



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 09

P.S./I.S. 51

PS 051 ELIAS HOWE

New York City Public Schools
Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 321

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

P.S. 51 is dedicated to meeting the needs of our diverse and rich multicultural student population. We are a community of learners where all children are encouraged to celebrate their diversity and achieve academic and social success. Parents are our partners in the education of our children. P.S. 51 uses a balanced literacy program, TERC math curriculum, rich science, social studies and physical education curriculum aligned with state standards. We partner with the Teacher's College Reading and Writing Project. Students participate in art, music, science and computer education with teachers who have expertise in these content areas. We have many art partners with community based organizations. They are Turtle Bay Music School, City Lights Theatre, Rosie's Broadway Kids, and American Ballroom Dancing.

Principal's Statement

P.S. 51 was chosen as one of the 209 exempt schools on the Chancellor's List in 2002-2003 because of the schools academic growth over the last few years. We were named a No Child Left Behind Blue Ribbon School in 2004. We are a small Pre-K - 5 school with a nurturing environment. We strive to have all children meet standards through various learning approaches. We partner with Teacher's College Reading and Writing Project. We provide a nurturing learning environment where each student is supported to reach his/her highest potential. We believe that children learn best when the curriculum is engaging, creative and integrated across the content areas.

Special Academic Programs

Extended day literacy and math program; Reading Recovery; Reading volunteers with Everybody Wins! Power Lunch, America Reads Tutors; Random House Adopt-a-School Program; Student Teachers from several colleges, & Learning Leader volunteers. Academic Intervention Programs in school- Great Leaps, Wilson, small group instruction's.

Extracurricular Activities

Project Omnibus - Substance Abuse and Prevention Intervention; Health and Hygiene Class; Conflict Mediation/Peer Mediator Program.

Community Support

Bellevue Hospital, City Lights Youth Theater, American Ballroom Dance, Learning Leaders, Turtle Bay Music School, Everybody Wins, Learning Leaders, Ryan Chelsea/Clinton Health Center, the Clinton Chronicle, St. Clement's and Hartley House Afterschool Programs, Rosie's Broadway Kids, Abundant Waters Afterschool Program, United Parcel Service.

Parent/School Support

Involvement in PTA meetings, School Leadership Team, fundraising, class trips, library, lunch, and volunteers. Workshops in parenting skills, literacy and math. Outreach to social agencies for family crises are provided by Bellevue School-Based Health Clinic.



2006-07 School Accountability Status:

In Good Standing

This school received Title I Funding in:

2004-05: YES; 2005-06: YES; 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 321 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

No separate data is available for this school. Multiple schools are found at a single address, and the incident data have been consolidated so that the same data are reported for all those schools. These schools are included in this consolidated location: ELIAS HOWE JHS|PS 051 ELIAS HOWE, Similar-Sized 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	13.4	12.7	10.3
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
CHINA	3.4
YEMEN	1.9
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0.9

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

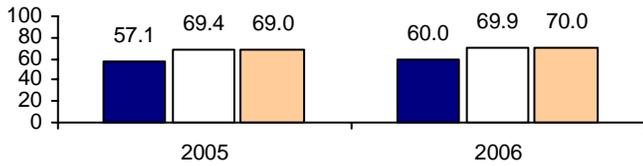
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
GREENWICH VILLAGE	M	02	896	11	19.6
LEGACY SCHOOL FOR INTEGR	M	02	429	6	10.7
JHS 104 SIMON BARUCH	M	02	104	5	8.9

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

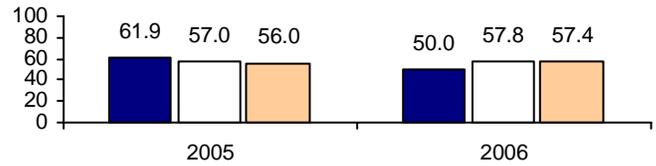
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

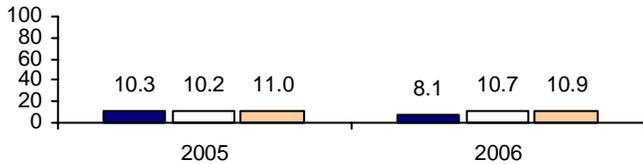
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



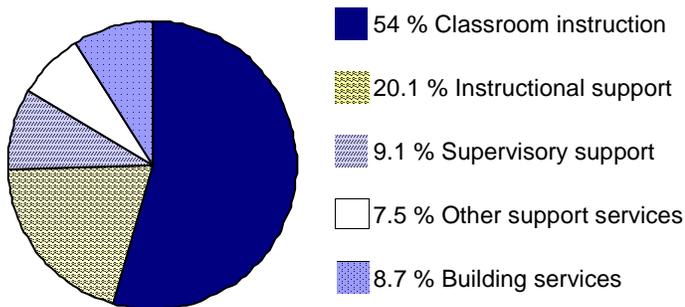
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$10,845	\$12,702	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	106.8	115.0	97.6
Similar schools	90.2	87.6	87.5
City schools	87.1	84.8	82.8

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