



# 2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

## Region 05

## P.S. 108

### PS 108 CAPT. VINCENT G. FOWLER

New York City Public Schools  
Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 1,346

Students on May 1, 2006:

### School Mission Statement

*We believe our students can meet the highest standards of excellence. It is our responsibility to engage all of our students in active and productive activities. Our goal is to develop an atmosphere which stresses and enhances an appreciation, as well as knowledge, of cultures and values. This school, in partnership with the home, will address the physical, intellectual, emotional and social growth of all our children.*

### Principal's Statement

P.S. 108Q, is a large multi-cultural school that is committed to meeting the educational and social needs of our students. Programs are designed to support standards-based instruction, with an emphasis on developing critical thinking skills. Programs are designed to provide children with specific instructional strategies to achieve their highest potential. A supportive and nurturing environment fosters an atmosphere for teaching and learning. Special programs include: Band, Violin, Keyboards, Recorders, Tennis, Cricket, Basketball, Math Club, Ballroom Dancing, Drama & Technology programs: Think Quest, WebQuest, and variety of specialized parent workshops.

### Special Academic Programs

Special Academic Programs include: Research-Based Programs: Wilson Foundations, Kaplan, Recipe For Reading, Soar to Success, Reading Street, Developmental Studies, Mondo, Student Growth Mondo, Dibels (ECLAS), Everyday Math, Essential Strategies Math/Literacy, LeapFrog Literacy, Playstations, Title 2D Laptops and

### Extracurricular Activities

After-school programs include: Intensive Reading/Writing/Math instruction for Grade K-5 students. Specialized Clubs: Technology, Art, Drama, Tennis, Cricket, Basketball, Recorders, Violin, Keyboard, Math Club

### Community Support

Partnership included: New York Junior Tennis League, CASA Theatre, Title 2D, Leap Frog, Western Australia Cricket Association, New York Cares, Liberty Avenue Merchant Group and New York City Fire Dept and, including Home Depot and other local agencies.

### Parent/School Support

Parent activities include PTA meetings and participation in the School Leadership Team. We offer parents ongoing workshops in literacy, math and parenting skills. Our workshops are well attended and are conducted by our Parent Coordinator, staff members, and outside organizations: EPIC, Cornell University. Adult ESL classes

### 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](http://www.nyc.gov/daa).

# STUDENTS

## Involved In Police Department Incidents

The total enrollment in this consolidated location is 1346 students. Please keep this number in mind as you review the numbers of incidents.

	This school	Consolidated Locations	Similar Size schools
<b>Major Crimes</b>			
Property Crimes	2		0.8
Crimes Against Persons	0		0.5
Other Crimes	0		6.7
Non- Criminal	0		12.3

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 1251-1500 students.

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

## Recent Immigrants\*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	14.9	14.0	11.8
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
GUYANA	6.5
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	2.5
INDIA	0.4

## 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

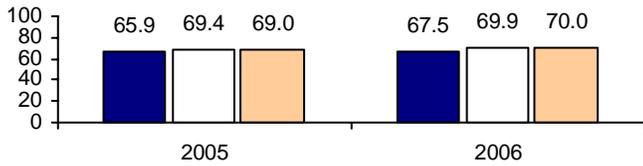
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
MS 137 AMERICA'S SCHL OF H	Q	27	137	164	62.6
JHS 226 VIRGIL I GRISSOM	Q	27	226	16	6.1
PS 124 OSMOND A CHURCH	Q	27	124	10	3.8

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

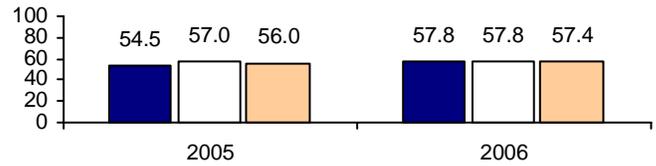
# SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

## TEACHERS

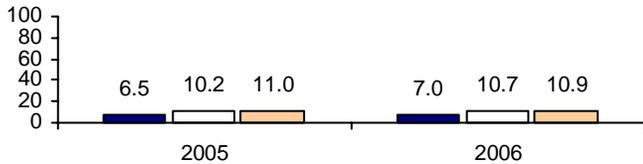
**Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School**



**Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere**



**Average Days Absent**



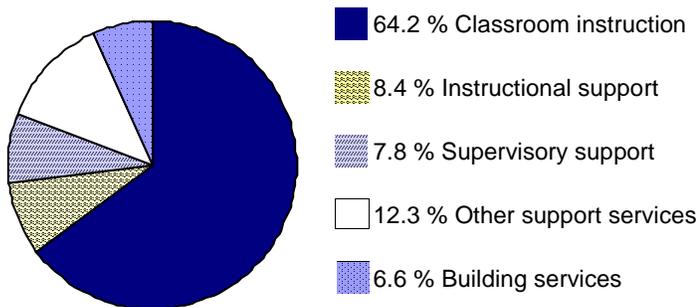
## SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

**Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)**

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$8,994	\$9,372	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)**



0.7% is used for District Support.

## OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

**School Capacity**

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	94.4	93.6	93.1
Similar schools	90.2	87.6	87.5
City schools	87.1	84.8	82.8

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