



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 07

P.S. 127

PS 127 MCKINLEY PARK

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 405

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

Our school's mission is to provide a nurturing and supportive educational experience for each and every child. Our students will be empowered to BELIEVE in themselves, ACHIEVE their fullest potential and SUCCEED in meeting high standards of EXCELLENCE.

Principal's Statement

PS 127 is an exciting place to learn. We are a "child-centered" community of learners. Our goal is to provide each child with a strong academic, social and emotional foundation that will prepare and motivate him /her to seek further knowledge by being a lifelong learner. We present our students with a standards-based, challenging curriculum in a nurturing environment. We encourage our parents to be our partners in educating the children. Our teachers and administration seek the best for our students through on-going professional development and implementation of innovative educational programs.

Special Academic Programs

Students participate in a balanced literacy program, Everyday Mathematics and instruction from specialists in science, music, visual arts, dance and technology. Mobile/wireless laptop computer labs provide internet access to all students and staff. We are part of the Teachers' College Collaborative Community of Practice.

Extracurricular Activities

Students participate in many contests throughout the year. Students are learning to play the electronic keyboard in our music lab and many sing in our school chorus. Our school is a peaceful place because we all participate in the Competent Kids, Caring Classrooms program.

Community Support

Our school family actively participates in activities sponsored by the Bay Ridge Community Council. Partnerships with cultural arts institutions enhance our arts and parent involvement programs. Students, staff and our families support fundraising drives for the needy (Penny Harvest, holiday food drives) and other community concerns.

Parent/School Support

PTA has monthly meetings, runs fund-raising activities and conducts many fun activities for students. Our Parent Coordinator interacts with parents on a daily basis attending to their needs and inquiries. Parents actively participate in our School Leadership Team, Title One Parent Committee and Conversation Club.

2006-07 School Accountability Status:

In Good Standing

This school received Title I Funding in:

2004-05: NO; 2005-06: NO; 2006-07: YES

The Division of Assessment and Accountability (DAA) compiled this report primarily from central databases and information provided by this school's principal. Throughout the report, N/A indicates that information was not available or did not apply to this school. The 2005-2006 Annual School Report is a supplement to the New York State Education Department's School Report Card for New York City Schools. Consult the Parent Guide for an explanation of the data in this report. Other DAA reports can be obtained online at www.nyc.gov/daa.

STUDENTS

Involved In Police Department Incidents

The total enrollment in this consolidated location is 405 students. Please keep this number in mind as you review the numbers of incidents.

	This school	Consolidated Locations	Similar Size schools
Major Crimes			
Property Crimes	0		0.2
Crimes Against Persons	0		0.1
Other Crimes	0		1.4
Non- Criminal	0		2.3

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 251-500 students.

<http://schools.nyc.gov/ourschools/schoolsafety.htm>

Recent Immigrants*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	11.2	9.6	7.4
Similar schools	10.3	8.8	6.2
City schools	9.2	8.4	6.5

* Students enrolled as of Oct. 31, 2005 who immigrated to the U.S. within the last three years.

Recent Immigrants' Place of Birth

Percent of students	2006
EGYPT	1.2
YEMEN	1
ALBANIA	0.7

Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	N/A	N/A	N/A
Gender Female	N/A	N/A	N/A
Part-time Special Education	N/A	N/A	N/A
Full-time Special Education	N/A	N/A	N/A
ELL	N/A	N/A	N/A
Over-age for grade	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percent eligible for free lunch	N/A	N/A	N/A
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mathematics (tested only)	N/A	N/A	N/A

* This information is for the students who were on register as new 9th and 10th graders on October 31, 2005 and came from another school.

* Not applicable to elementary and middle schools

Admission to Other Schools in September 2005

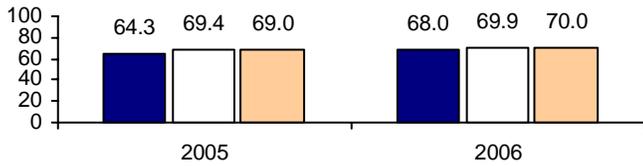
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
JHS 259 WILLIAM MCKINLEY	K	20	259	22	25.6
JHS 201 THE DYKER HEIGHTS	K	20	201	18	20.9
PS 104 THE FORT HAMILTON	K	20	104	11	12.8

* Leavers are students who left their school for any reason.

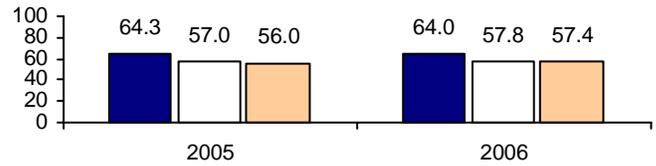
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

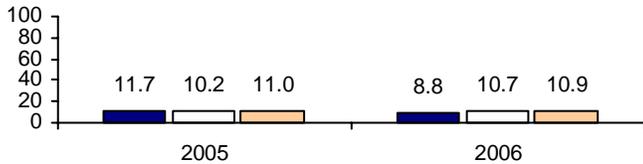
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



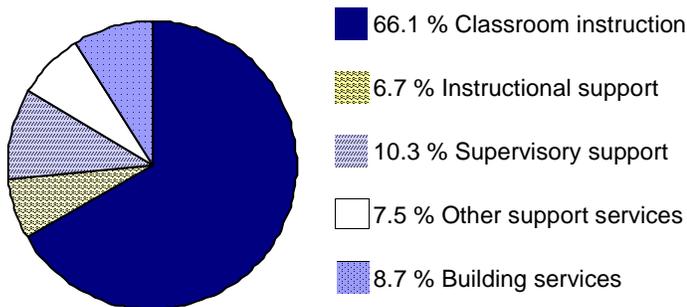
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$9,177	\$10,461	N/A
Similar schools	\$10,848	\$11,708	N/A
City schools	\$11,608	\$12,511	N/A

Note: The state calculation of school expenditures per student for direct and indirect services in 2004 was \$12,896 for all New York City schools. An average of \$13,085 was calculated for all New York State schools including those in New York City.

How money was spent in this school in 2005 (Direct Services Only)



0.6% is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	110.1	108.4	99.8
Similar schools	90.2	87.6	87.5
City schools	87.1	84.8	82.8

*When over 100%, school has exceeded official capacity.