

The vision at John J. Pershing is to foster a school community where students meet high performance standards through the support of staff and parents. Therefore, we are committed to supporting all our students in reaching high academic standards through academic excellence, self-discipline, individual competence, strong personal values, and respect for all school community members.

DISTRICT SCHOOL
Neighborhood: Sunset Park
Address: 4812 9th Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11220
Shared Building: No
Site Accessibility: Not Accessible
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■ PROGRAM ADMISSIONS

Program Name	Code	Admissions Method	Prior Year Admissions				
			Type	Applicants	Seats	Applicants Per Seat	Seats Filled
John J. Pershing (J.H.S. 220) Spanish Dual Language Program	K220M	Screened: Language	GE	N/A	27	N/A	N/A
			SWD	N/A	3	N/A	N/A

Eligibility: Open to students and residents of Brooklyn
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

98% of students passed core courses	16% attend high school at Fort Hamilton High School	78% of students feel safe in the hallways, bathrooms, locker room, and cafeteria <i>Search 20K220 at schools.nyc.gov/accountability for more about this school's performance and demographics.</i>
22% of students were proficient on the State English Test	14% attend high school at Sunset Park High School	
40% of students were proficient on the State Math Test	10% attend high school at New Utrecht High School	

■ SCHOOL INFORMATION

SCHOOL LIFE	COURSES	ACTIVITIES
Total Students: 1,435 Grades: 6-8 Community School: No School Day: 8am-2:20pm Uniform: No English Language Learner Program: English as a New Language, Transitional Bilingual Education: Chinese Community Service: Yes—Offered Extended Day: Yes Summer Session: No Weekend Program: No	Language: Spanish Accelerated: English, Spanish, Algebra I, Living Environment Elective: Morning and After-School Academic Success Programs for Social Studies, Science, ELA, and Math	Pupil Path ■ Broadway Jrs. ■ Chess ■ Dance ■ Homework Help ■ ARISTA Honor Society ■ Mouse Squad ■ Chorus ■ Guitar ■ Painting ■ Model UN ■ Mentorship Program with Maimonides Hospital ■ NY Historical Society ■ Morgan Library ■ Arts Connection ■ Story Studio/Urban Arts Partnership ■ Read for The Record ■ Buddy Read Partnership with P.S. 160 ■ myON Literacy Program ■ Science Fair ■ Respect For All ■ Career Day CHAMPS Sports—Coed: Floor Hockey, Soccer Sports: Basketball, Flag Football, Floor Hockey