



# 2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

## Region 04

## H.S. 445

### WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT HIGH SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 3,516

Students on May 1, 2006:

#### School Mission Statement

*The William Cullen Bryant High School Community educates the whole child in an environment that is the least restrictive and the most inclusive. We believe instruction involves teaching young people from varied academic, social, and English proficiency levels. Instruction should nurture talent, encourage leadership, and foster mutual respect. Our high expectations are supported by a rich and diverse community, parental involvement, many academic institutions of higher learning, major corporations, and a strong alumni cadre. We believe that, through collaboration, we will meet the challenges of the New Standards, surpass our expectations, and provide all Bryant students with the foundation and skills needed to become productive members of society.*

#### Principal's Statement

The Bryant community boasts the following: over 90% of its 2002-03 graduates attend college; over 500 obtained credits from linkages with college partners; over 5 million in scholarships. Bryant has established a state of the art wireless technology lab/Writing Center. The school has 27 athletic teams, 24 clubs, & 6 performance groups. Our newspaper, yearbook, & magazines have won awards. Students participate in a dynamic arts program, Nat'l. and Foreign Lang. Honor Societies, Advanced Placement Courses in 5 subject areas, & College Now. Bryant boasts the city's only Mentor Law and Forensic Science Institute. Virtual Enterprise City Finalists.

#### Special Academic Programs

Honors Programs & Advanced Placement in five majors, Magnet Program in Math & Science, Intel Math/Science Research, FED Challenge, Mentor Law and Forensic Science Institute, Project ARTS, 8 foreign languages, advanced technology courses, Cyber English, Cyber Social Studies and Saturday Family Programs, Virtual Enterprise Business major.

#### Extracurricular Activities

Multicultural, Greek, Korean, Key, Drama, & Writing clubs; basketball, football, soccer, track, & volleyball teams; formal peer mediation & conflict resolution; as well as 3 choruses, several Bands, Shakespeare Oratory, Dance Co., peer tutoring, Fed Challenge, & Student Leadership Programs.

#### Community Support

LaGuardia Community College, Metropolitan Museum of Art, Museum of Modern Art, NYU, Queens College, Cornell Univ. Cooperative ED., Polytechnic University, Junior Achievement, Queens College, Estee Lauder, Chadbourne and Park & St. John's University join us in collaborative programs.

#### Parent/School Support

Parents play an active role in the life of the school. They participate in the School Leadership Team, Awards Night, fund-raising activities, all extra-curricular activities, ESL Parent Workshops, Career Day, Open House, & our Annual Family Science Night.



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#### 2006-07 School Accountability Status:

Requiring Academic Progress - Year 5

#### This school received Title I Funding in:

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

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 3516 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	0		1.5
Crimes Against Persons	5		3.2
Other Crimes	23		20.1
Non- Criminal	20		54.8

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 3001-4000 students.

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

## Recent Immigrants\*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	19.2	15.9	11.8
Similar schools	13.4	11.1	8.5
City schools	11.6	9.8	7.6

\* 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	1.5
ECUADOR	1
INDIA	1

## Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders\*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	52.7	52.7	50.5
Gender Female	47.3	47.3	49.5
Part-time Special Education	5.8	7.1	5.8
Full-time Special Education	4.5	7.1	5.2
ELL	21.6	13.7	12.8
Over-age for grade	29.6	38.1	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	29.6	38.1	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	88.1	87.8	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	26.2	17.2	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	38.2	25.3	40.8

\* 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

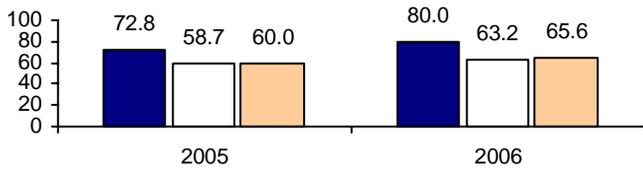
School Name	Boro	District	Leavers*	
			School Number	Percent

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

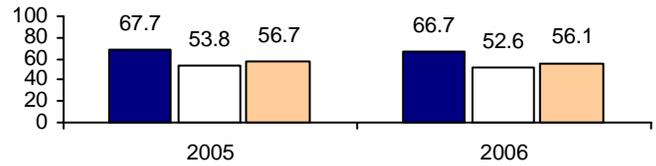
# SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

