



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 01

H.S. 414

JONATHAN LEVIN HIGH SCHOOL FOR MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 411

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

Our school mission is to develop the skills and knowledge that will prepare a diverse student population to take advantage of the burgeoning career opportunities in media and communications.

In addition to providing a comprehensive academic program, which will ensure the capacity of all students to meet graduation requirements, each student will gain a strong foundation in media literacy. The Jonathan Levin High School for Media and Communications will provide a groundbreaking, media-based education where students will work collaboratively with professional mentors in the areas of film, television, print, and other media.

Principal's Statement

Our vision at the Jonathan Levin High School for Media and Communications is to create a unique collaboration among students, teachers, and corporate partners to provide students with opportunities in media (film, television, and print). We will employ the Internet as a highly integrated instructional tool. Media will be a vehicle for students from varying backgrounds to develop and express their special perspectives. Our mission is to develop the skills and knowledge that will prepare our students to take advantage of the career opportunities in media and communications.

Special Academic Programs

Strong literacy based curriculum which includes team teaching in Math, Social Studies, and Science. After school and Saturday programs which include courses in Living Environment, Math A, Spanish, Art, and Physical Education. Sequences in Media and Communications, Visual Studies/Film, Journalism, and Broadcast Journalism.

Extracurricular Activities

Students are involved in Team activities in the following sports: Basketball, Baseball, volleyball, Soccer, Track & Field, and Tennis.

Community Support

We have The Central Park Society's Leadership Program and Alianza Dominicana working with us.

Parent/School Support

Freshman Orientation, Open House, Parent/Teacher Conferences.

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 411 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		4	1.0
Crimes Against Persons		3	1.1
Other Crimes		16	10.0
Non- Criminal		47	19.0

No separate data is available for this school. Multiple schools are found at a single address, and the incident data have been consolidated so that the same data are reported for all those schools. These schools are included in this consolidated location: WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT HS|BRONX HIGH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS|J. LEVIN HIGH SCHOOL FOR MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS|THE URBAN ASSEMBLY ACADEMY FOR HISTORY AND CITIZEN|BRONX HIGH SCHOOL FOR MEDICAL SCIENCE|BRONX EXPEDITIONARY LEARNING HIGH SCHOOL, Similar-Sized Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 1751-2000 students

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

Recent Immigrants*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	7.0	7.8	9.7
Similar schools	18.6	17.2	16.1
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
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2.7
GHANA	1.9
HONDURAS	1

Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	50.4	52.6	50.5
Gender Female	49.6	47.4	49.5
Part-time Special Education	3.8	4.8	5.8
Full-time Special Education	8.3	7.1	5.2
ELL	27.8	31.8	12.8
Over-age for grade	53.4	44.1	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	53.4	44.1	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	84.5	87.3	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	8.6	14.8	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	14.7	22.5	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

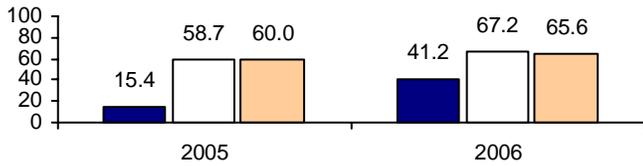
School Name	Boro	District	School	Leavers*	
			Number	Number	Percent

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

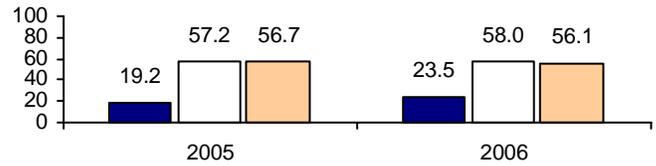
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

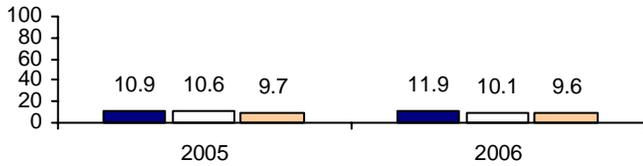
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



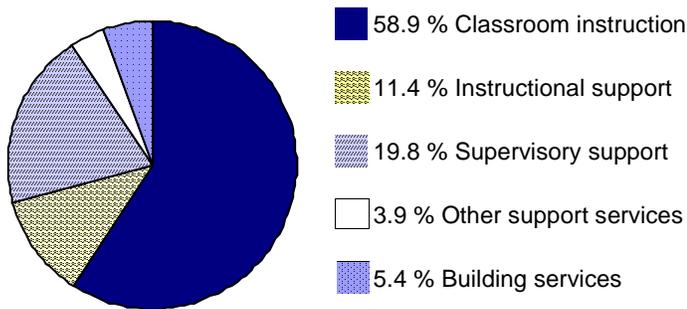
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$15,735	\$15,989	N/A
Similar schools	\$12,305	\$13,341	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)



0.6 % is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	71.5	107.1	61.2
Similar schools	112.6	111.4	100.6
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
ENGLISH								
This School	54	87.0	68.5	14.8	75	74.7	54.7	10.7
Similar Schools	9697	65.0	43.4	5.6	10106	64.8	44.3	4.9
City Schools	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
MATH A								
This School	101	54.5	19.8	0.0	136	77.2	42.6	1.5
Similar Schools	11806	73.8	49.1	5.9	11040	76.6	50.8	6.4
City Schools	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
MATH B								
This School					17	17.6	0.0	0.0
Similar Schools	1381	45.3	31.6	6.4	1646	48.5	35.8	7.9
City Schools	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
CHEMISTRY								
This School	7	28.6	0.0	0.0				
Similar Schools	1506	54.5	29.6	3.3	1256	62.9	36.3	4.1
City Schools	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
LIVING ENVIRONMENT								
This School	148	55.4	31.1	0.0	107	65.4	44.9	0.0
Similar Schools	8523	59.1	37.9	2.5	8198	66.8	42.2	2.8
City Schools	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY								
This School	98	65.3	37.8	2.0	129	41.9	28.7	2.3
Similar Schools	11391	55.7	33.8	5.3	10341	55.5	33.8	6.6
City Schools	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT								
This School	53	62.3	43.4	5.7	87	64.4	42.5	9.2
Similar Schools	8448	64.3	43.4	10.1	9336	70.5	48.1	12.0
City Schools	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH								
This School					3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Similar Schools	2296	96.7	95.1	71.0	2414	97.5	94.7	71.5
City Schools	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	127	12924	100890
Percent taking SAT	29.9	28.7	36.1

Average SAT Scores*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	372	371	444
Mathematics	360	385	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 Percent	Similar Schools Percent	City Schools Percent
4-Year college	73.7	25.7	44.3
2-Year college	0	28.5	16.2
Employment	2.6	3.2	3.3
Military services	0	0.7	0.9
Other	23.7	41.9	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.