

J.H.S. 189 provides opportunities for young people to be engaged in social action/community service projects. In this context, students identify problems as well as needs and seek solutions that make a difference. To that end, every person at J.H.S. 189 is involved in a year-long community service project. Giving back to the community is a core belief in our school’s culture. As a result, we have approximately 42 social action projects every year.

**ZONED SCHOOL**  
**Neighborhood:** Murray Hill  
**Address:** 144-80 Barclay Avenue, Queens NY 11355  
**Shared Building:** Yes—25Q189, 25Q263  
**Site Accessibility:** Not Accessible  
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**Bus:** Q12, Q13, Q15, Q15A, Q16, Q17, Q25, Q26, Q27, Q28, Q34, Q65, QM3

**PROGRAM ADMISSIONS**

| Program Name  | Code  | Admissions Method  | Prior Year Admissions |            |       |                     |              |
|---|-------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------|-------|---------------------|--------------|
|   |       |                    | Type                  | Applicants | Seats | Applicants Per Seat | Seats Filled |
| Daniel Carter Beard (J.H.S. 189)<br>Chinese Dual Language Program | Q189M | Screened: Language | GE                    | N/A        | 25    | N/A                 | N/A          |
|   |       |                    | SWD                   | N/A        | 5     | N/A                 | N/A          |

**Eligibility:** Open to students and residents of Queens  
**Preference is given to the following students:** English Language Learners (ELLs), Heritage Language Speakers of the target language, Participants of elementary school-level Dual Language and Transitional Bilingual Education programs in the target language.

**SCHOOL PERFORMANCE**

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| <b>95%</b> of students passed core courses                       | <b>18%</b> attend high school at Robert F. Kennedy Community High School | <b>87%</b> of students feel safe in the hallways, bathrooms, locker room, and cafeteria<br><br><i>Search 25Q189 at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school’s performance and demographics.</i> |
| <b>34%</b> of students were proficient on the State English Test | <b>17%</b> attend high school at Francis Lewis High School               |  |
| <b>48%</b> of students were proficient on the State Math Test    | <b>14%</b> attend high school at John Bowne High School                  |  |

**SCHOOL INFORMATION**

| SCHOOL LIFE  | COURSES  | ACTIVITIES   |
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| <b>Total Students:</b> 701<br><b>Grades:</b> 6-8<br><b>Community School:</b> No<br><b>School Day:</b> 8:05am-2:25pm<br><b>Uniform:</b> Yes<br><b>English Language Learner Program:</b> English as a New Language<br><b>Community Service:</b> No<br><b>Extended Day:</b> Yes<br><b>Summer Session:</b> No<br><b>Weekend Program:</b> Yes | <b>Language:</b> Korean, Spanish<br><b>Accelerated:</b> Algebra I, Earth Science | Guitar ■ Cooking Club ■ Beading Club ■ Chess Club ■ Movie Club<br><b>CHAMPS Sports—Coed:</b> Developmental Basketball, Fitness Club, Volleyball<br><b>Sports:</b> Basketball |