



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 01

C.I.S. 117

I.S.117 JOSEPH H WADE

New York City Public Schools
Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 1,097

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

To create a positive, disciplined learning environment focused on Literacy and mathematics where all members, students, staff and parents work collaboratively and are actively engaged in the educational process. All stakeholders are focused on empowering all students with strategic and authentic academic skills and social experiences that will enable them to further their educational goals and become active, responsible, and positive contributing members of society. All students will develop important decision-making, technological, and critical thinking skills, as well as the ability to communicate effectively. All members of our learning community will share accountability for creating a supportive educational environment and for achieving successful student outcomes.

Principal's Statement

The four academic houses create an intimate setting for students, teachers, and parents to work collaboratively in meeting academic standards and building strong educational foundations. As the academic bar is constantly raised higher, we are committed to providing our students with a rigorous literacy program, an enriched math and science curriculum, as well as exposure to the arts. This is accomplished in a safe and supportive learning environment with high expectations for all students. Our goal is to help students develop the ability to work independently and with others as they develop confidence and positive attitudes towards learning.

Special Academic Programs

We offer accelerated math, music, art, dance, ensemble performance groups, a working ceramics lab, technology labs, Yearbook Club, radio program, New Media Club, fencing, Math Club lunchtime reading clubs and School to Work Programs. We are providing Supplemental Instructional Services in all academic areas including Bilingual/ESL.

Extracurricular Activities

We offer Club Fame Dance Club, fencing, Media Club, ceramics, open gym, library club, basketball team, soccer team and football team.

Community Support

The Wade Academies, MS 117x is a ACDP/Beacon Site. Our partnerships include: American Chess Foundation, Family Life Theater, Arts in the School, Greater NY Hospital Association, Lehman College, ADCP (CAPS, Beacon, 21st Century). Princeton Review, SCAN, Helen Keller Foundation and The Morrisania Neighborhood Family Care Center.

Parent/School Support

Parents are encouraged to become advocates for their children. Our parent coordinator facilitates the coordination and utilization of support services. Our parent resource room is available for workshops and to house materials that are being used in classrooms to enhance understanding of the curriculum.

2006-07 School Accountability Status:

Restructuring - Year 3

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 1097 students. Please keep this number in mind as you review the numbers of incidents.

	This school	Consolidated Locations	Similar Size schools
Major Crimes			
Property Crimes	1		0.7
Crimes Against Persons	0		0.5
Other Crimes	7		4.9
Non- Criminal	6		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	10.3	11.3	8.8
Similar schools	11.0	9.8	7.7
City schools	9.1	8.1	6.3

* 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
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	6.7
GUYANA	0.4
MEXICO	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

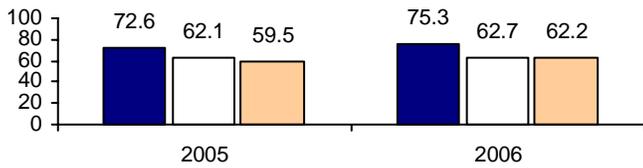
School Name	Boro	District	School Number	Leavers*	
				Number	Percent
DEWITT CLINTON HIGH SCHO	X	10	440	41	10.8
JOHN F. KENNEDY HIGH SCHO	X	10	475	32	8.4
HERBERT LEHMAN HIGH SCH	X	08	405	16	4.2

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

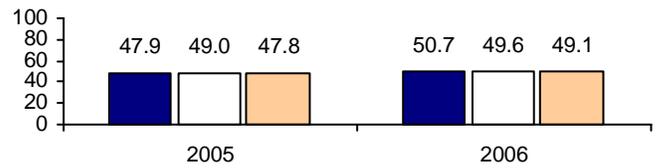
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

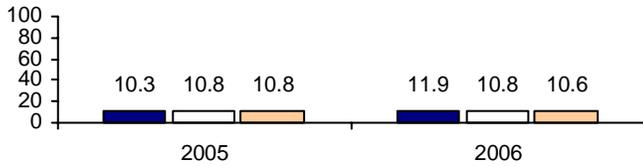
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



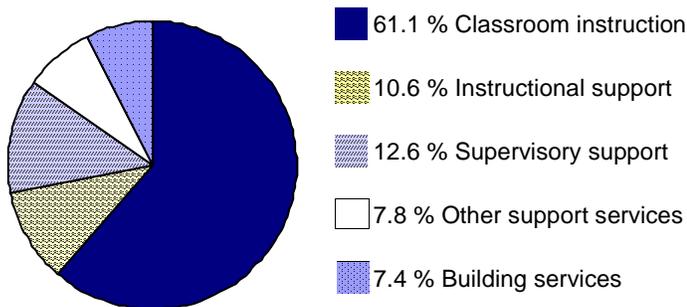
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$11,004	\$12,179	N/A
Similar schools	\$11,544	\$12,793	N/A
City schools	\$10,679	\$11,747	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	78.0	84.7	81.7
Similar schools	80.9	78.8	74.4
City schools	85.8	82.4	79.9

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