



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 79

H.S. 560X

BRONX ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 394

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

The Bronx Academy High School is a multi-site transfer school admitting students that have already completed at least one year of High School and ready for an exceptional diverse educational experience. The Bronx Academy High School invites all students to commitment in transforming their educational experience by immersing themselves in an empowering challenging educational environment. The school is committed in investing, inventing, designing and implementing new strategies and new methodologies to meet New York State assessments Regents Examinations.

Principal's Statement

The Bronx Academy High School is composed of a diverse student Multi-culture population who are committed and ready to reshape their lives. The school is cohesive creative and rich educational environment. The school encourages effective empowering intervention programs enabling students to reach their full potential.

Special Academic Programs

Urban Park Ranger conservation course, Independent Study, Work Study, Accelerated Accreditation for seniors, Music Keyboarding, Environmental Chemistry, and Playwriting.

Extracurricular Activities

Saturday Academy, Basketball, Chess Club, Student Government, Journalism, Student Newspaper, Mock Court, Choir, Violin and Music Band.

Community Support

Nursing Home Outreach, Community Workshops, and Community Conferences, Lehman Literacy, McGraw-Hill companies, S.O.B.R.O., Washington Mutual Bank.

Parent/School Support

Parent Involvement Programs, Parent Saturday classes, Saturday Tutoring, Scholarship Parent Committees, Parent Coordinator, Parent Saturday Workshops, and Parent Retreats.



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 394 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 | | 7 | 2.9 |

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: THE FELISA RINCON DE GAUTIER INSTITUTE FOR LAW AND PUBLIC POLICY|BRONX ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL, Similar-Sized 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 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 |
| Similar schools | 16.7 | 15.2 | 13.6 |
| 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 |
|---------------------|------|
| JAMAICA | 1 |
| GHANA | 0.3 |
| GUYANA | 0.3 |

Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders*

| Characteristics | This School | Similar Schools | City Schools |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| | Percent | Percent | Percent |
| Gender Male | 0 | 53.6 | 50.5 |
| Gender Female | 100 | 46.4 | 49.5 |
| Part-time Special Education | 0 | 0.9 | 5.8 |
| Full-time Special Education | 0 | 0.3 | 5.2 |
| ELL | 100 | 74.8 | 12.8 |
| Over-age for grade | 100 | 90 | 29.9 |
| Percent eligible for free lunch | 100 | 90 | 29.9 |
| Avg. daily attend. during prior sem. | 0 | 87.4 | 89.8 |
| Percent meeting standard in: | | | |
| ELA (tested only) | 0 | 16.7 | 32.7 |
| Mathematics (tested only) | 0 | 25 | 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

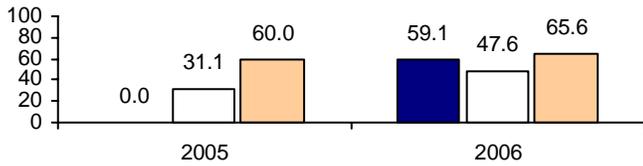
| School Name | Boro | District | Leavers* | |
|-------------|------|----------|---------------|---------|
| | | | School Number | Percent |

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

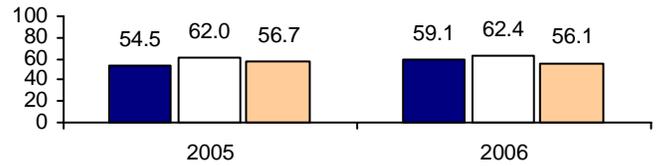
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

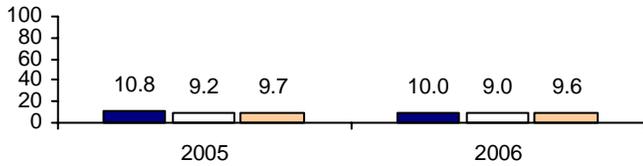
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



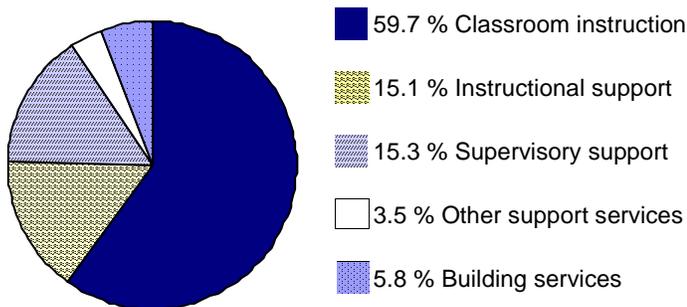
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

| | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
|-----------------|----------|----------|------|
| This school | \$11,715 | \$11,901 | N/A |
| Similar schools | \$12,604 | \$13,749 | 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)



0.5 % is used for District Support.

