



# 2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

## Region 01

## H.S. 546

### BRONX THEATRE HIGH SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 293

Students on May 1, 2006:

#### School Mission Statement

*The academic program at Bronx Theatre H.S. accommodates the intellectual, social, emotional and physical needs of creative high school students. Our vision is to provide students with a dynamic learning environment where respect is mutual, ideas are shared and learning is not limited to the classroom. Our school is a safe and nurturing environment where learning takes place in the classroom, in the theatre studios, in our community and through internship opportunities. Our concept of a successful school is one built collaboratively by its staff, students, parents, community members and our partner organizations. We will prepare students for higher education and professional careers in theatre and its allied industries.*

#### Principal's Statement

The key objectives are:

- engage students, teachers and administrative staff in an exploration of the universal themes of human experience,
- foster academic achievement by involving students in activity that promotes creative thinking, builds cognitive skills and boosts self-confidence,
- facilitate professional development for teachers and school administrators to enhance their ability to integrate the functions of theatre into their practice,
- provide students experience with the business and art of theatre

#### Special Academic Programs

Theatrical learning opportunities exist across all grades. Full-scale theatrical productions are presented in Grades 11. Students also have the opportunity to audition for the Senior Ensemble in Grade 12. We also offer an Honors Dance program for Grades 10,11,12. AP English is taught in Grades 11 and 12. French and Spanish are offered.

#### Extracurricular Activities

Dance Ensemble  
Student Council  
Student Leadership-Mediation  
Participation in PSAL sports through JFK campus  
Stage Crew

#### Community Support

We are partnered with Roundabout Theatre Company, New Victory Theater, Aspira, Lehman College. These relationships gives our students the opportunity to attend Broadway theatre, as well as enjoying the services of a variety of teaching artists, academic supports and youth development opportunities throughout their school career.

#### Parent/School Support

We have an enthusiastic PA who fully support all school events. Our parents are committed to a successful school.

#### 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](http://www.nyc.gov/daa).

# STUDENTS

## Involved In Police Department Incidents

The total enrollment in this consolidated location is 293 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		2	3.0
Crimes Against Persons		9	4.2
Other Crimes		41	22.6
Non- Criminal		164	52.4

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: KENNEDY YABC|LEARNING TO WORK GED AT JOHN F. KENNEDY|BRONX SCHOOL OF LAW AND FINANCE|BRONX ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY|BRONX THEATRE HIGH SCHOOL|JOHN F KENNEDY HS GED|JOHN F KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL|MARBLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, Similar-Sized Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 4000+ students

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

## Recent Immigrants\*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	0.0	1.5	0.7
Similar schools	13.4	11.1	8.5
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
JAMAICA	0.3

## Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders\*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender			
Male	27.8	52.7	50.5
Female	72.2	47.3	49.5
Part-time Special Education	5.6	7.1	5.8
Full-time Special Education	3.7	7.1	5.2
ELL	6.5	13.7	12.8
Over-age for grade	29.6	38.1	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	29.6	38.1	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	89.2	87.8	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	26.6	17.2	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	26.8	25.3	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

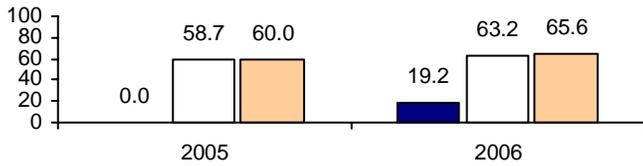
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			Number	Number	Percent

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

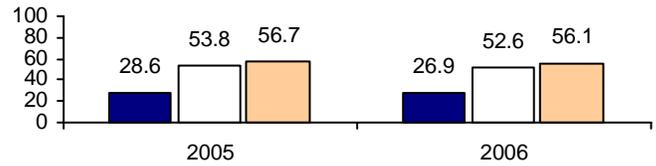
# SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

## TEACHERS

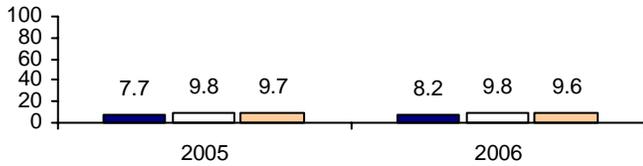
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



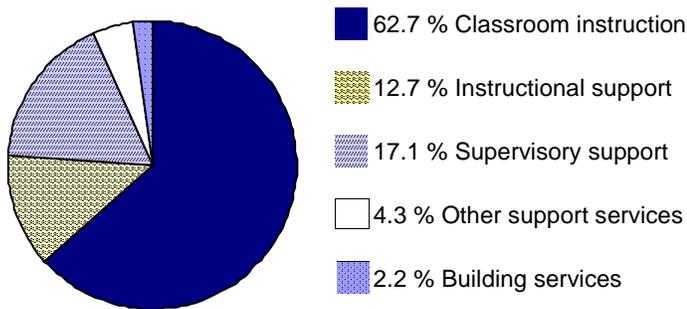
## SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$15,142	\$14,314	N/A
Similar schools	\$10,651	\$11,055	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)



1 % is used for District Support.

## OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

Percent of utilization*	2004	2005	2006
This school	78.4	84.0	48.8
Similar schools	100.7	102.2	96.8
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
<b>ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>	27	88.9	88.9	25.9	83	80.7	69.9	4.8
<b>Similar Schools</b>	21585	71.3	50.5	8.1	24495	70.9	52.7	8.5
<b>City Schools</b>	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
<b>MATH A</b>								
<b>This School</b>	81	76.5	49.4	4.9	117	81.2	60.7	6.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	26130	74.9	49.3	5.1	27815	77.4	50.6	4.8
<b>City Schools</b>	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
<b>MATH B</b>								
<b>This School</b>								
<b>Similar Schools</b>	3146	55.0	41.6	8.6	4042	52.7	39.0	7.5
<b>City Schools</b>	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
<b>CHEMISTRY</b>								
<b>This School</b>					25	28.0	8.0	4.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	5679	59.9	34.4	3.3	5133	60.8	35.1	3.8
<b>City Schools</b>	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
<b>LIVING ENVIRONMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>	78	74.4	57.7	5.1	98	66.3	45.9	1.0
<b>Similar Schools</b>	20061	63.9	41.8	2.8	21169	67.3	42.9	2.6
<b>City Schools</b>	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
<b>GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY</b>								
<b>This School</b>	72	59.7	44.4	4.2	124	63.7	34.7	1.6
<b>Similar Schools</b>	24901	59.8	38.8	6.5	27371	55.6	36.1	7.0
<b>City Schools</b>	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
<b>U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT</b>								
<b>This School</b>					60	81.7	70.0	16.7
<b>Similar Schools</b>	18654	67.9	49.5	13.8	21232	73.2	53.3	15.1
<b>City Schools</b>	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
<b>LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH</b>								
<b>This School</b>								
<b>Similar Schools</b>	4973	97.0	94.0	63.0	4777	96.9	93.7	64.7
<b>City Schools</b>	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	79	27984	100890
Percent taking SAT	1.3	33.6	36.1

#### Average SAT Scores\*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	440	391	444
Mathematics	490	396	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		36.9	44.3
2-Year college		17.6	16.2
Employment		4.5	3.3
Military services		1.4	0.9
Other		39.6	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.