



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 01

H.S. 525

BRONX LEADERSHIP ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 628

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

The mission of Bronx Leadership Academy High School is to educate each of our students to be committed to personal excellence and to the improvement of the quality of life within their communities and society as a whole, by providing a program of high academic standards geared toward the following: college/career preparation; active, engaged service to the borough of the Bronx; respect for individual differences and cultural heritages; and a school environment that will promote staff, student, parental and community accountability.

Principal's Statement

This is a small, nurturing, academic high school emphasizing college preparatory courses. In addition to our academic program, our sports program includes: girls'/boys' basketball, boys'/girls' volleyball, fencing and girls' softball. The Institute of Law and Justice is at the core of the educational experience because values, history and tradition are threads woven into law, the fabric of society. Our success is a direct result of our belief that the school's staff, parents and the community must work together to provide the very best for the students who are Tomorrow's Future.

Special Academic Programs

The New York Academy of Medicine Junior Fellows Program; Science Research; Web Page Design; College Now (expository writing class); and an Internship Program.

Extracurricular Activities

Activities include: Boys' & Girls' Basketball and Volleyball teams; Girls' Softball Team; Co-ed fencing Team; Debate Team; Student Court; Band; Chorus; Step Team; Chess Club; Drama Club; Building with Books Club; and French Club.

Community Support

We have the following partnerships: American Progressive Insurance Company, South Bronx Churches; The New York Academy of Medicine Junior Fellows Program; and The New York City Commission on Human Rights Peer Mediation Program.

Parent/School Support

PA meetings; classroom volunteers; hall patrol; switchboard operation; Computer Instruction; Saturday classes in Spanish, ESL, fitness and basic computer skills.

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 628 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	0		0.4
Crimes Against Persons	0		0.1
Other Crimes	3		1.7
Non- Criminal	3		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	3.4	1.9	1.4
Similar schools	9.5	8.1	5.9
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	0.3
GHANA	0.3
PHILIPPINES	0.3

Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	41	49.7	50.5
Gender Female	59	50.3	49.5
Part-time Special Education	5.6	6.5	5.8
Full-time Special Education	3.5	5.1	5.2
ELL	11.8	9.5	12.8
Over-age for grade	29.9	26.5	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	29.9	26.5	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	89.9	90.1	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	32.4	30.3	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	29.9	39.7	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

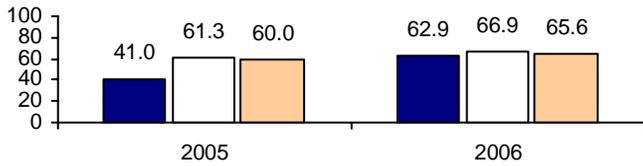
School Name	Boro	District	Leavers*	
			School Number	Percent

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

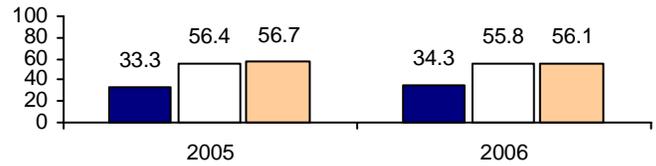
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

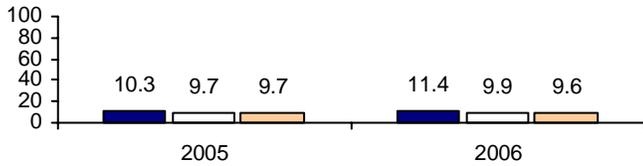
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



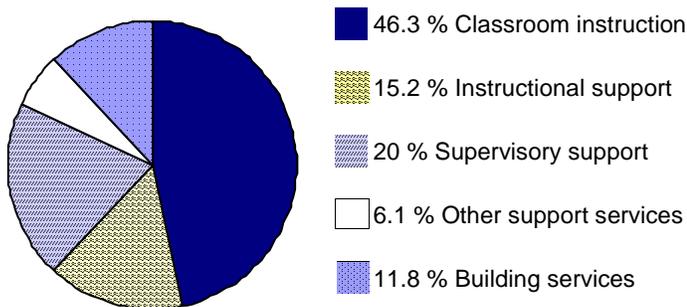
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$10,967	\$11,937	N/A
Similar schools	\$10,584	\$10,761	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)



0.7 % is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	117.7	123.2	113.6
Similar schools	116.3	113.2	111.3
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	168	76.8	54.8	8.9	171	79.5	64.9	15.8
Similar Schools	14182	84.5	70.4	16.0	16707	82.2	69.2	15.9
City Schools	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
MATH A								
This School	179	64.8	44.1	6.1	173	85.5	66.5	17.3
Similar Schools	17486	87.6	70.5	13.5	19092	87.5	70.0	13.2
City Schools	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
MATH B								
This School	76	3.9	1.3	0.0	59	15.3	11.9	0.0
Similar Schools	4387	66.0	52.1	9.7	5112	66.2	50.9	9.3
City Schools	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
CHEMISTRY								
This School	38	76.3	50.0	2.6	47	70.2	36.2	0.0
Similar Schools	5791	77.5	50.3	4.7	5848	78.0	51.8	6.2
City Schools	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
LIVING ENVIRONMENT								
This School	138	77.5	58.0	4.3	146	84.9	66.4	8.9
Similar Schools	15327	77.2	59.8	7.1	17800	78.9	59.9	6.6
City Schools	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY								
This School	196	65.3	44.4	6.6	174	69.5	51.1	10.9
Similar Schools	17557	75.2	58.7	15.2	20047	71.7	55.0	16.1
City Schools	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT								
This School	166	60.2	38.6	7.2	204	70.1	47.5	20.6
Similar Schools	14542	81.3	68.8	26.1	16603	83.1	69.5	29.2
City Schools	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH								
This School	70	100.0	100.0	91.4	34	100.0	100.0	76.5
Similar Schools	5678	98.6	96.7	63.3	5412	98.4	96.7	66.7
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	230	24166	100890
Percent taking SAT	48.3	39.4	36.1

Average SAT Scores*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	403	426	444
Mathematics	403	433	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	94.6	50.7	44.3
2-Year college	1.8	14.9	16.2
Employment	0	3.3	3.3
Military services	0	1.1	0.9
Other	3.6	30	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.