

Proposed Zone Changes Impacting P.S. 86 and P.S. 182 in District 28
Beginning in the 2016-2017 School Year

The New York City Department of Education (DOE) and the District 28 Community Education Council have identified a need to change the current zones for P.S. 86 and P.S. 182.

Why is the DOE proposing to make these zone changes?

- To create elementary and middle school zones for the new schools in new building Q314, located at 88-08 164th Street. The new school is opening for the 2015-2016 school year, however the proposed zones would be implemented for the 2016-2017 school year.
- To alleviate the overcrowding in the P.S. 182 and P.S. 86 kindergarten zones and eliminate the need to overflow students from P.S. 182 and P.S. 86

When would this zoning change be implemented?

- The proposed zone changes would take effect for the 2016-2017 school year.

What changes might District 28 families expect as a result of this proposed re-zoning?

- The map on the back shows the proposed zone line changes.

Who does this rezoning proposal impact?

- Incoming kindergarten students or students that are new to NYC schools in 2016-2017.
- All currently enrolled students at P.S. 86 and P.S. 182 may remain in their school.
- Sibling priority, as determined by CEC 28, may be applicable.

How will this rezoning change student enrollment and space at P.S. 86 and P.S. 182?

- P.S. 86's total enrollment is expected to remain stable. P.S. 86 currently serves 942 students and is planned to serve between 810-950 students. The building utilization is approximately 124% and will be approximately 115%-125%.¹
- P.S. 182's total enrollment is expected to decrease from approximately 935 students to 750-890 students. The building utilization will decrease from 124% to 105%-115%.

How will this re-zoning decision be made?

- The DOE-proposed zoning changes will be officially presented to the District 28 CEC at a public meeting on April 16, 2015.
- The CEC collects community feedback.
- The CEC is responsible for approving zoning changes. CEC 28 anticipates voting on this proposal during their May 7, 2015 meeting.

Where can I get more information?

- The presentation materials that were shared during the April 16th meeting can be found on the DOE Web site on the day following the presentation:
<http://schools.nyc.gov/community/planning/changes/queens/feedback?id=683>

¹ Due to a rezoning and grade reconfiguration implemented in the 2011-2012 school year, P.S. 86 currently has smaller cohorts on upper grades than on lower grades. This rezoning proposal will allow P.S. 86's enrollment to remain stable across grades and for the school to better accommodate zoned students.



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Whom can I contact with questions or comments about the proposal?

- Community Superintendent, Mabel Sarduy: MSarduy@schools.nyc.gov or (718) 592-3357
- CEC 28: CEC28@schools.nyc.gov
- Office of District Planning: QueensZoning@schools.nyc.gov

Where can I go for more information on zoning and admissions?

- The Office of Student Enrollment website: <http://schools.nyc.gov/ChoicesEnrollment/Elementary/default.htm>
- To find out what your current zoned school is, use the School Search tool: <http://schools.nyc.gov/schoolsearch/>

Proposed Zones (2016-2017):

The yellow shape represents the current zone for P.S. 86 and the purple shape represents the current zone for P.S. 182. The black outline represents the proposed new zone boundaries. If this proposal is approved, starting in 2016-2017, the new school's zone is the shape outlined in black. All zone lines run down the center of the street with the exception of 164th Street between Hillside Avenue and 89th Avenue, which includes both sides of the street.

