



# 2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

## Region 03

## I.S./H.S. 680

### QUEENS GATEWAY TO HEALTH SCIENCES SECONDARY SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools  
Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 569

Students on May 1, 2006:

#### School Mission Statement

*The mission of the Queens Gateway to Health Sciences Secondary School is to provide a college preparatory program with a focus on the health sciences. We prepare all students to perform proficiently, exceed academic standards, find productive pathways to knowledge, and live together in a constructive learning community. Queens Gateway is a community of school, home, and partners working together to help students grow and develop into purposeful young men and women. We hold high expectations for success for all students in a safe, orderly and caring school environment. We are committed to using relevant instructional techniques, efficient guidance services, planned academic intervention services, and state of the art technology to support teaching and learning. We continue to achieve our goals through an enduring partnership with a community that celebrates success for all students.*

#### Principal's Statement

Queens Gateway to Health Sciences Secondary School is a six-year Academic/Health Career-oriented School for students in grades seven through twelve. Students enter our school by a screened application process in grades seven & nine. There is a strong emphasis on clear instructional objectives, active participation in and responsibility for learning. We provide a supportive classroom environment, academic rigor in teaching and learning and believe in high standards of achievement for all students. We emphasize self-discipline and respect for all people. We are a "public school with a private flair".

#### Special Academic Programs

College & Career-Oriented Programs include: College Now, Middle School Initiative, PSAT/SAT Prep, PSAT Exam for Grades 9-11, Extended Day Tutorials and Saturday Academy, Bridge to Medicine, Hospital Experience Program, Hospital Internship, Advanced Placement Courses, Accelerated Mathematics/Science, Career Day and College Fairs & Medical Advisories.

#### Extracurricular Activities

Extracurricular activities include: Boys Basketball, Caribbean Club, Girls Soccer, Table-Tennis, Floor Hockey, Band and Chorus, Chess, Computer Program, School Spirit Week, Poetry Cafe, R.E.A.D.Y. Program, Fed Challenge, College Tours, Health Science Club, Club Etiquette, Social Wellness Club and Mock Trial.

#### Community Support

Partnerships exist with Mt. Sinai School of Medicine, Gateway Institute, Queens Hospital Center, York and Queens Colleges, Local Hospital and Volunteer Programs, Summer Research Programs, The After School Program, Medical Assemblies for students with Mt. Sinai Hospital (Queens), Woodhaven Volunteer Ambulance Corps, and Jamaica Hospital.

#### Parent/School Support

Strong parent/school relationships, Curriculum Night, computer workshops, holiday card making workshop, Parent/Student Games Night, Staff Recognition, fire safety programs, drivers education, parent & adolescent programs, monthly PTA Newsletter, staff/parent/student mixers and School Leadership Team, arts and crafts workshop.



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#### 2006-07 School Accountability Status:

In Good Standing

#### 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 569 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	1		0.4
Crimes Against Persons	0		0.1
Other Crimes	1		1.7
Non- Criminal	1		2.9

Similar-Size Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 501-750 students.

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

## Recent Immigrants\*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	1.9	1.4	0.5
Similar schools	3.8	3.5	1.8
City schools	5.8	5.7	3.8

\* 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

## Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders\*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	37.1		
Gender Female	62.9		
Part-time Special Education	0		
Full-time Special Education	0		
ELL	0		
Over-age for grade	0.9		
Percent eligible for free lunch	0.9		
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	95.7		
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	88.1		
Mathematics (tested only)	96.3		

\* 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

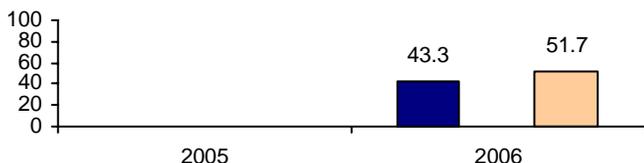
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
QUEENS HIGH SCHOOL FOR S	Q	28	687	5	17.9
STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL	M	02	475	3	10.7
BRONX HIGH SCHOOL OF SCI	X	10	445	3	10.7

