



Amended Notice
December 16, 2009

Joel I. Klein
Chancellor

Educational Impact Statement

I. Description of the subject and purpose of the proposed item under consideration.

In the 2010-2011 school year, Frederick Douglass Academy III Secondary School (09X517, "FDA III"), an existing school serving grades 6-12, will implement a grade reconfiguration plan to change its current grade configuration to 9-12. FDA III is housed in school building X148 (hereinafter referred to as "X148"), located at 3630 Third Avenue, Bronx in Community School District 9 ("District 9"). FDA III is currently co-located with two other schools, KAPPA (09X215, "KAPPA") and I.S. 219 (09X219, "I.S. 219"). X148 has a capacity of 1,534 and its historical utilization rate is 90%.

Beginning in 2010-2011, FDA III will gradually eliminate its middle school grades. Grade 6 will be eliminated in 2010, grade 7 will be eliminated in 2011, and grade 8 will be eliminated in 2012. District 9 will continue to have sufficient seats to serve its middle school students with the truncation of FDA III. At this time, there are no plans to site another school or program in the space made available in X148 by the grade reconfiguration of FDA III. This proposal will allow resources currently allocated to FDA III's middle grades seats to be repurposed and for middle school students to be served in existing high quality District 9 middle schools.

II. Information regarding where the full text of the proposed item may be obtained.

The [Educational Impact Statement](http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Dec+2+2009+-+Jan+25+2010.htm) can be found on the Department of Education's Web site: <http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Dec+2+2009+-+Jan+25+2010.htm>

III. Submission of public comment

Written comments can be sent to D09Proposals@schools.nyc.gov.

Oral comments can be left at 718-935-4158.

IV. The name, office, address, email and telephone number of the city district representative, knowledgeable on the item under consideration, from whom information may be obtained concerning the item.

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V. Date, time and place of joint public hearing for this proposal.

January 6, 2010 at 6:00pm
3630 Third Avenue, Bronx

There will be no question and answer period. Questions about the proposal can be directed as indicated in section IV above.

Speaker sign-up will begin 30 minutes before the hearing and will close 15 minutes after the start.

VI. Date, time and place of the PEP meeting at which the Board will vote on the proposed item.

January 26, 2010
6:00pm
Brooklyn Technical High School
29 Fort Greene Place, Brooklyn