



New York City Public Schools
Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 414

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

Our mission at The William T. Davis School, P.S. 31R is to maintain a safe educational environment. We will continue to focus on promoting lifelong learning and strive for excellence in each and every child. This will be accomplished through an emphasis on literacy and mathematics with an integration of all other subject/content areas. Our shared decision making process, which uses the collective energy and resources of knowledgeable, sensitive and committed educators, parents and community will enable us to attain our goals, reach new heights, and enrich our children's future to become productive, respectful citizens and effective problem solvers. Through the efforts of all the constituencies of our school community, we resolve to always put "CHILDREN FIRST".

Principal's Statement

The mission of P.S. 31 is for all students to become lifelong learners who achieve academic & personal goals through a love of learning, who are able to analyze and evaluate knowledge throughout their lives, and who develop and maintain a positive self-concept. P.S. 31 is committed to accomplishing this mission through a student-centered continuous curriculum that meets the needs of diverse learning styles. In order to maintain our common thread, "IT TAKES A WHOLE VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD", we acknowledge the collaboration of all of our students, staff, parents, & community, offering a sense of self-confidence and respect for all.

Special Academic Programs

Bloom's Taxonomy is emphasized in: Computers/Laptops Initiative, Green Apple Corps Science Program; Hands-on Math and Science; Sundog Arts, Wilson Reading Program, Great Leaps Reading Program, Everyday Math, AIS programs, Health & Prevention Service, and monthly celebrations of children's literacy work aligned with the N.Y.C./C.A.B. handbook.

Extracurricular Activities

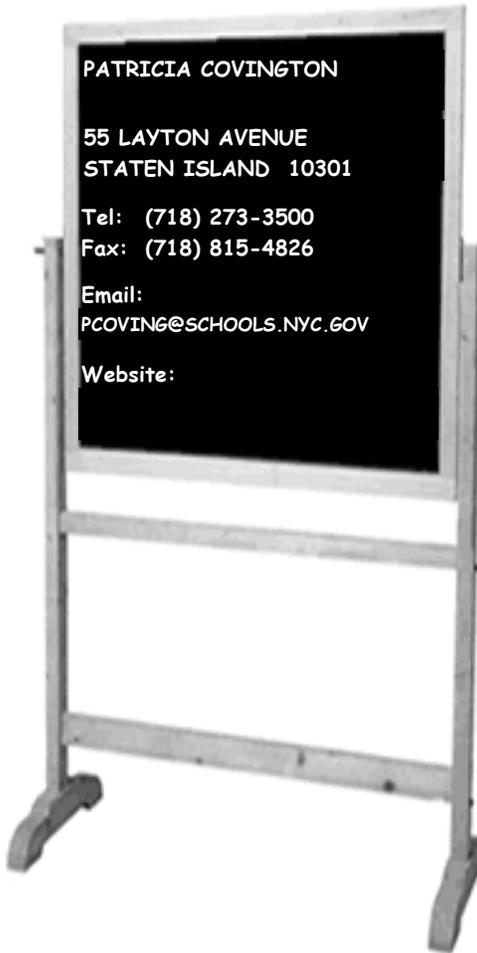
Computers/Laptops Initiative, Davis Village Newspaper; Halloween and Memorial Day parades; monthly recognition of students' academic, attendance, and social achievements, The Nutritious Student Committee, grade appropriate excursions, math guessmaton station, math & spelling bees, science & ecology fairs, feild day & annual awards final assembly.

Community Support

Staten Island's Children's Museum and Snug Harbor Cultural Center; Attendance Improvement/Dropout Prevention; Sisters of Charity Health Assoc; Con Edison; S.I. Institute of Arts and Science; C.B.O.- PAL; S.I. Rotary; Golden K Kiwanis Annual Spelling and Math Bees; S.I. Cable; Curtis H.S.; Brighton Kiwanis; Notre Dame Academy.

Parent/School Support

PTA meetings; monthly meetings with the parent coordinator; classroom volunteers; parent-led workshops; Title I Computer Workshops; Leadership Team; Pre-K Family Worker; Parent Center; WSL Workshop and Title I Family Workers, Reading Volunteer program and partnership with College of Staten Island pre-service reading program.



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 414 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	0.2
Crimes Against Persons	0	0.1
Other Crimes	0	1.4
Non- Criminal	1	2.3

Similar-Size 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	7.7	3.5	1.4
Similar schools	6.9	6.5	5.5
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
LIBERIA	0.5
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0.2
MEXICO	0.2

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

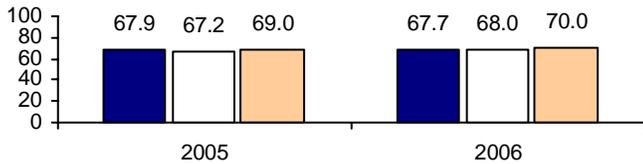
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
I S 061 WILLIAM A MORRIS	R	31	061	36	41.9
PS 044 THOMAS C BROWN	R	31	044	5	5.8
PS 016 JOHN J DRISCOLL	R	31	016	4	4.7

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

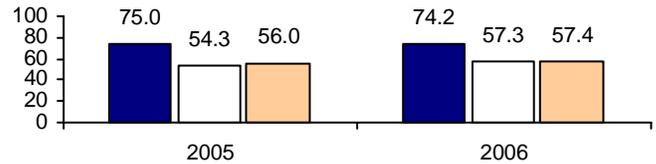
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

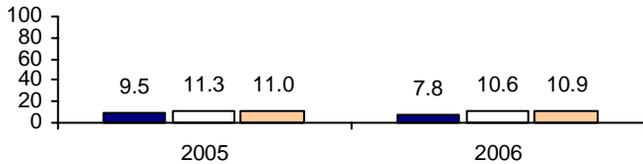
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



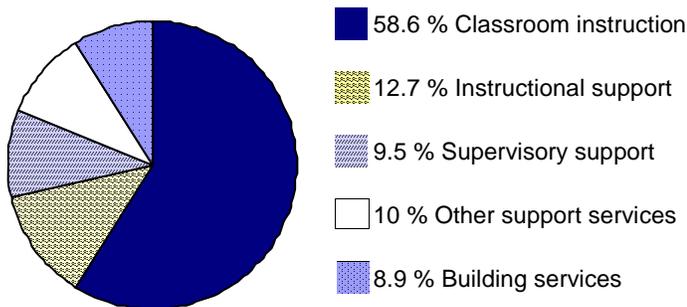
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$15,065	\$14,805	N/A
Similar schools	\$14,168	\$15,517	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)



0.4 % is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	54.7	55.9	60.9
Similar schools	76.0	74.8	71.2
City schools	87.1	84.8	82.8

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