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

# SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

## TEACHERS

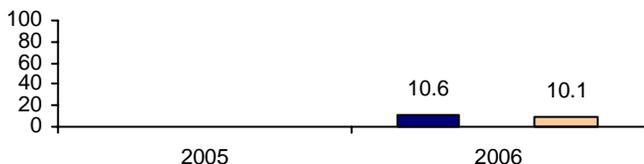
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



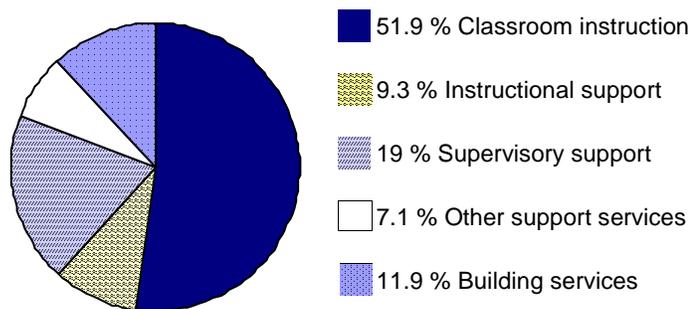
## SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$8,711	\$9,315	N/A
Similar schools	\$11,096	\$10,976	N/A
City schools	\$11,861	\$12,102	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	941.7	112.6	112.2
Similar schools	79.6	74.5	79.9
City schools	77.9	76.9	77.2

\*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>	81	95.1	90.1	11.1	103	97.1	92.2	12.6
<b>Similar Schools</b>	849	92.7	84.5	23.7	857	90.7	81.6	20.7
<b>City Schools</b>	3726	76.5	59.7	12.5	4056	75.6	60.8	12.5
<b>MATH A</b>								
<b>This School</b>	111	99.1	95.5	18.9	96	100.0	99.0	80.2
<b>Similar Schools</b>	973	93.0	81.5	22.5	1235	91.9	83.6	32.3
<b>City Schools</b>	5209	80.8	60.7	9.6	5963	82.9	63.2	12.4
<b>MATH B</b>								
<b>This School</b>	111	57.7	38.7	3.6	138	67.4	50.7	5.8
<b>Similar Schools</b>	508	64.0	46.7	2.4	557	60.3	47.9	3.8
<b>City Schools</b>	914	52.8	38.4	2.4	1161	56.4	45.5	5.2
<b>CHEMISTRY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	114	93.0	83.3	9.6	92	97.8	89.1	25.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	575	84.0	60.2	4.7	637	81.3	56.5	6.4
<b>City Schools</b>	1510	66.3	44.5	3.0	1489	69.0	45.3	4.4
<b>LIVING ENVIRONMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	135	94.1	83.0	17.8	157	96.8	89.2	17.8
<b>Similar Schools</b>	1019	87.7	76.8	12.6	1028	90.0	78.1	12.9
<b>City Schools</b>	4635	73.0	55.4	5.6	4663	76.9	57.2	5.4
<b>GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	102	98.0	93.1	52.0	104	94.2	85.6	41.3
<b>Similar Schools</b>	911	84.5	75.2	24.4	1054	82.1	67.7	23.1
<b>City Schools</b>	4420	65.7	48.8	11.3	4802	63.1	44.9	11.6
<b>U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	88	98.9	96.6	62.5	95	96.8	94.7	67.4
<b>Similar Schools</b>	1047	86.9	77.2	30.1	940	88.5	79.0	30.3
<b>City Schools</b>	3910	70.1	53.8	17.4	4663	73.0	55.9	17.5
<b>LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	106	99.1	96.2	64.2	79	100.0	98.7	78.5
<b>Similar Schools</b>	458	95.2	91.0	45.0	532	96.8	93.4	50.0
<b>City Schools</b>	1570	96.2	93.2	56.8	1675	96.4	93.3	60.4

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	179		
Percent taking SAT	33		

#### Average SAT Scores\*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	515		
Mathematics	505		

\* 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 Percent	Similar Schools Percent	City Schools Percent
4-Year college	83.1	58.4	47.9
2-Year college	7	10.3	11.5
Employment	0	0.9	2
Military services	1.4	0.4	0.5
Other	8.5	30	38.2

\*\* 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.