



**Department of  
Education**

*Dennis M. Walcott, Chancellor*

## Notice of Public Hearing for Charter School Renewal

**Date:** Tuesday, August 28, 2012

**Time:** Speaker Registration: 6:00 PM – 6:30 PM  
Presentation, Comments, and Questions: 6:30 PM

**Location:** La Cima Elementary Charter School  
800 Gates Avenue, 3rd Floor  
Brooklyn, NY 11221

**Event :** This public hearing is open to anyone interested in learning about the proposed renewal of La Cima Elementary Charter School.

<b>Name of Charter School</b>	La Cima Elementary Charter School
<b>Terms and Dates of School's Charter</b>	January 14, 2008 – January 14, 2013
<b>Current Grade(s) and Approved Enrollment</b>	2012 - 2013 Grades: K-5; 480 Students
<b>Current Year of Operation</b>	2012-2013: 5thYear of Operation
<b>District of Location</b>	NYC CSD #16
<b>School Summary</b>	The mission of La Cima Elementary Charter School is to prepare our students for academic and life-long success through a rigorous and relevant academic program.

This school is authorized by the New York State Board of Regents. If the New York State Board of Regents declines to renew the school's charter, the school will close at the conclusion of the current charter term. More information can be accessed at: [www.schools.nyc.gov/charters](http://www.schools.nyc.gov/charters) .

The DOE seeks comments from students, parents, and community members regarding this proposed charter school renewal. Speakers must register within 30 minutes of the hearing's start time.

Written comments will also be collected at the hearing, and can be emailed to the DOE at [charterschools@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:charterschools@schools.nyc.gov) or faxed to 212-374-5761 within 48 hours after the hearing's close.

Pursuant to Education Law 2857(1), the New York City Department of Education is required to hold a public hearing to solicit comment from the community in connection with any renewal proposal for a charter school.