## TEACHERS

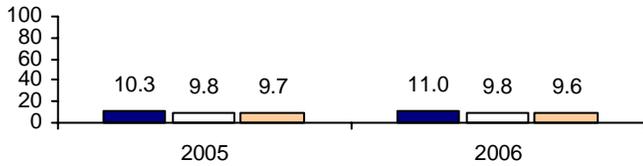
**Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School**



**Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere**



**Average Days Absent**



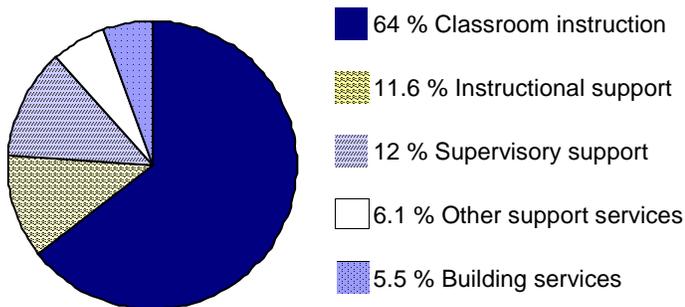
## SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

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

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$7,343	\$8,357	N/A
Similar schools	\$10,651	\$11,055	N/A
City schools	\$11,138	\$11,607	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)**



0.8 % is used for District Support.

## OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

**School Capacity**

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	125.3	122.9	119.1
Similar schools	100.7	102.2	96.8
City schools	106.0	106.4	103.5

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

# PERFORMANCE OF ALL STUDENTS ON REGENTS EXAMINATIONS

	2004-2005				2005-2006			
	Number	55 - 100	65 - 100	85 - 100	Number	55 - 100	65 - 100	85 - 100
	Tested	Percent	Percent	Percent	Tested	Percent	Percent	Percent
<b>ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	915	80.7	61.5	11.7	939	78.3	60.4	12.6
<b>Similar Schools</b>	21585	71.3	50.5	8.1	24495	70.9	52.7	8.5
<b>City Schools</b>	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
<b>MATH A</b>								
<b>This School</b>	752	92.7	79.3	22.5	929	91.2	73.1	16.5
<b>Similar Schools</b>	26130	74.9	49.3	5.1	27815	77.4	50.6	4.8
<b>City Schools</b>	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
<b>MATH B</b>								
<b>This School</b>	197	87.8	68.5	18.8	207	87.9	73.9	25.6
<b>Similar Schools</b>	3146	55.0	41.6	8.6	4042	52.7	39.0	7.5
<b>City Schools</b>	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
<b>CHEMISTRY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	193	93.3	69.9	13.0	178	99.4	84.8	19.7
<b>Similar Schools</b>	5679	59.9	34.4	3.3	5133	60.8	35.1	3.8
<b>City Schools</b>	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
<b>LIVING ENVIRONMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	583	76.2	59.7	7.4	586	79.5	60.2	8.4
<b>Similar Schools</b>	20061	63.9	41.8	2.8	21169	67.3	42.9	2.6
<b>City Schools</b>	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
<b>GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	1006	70.2	48.6	9.3	1077	69.4	48.2	11.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	24901	59.8	38.8	6.5	27371	55.6	36.1	7.0
<b>City Schools</b>	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
<b>U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	786	73.5	57.0	20.1	916	77.9	59.0	21.5
<b>Similar Schools</b>	18654	67.9	49.5	13.8	21232	73.2	53.3	15.1
<b>City Schools</b>	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
<b>LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	335	98.8	97.0	78.5	247	98.0	98.0	67.2
<b>Similar Schools</b>	4973	97.0	94.0	63.0	4777	96.9	93.7	64.7
<b>City Schools</b>	22273	98.1	96.3	66.7	21600	98.2	96.2	67.4

These data are based on all students, including General Education and Special Education students, regardless of services received.

## OTHER INDICATORS

### SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST (SAT) IN 2005-2006

#### Percent of 11th and 12th graders taking SAT

	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
11th and 12th grade enrollment	1150	27984	100890
Percent taking SAT	36.7	33.6	36.1

#### Average SAT Scores\*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	421	391	444
Mathematics	477	396	467

\* Scores on each segment of this test range from 200 to 800.

### STUDENT PLANS AFTER GRADUATION

#### Post-high school plans of the 2006 graduates\*

	This ** School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
4-Year college	72.1	36.9	44.3
2-Year college	14.5	17.6	16.2
Employment	0.9	4.5	3.3
Military services	0.9	1.4	0.9
Other	11.7	39.6	35.2

\*\* Data are not reported if the total number of 2006 graduates are less than 20.

\* These are student reports, which do not include IEP diplomas or local certificates.