Sports—Coed:** Cross Country, Track and Field  
**Sports:** Basketball, Dance