OTHER SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Capacity

| Percent of utilization* | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| This school | 105.1 | 90.6 | 143.3 |
| Similar schools | 100.5 | 89.8 | 94.5 |
| 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 Tested | 55 - 100 Percent | 65 - 100 Percent | 85 - 100 Percent | Number Tested | 55 - 100 Percent | 65 - 100 Percent | 85 - 100 Percent |
| ENGLISH | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 369 | 35.0 | 14.6 | 1.4 | 116 | 62.1 | 32.8 | 2.6 |
| Similar Schools | 2041 | 67.7 | 40.4 | 5.9 | 1725 | 73.6 | 49.4 | 7.6 |
| City Schools | 63738 | 78.1 | 61.6 | 16.6 | 70344 | 77.6 | 62.9 | 16.6 |
| MATH A | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 369 | 30.6 | 11.4 | 0.0 | 107 | 83.2 | 38.3 | 0.0 |
| Similar Schools | 1810 | 70.2 | 41.4 | 9.5 | 1403 | 84.6 | 53.0 | 12.9 |
| City Schools | 74616 | 81.2 | 61.0 | 13.6 | 76930 | 83.1 | 62.3 | 13.9 |
| MATH B | | | | | | | | |
| This School | | | | | | | | |
| Similar Schools | 93 | 97.8 | 91.4 | 53.8 | 118 | 94.1 | 89.0 | 43.2 |
| City Schools | 18163 | 70.4 | 58.5 | 16.3 | 21205 | 68.9 | 56.4 | 15.5 |
| CHEMISTRY | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | | | |
| Similar Schools | 25 | 72.0 | 60.0 | 8.0 | 36 | 83.3 | 52.8 | 19.4 |
| City Schools | 23988 | 77.5 | 55.9 | 10.5 | 24062 | 79.3 | 58.0 | 13.1 |
| LIVING ENVIRONMENT | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 252 | 22.2 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 90 | 70.0 | 30.0 | 0.0 |
| Similar Schools | 1063 | 64.3 | 44.2 | 6.5 | 1034 | 79.4 | 48.5 | 7.6 |
| City Schools | 62307 | 72.7 | 55.2 | 10.6 | 65322 | 76.0 | 56.5 | 9.7 |
| GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 313 | 31.0 | 16.9 | 1.3 | 112 | 67.9 | 25.9 | 2.7 |
| Similar Schools | 1526 | 66.8 | 40.4 | 8.6 | 1292 | 68.8 | 40.9 | 10.8 |
| City Schools | 73666 | 68.8 | 51.1 | 15.3 | 77999 | 66.6 | 49.4 | 16.5 |
| U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 274 | 38.0 | 18.2 | 1.8 | 113 | 82.3 | 46.0 | 7.1 |
| Similar Schools | 1677 | 69.1 | 43.5 | 9.1 | 1442 | 80.8 | 51.7 | 12.6 |
| City Schools | 60352 | 76.4 | 61.9 | 25.6 | 65271 | 79.8 | 64.0 | 27.7 |
| LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH | | | | | | | | |
| This School | 39 | 61.5 | 61.5 | 51.3 | 37 | 97.3 | 83.8 | 43.2 |
| Similar Schools | 204 | 91.2 | 90.2 | 66.2 | 223 | 98.7 | 95.1 | 77.1 |
| 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 | 242 | 3316 | 100890 |
| Percent taking SAT | 10.3 | 13.4 | 36.1 |

Average SAT Scores*

| SAT Section | This School | Similar Schools | City Schools |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Verbal | 343 | 380 | 444 |
| Mathematics | 350 | 388 | 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 | 83.3 | 29.1 | 44.3 |
| 2-Year college | 11.1 | 31.6 | 16.2 |
| Employment | 0 | 6.7 | 3.3 |
| Military services | 0.7 | 1.5 | 0.9 |
| Other | 4.9 | 31.2 | 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.