

## Proposed Phase-out and Replacement: Enrollment Information for Elementary School Families

### Overview

If the proposal to phase out P.S. 019 is approved, all currently enrolled students will have the opportunity to continue their education in the same school building, at P.S. 019 or at a new elementary school that is proposed to open in September 2012.

### Grades 2 – 5

- Current fifth grade students will have the opportunity to graduate from P.S. 019 at the end of this school year and will participate in the Middle School Choice process for next year.
- Current second, third and fourth grade students will remain at P.S. 019 until the end of the school year and then will continue on to the next grade level at P.S. 019 in September 2012; these students can remain at P.S. 019 through graduation.

### Kindergarten - Grade 1

- If your child will be in first or second grade in September 2012, your child will be assigned to the new school that is proposed to open in the P.S. 019 building.
- Students who are zoned to P.S. 019 will enroll in kindergarten at the new school.
- The new school will only serve pre-k, kindergarten, first and second grade in the first year and will add one grade per year over the next three years.

### Transferring to another school

#### Can my child transfer to another school?

All students should remain in their current school until the end of the school year. If you have a hardship issue, meet with your child's guidance counselor or parent coordinator to find out about required documentation for transfer requests. There is no guarantee for a transfer.

#### If I apply for a transfer for my child, do I get to choose the school?

You may express a preference when you request a transfer, but transferring to a requested school may not be possible. Transfers will be offered based upon available seats.

### Promotion Policy

- If your child is not promoted at the end of this school year, he or she will remain in the same grade and will be served in this school building.
- Students in grades K-2 will be served by the new elementary school; students in grades 3-5 will be served by P.S. 019.

### Questions

If you have questions, speak with your child's principal, guidance counselor or parent coordinator. If you are not able to reach staff members at your child's school, call 311.