



2005-06 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT SUPPLEMENT

Region 02

H.S. 692X

MONROE ACADEMY FOR VISUAL ARTS

New York City Public Schools

Joel I. Klein, Chancellor

Grade Levels:

Students on Oct. 31, 2005: 529

Students on May 1, 2006:

School Mission Statement

At Monroe Academy for Visual Arts and Design, we believe that the visual arts are essential to understanding and transforming our world. We encourage academic excellence through attention to individual student needs: through our small size and through our Advisory Group model. We prepare our students for college by providing a nurturing environment that enables students to develop their maximum potential. We work with students through a holistic approach, addressing their personal and social needs along with the academic and artistic. We stress interdisciplinary teaching and dedicate ourselves to "Creative Learning for Life."

Principal's Statement

Monroe Academy for Visual Arts and Design is a small comprehensive high school with a challenging Art program. We utilize our community and the entire city to enhance our Art offerings. We have collaborated with the Bronx Museum of the Arts, El Museo del Barrio, Metropolitan Museum of Art, and many other organizations. We recently were awarded a grant through the Bronx Borough President's Office which will allow our students to compete in a film festival based on video documentaries. We participate in the National Honor Society, and inducted several students last year.

Special Academic Programs

Four year sequence in Art; Bilingual classes, College Now, Independent Study, Internships, Leadership class, Service Learning, Town Hall Lab, and New Directions for our Youth.

Extracurricular Activities

Students have opportunities to participate in clubs and on PSAL teams. Our boys basketball and baseball teams have reached championship levels for several of the past seasons. Field trips are also arranged. Clubs include computer, art and drama, and music. Our Leadership class performs community service activities throughout campus and community.

Community Support

Collaboration with United Way provides students with a Health Clinic, an Artist in Residence and an Internship Program. We also collaborate with The Bronx Museum of the Arts, the Studio Museum, the American Folk Art Museum, and Young Audiences.

Parent/School Support

Parents participate in School Leadership Team activities. Parent workshops are held to discuss relevant topics such as promoting student success and adolescent issues. PA meetings are held regularly. Technology workshops are offered. They also participate in building wide events planned by the Leadership class, and Parent Activities Coordinator.

2006-07 School Accountability Status:

In Need of Improvement - Year 2

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 529 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	1.6
Crimes Against Persons		3	2.6
Other Crimes		29	18.5
Non- Criminal		38	45.6

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: MONROE ACADEMY FOR VISUAL ARTS|HIGH SCHOOL OF WORLD CULTURES|BRONX COALITION COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL|BRONX LITTLE SCHOOL|MONROE ACADEMY FOR BUSINESS/LAW, Similar-Sized Schools include all schools and consolidated locations with enrollments of 2001-2500 students

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

Recent Immigrants*

Percent of enrollment	2004	2005	2006
This school	2.4	5.8	5.1
Similar schools	7.8	6.7	4.9
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	3.8
ECUADOR	0.4
JAMAICA	0.2

Profile of Entering Ninth and Tenth Graders*

Characteristics	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
	Percent	Percent	Percent
Gender Male	62.2	46.6	50.5
Gender Female	37.8	53.4	49.5
Part-time Special Education	20	8	5.8
Full-time Special Education	10.4	4.8	5.2
ELL	29.6	13.8	12.8
Over-age for grade	45.2	31.9	29.9
Percent eligible for free lunch	45.2	31.9	29.9
Avg. daily attend. during prior sem.	87.3	90.5	89.8
Percent meeting standard in:			
ELA (tested only)	11.4	27.2	32.7
Mathematics (tested only)	13.8	34.1	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

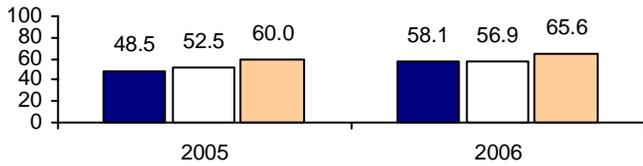
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			School Number	Percent

