



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 04

P.S. 88

PS 088 SENECA

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 1,093

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

P.S. 88 is committed to the education of the whole child so that he/she may become a literate, responsible, self-sufficient contributing citizen of the immediate community and the world at large.

Principal's Statement

P. S.88 is truly a United Nations, more than 1000 children represent 30 nationalities and languages. Our diversity teaches our students to celebrate differences, and helps makes us a very special educational institution. P.S. 88 boasts of a state-of-the-art computer lab and early childhood center. P.S. 88 has been recognized for excellence in education by the CSA and PEA as well as by local political activists and community-based organizations. We boast of a wide and varied arts-in-education program and a Consultant Team Teaching program for special needs children. We have been awarded many grants to support our programs.

Special Academic Programs

Gifted Program, peer tutoring, computer instruction, enrichment & reading incentive programs; arts in education with Lincoln Center, American Ballroom Theater, Guggenheim Museum, Bakers Unlimited and Crafts Assembly Programs and Morning ESL Test Prep.

Extracurricular Activities

During the 2004-2005 school year, this school's non-academic activities included: Informal conflict resolution programs, Chorus, SCRABBLE Club, Future Lawyers' Club, School Newspaper and Card Connections.

Community Support

Our partnerships included: Bronx Zoo, Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, New York City Opera, the NYC School Volunteers Program, Guggenheim Museum, Museum of Television and Radio, Teachers and Writers Collaborative, NYC Ballet, and Washington Mutual.

Parent/School Support

P.S. 88's Parent-Teacher Association actively participates in and supports activities at our school. Its members are committed to enriching the lives of all of P.S. 88's students and are dedicated to its faculty. Fund Raisers including a book fair and holiday bazaar help raise monies to support our Drug Free Field Day.

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 1093 students. Please keep this number in mind as you review the numbers of incidents.

This school	Consolidated Locations	Similar Size schools
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Major Crimes

Property Crimes	0	0.7
Crimes Against Persons	0	0.5
Other Crimes	0	4.9
Non- Criminal	0	7.0

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 1001-1250 students.

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

Recent Immigrants*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	14.9	12.1	6.5
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
POLAND	2.3
ECUADOR	1
ALBANIA	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

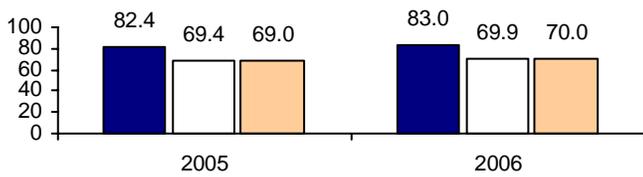
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
IS 077	Q	24	077	83	36.9
IS 093 RIDGEWOOD	Q	24	093	46	20.4
IS 119 THE GLENDALE	Q	24	119	46	20.4

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

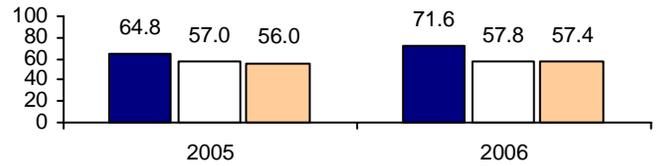
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

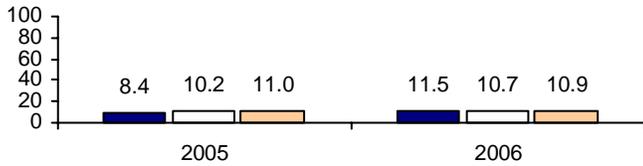
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



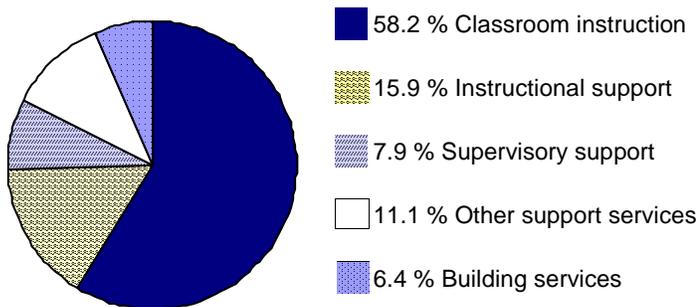
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$11,254	\$12,772	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)



0.5 % is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	101.5	102.8	83.6
Similar schools	90.2	87.6	87.5
City schools	87.1	84.8	82.8

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