



**Description of Zone Changes for
P.S. 160, P.S. 105, P.S. 164, P.S. 180 & P.S. 69
in Effect for 2012-13 School Year**

On December 14th, 2011 Community Education Council 20 voted to change the current zones for P.S. 160, P.S. 105, P.S. 164, P.S. 180 and P.S. 69. The approved zone changes for the 2012-13 school year may be found in the maps provided below.

Why did the CEC approve this zone change?

- P.S. 69 and P.S. 105 are overcrowded schools, both of which have historically capped their kindergarten sections. Using the new seat capacity of the annex at P.S. 160 along with the additional enrollment support achieved by expanding the current zones of P.S. 164 and P.S. 180 will aid alleviation at P.S. 69 and P.S. 105.

What changes should families expect as a result of this re-zoning?

- By redrawing the zone lines of these five schools, the Department of Education (“DOE”) estimates that approximately two fewer classes of incoming Kindergarten students will be zoned to attend P.S. 69 and approximately one less class of incoming Kindergarten students will be zoned to attend P.S. 105 each year beginning in the 2012-2013 school year. These students will instead be zoned to attend P.S. 160, P.S. 164 and P.S. 180.

What will this mean for my family?

- The proposed changes would impact only incoming Kindergarten students or students that are new to the system. All currently enrolled students may remain at their school. As stated in Chancellor’s Regulation A-101, Kindergarten students would be admitted in the following order of priority:
 - *First Priority.* Zoned students with verified siblings who will be enrolled in grades 1-5 in the school as of September 2012.
 - *Second Priority.* Zoned students without siblings applying to the zoned school
 - *Third Priority.* Non-zoned students with verified siblings who will be enrolled in grades 1-5 in the school as of September 2012:
 - a. Within district first, then
 - b. Out of district
 - *Fourth Priority.* Non-zoned students without siblings:
 - a. Within district first, then
 - b. Out of district

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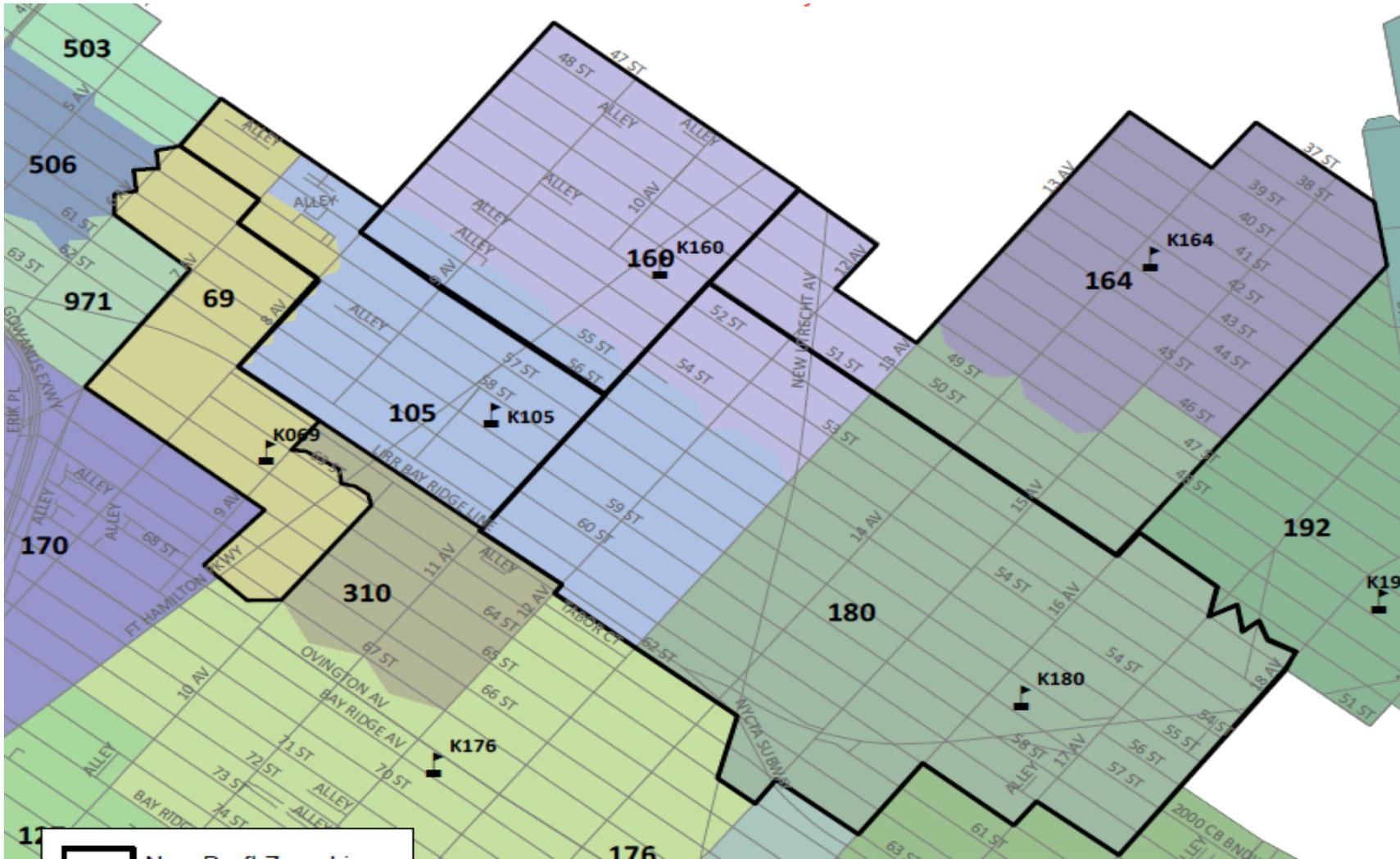
*Current in zone siblings who would be zoned out based on the proposed lines will be grandfathered as an in-zone sibling.

Where can I go for more information?

- Website: <http://schools.nyc.gov/ChoicesEnrollment/Elementary/Enrollment+Information.htm>
- Phone Number: 718-935-2009

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The solid black lines below represent the new zone lines in effect for 2012-2013:





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