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

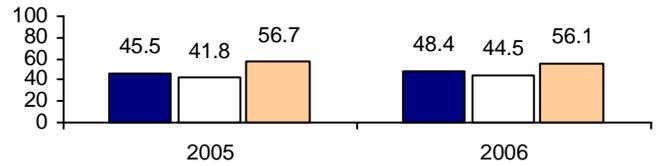
SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

TEACHERS

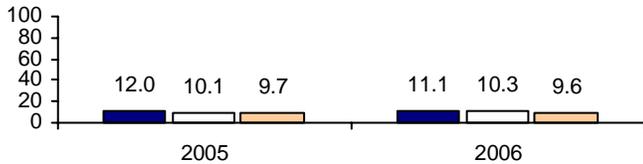
Percent More Than Two Years Teaching in This School



Percent More Than Five Years Teaching Anywhere



Average Days Absent



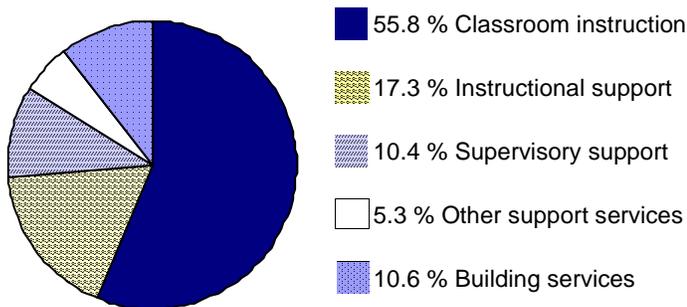
SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

Average Spending Per Student (Direct Services Only)

	2004	2005	2006
This school	\$9,883	\$11,127	N/A
Similar schools	\$11,536	\$12,002	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	109.8	96.3	97.4
Similar schools	75.8	84.7	85.1
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	154	57.8	33.1	3.9	163	71.2	57.1	1.8
Similar Schools	2133	70.6	48.5	7.2	2390	71.3	54.6	8.2
City Schools	63738	78.1	61.6	16.6	70344	77.6	62.9	16.6
MATH A								
This School	166	60.8	34.9	4.8	194	67.5	43.3	2.6
Similar Schools	2822	69.4	43.9	6.1	2357	72.9	46.5	4.9
City Schools	74616	81.2	61.0	13.6	76930	83.1	62.3	13.9
MATH B								
This School					1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Similar Schools	85	48.2	27.1	0.0	160	44.4	34.4	5.0
City Schools	18163	70.4	58.5	16.3	21205	68.9	56.4	15.5
CHEMISTRY								
This School	41	19.5	2.4	0.0	22	9.1	4.5	0.0
Similar Schools	232	43.1	15.9	0.9	186	55.4	26.3	3.2
City Schools	23988	77.5	55.9	10.5	24062	79.3	58.0	13.1
LIVING ENVIRONMENT								
This School	211	37.0	13.7	0.0	254	47.2	23.6	0.4
Similar Schools	2408	58.3	33.9	3.7	1640	60.7	33.4	2.0
City Schools	62307	72.7	55.2	10.6	65322	76.0	56.5	9.7
GLOBAL HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY								
This School	193	29.5	12.4	2.6	228	46.9	26.8	3.1
Similar Schools	2619	56.2	33.8	8.1	2071	50.3	30.0	3.2
City Schools	73666	68.8	51.1	15.3	77999	66.6	49.4	16.5
U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT								
This School	138	26.8	15.9	3.6	151	64.9	39.1	10.6
Similar Schools	1516	60.3	38.9	8.8	1471	69.4	48.3	10.7
City Schools	60352	76.4	61.9	25.6	65271	79.8	64.0	27.7
LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH								
This School	27	88.9	88.9	85.2	4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Similar Schools	304	97.4	95.7	70.1	304	96.7	96.1	79.3
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	116	3711	100890
Percent taking SAT	29.3	32.2	36.1

Average SAT Scores*

SAT Section	This School	Similar Schools	City Schools
Verbal	390	391	444
Mathematics	368	392	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	27.8	51.1	44.3
2-Year college	31.9	21.9	16.2
Employment	1.4	2.3	3.3
Military services	2.8	0.8	0.9
Other	36.1	24	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.