

## Maritime Partnerships

### Billion Oyster Project



BoP is dedicated to putting students at the center of the movement to restore oyster reefs to New York Harbor — allowing them to use their education to help solve environmental challenges in their own backyard.

### RETI: Resilience, Education, Training and Innovation



The RETI (Resilience, Education, Training and Innovation) Center is a non-profit organization that is dedicated to building strength in communities through resiliency focused economic development.

### Future Facility Upgrades 2022 - 2025



## Join Us On Our Maiden Voyage

### **Our Manifest, Our Course, Our Destination**

PS 676 has seen great benefits in creating a school designed around student voice and choice, with the help of the Imagine schools team over the past two years.

PS 676 will begin its transition in 2022 with the addition of a 6<sup>th</sup> grade cohort and by 2025 will complete its transition to New York City's first Harbor Middle School in a new facility serving grades 6-8.

### Interested in taking a tour of our school?

If you would like to take a virtual tour of our school, please sign up on our website. Tours are **Tuesday's** at **9:00 am** starting on 11/23/21. Visit us at [ps676bk.org](http://ps676bk.org) to learn more.

**Ps 676 NYC's First Public Harbor Middle School in District 15**

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Launching NYC's First  
Public Harbor Middle  
School in District 15



### **Harbor Studies at P.S. 676**

Our Harbor studies will empower students to be advocates of sustainability and community resilience. We will provide students with experiences on and around the waterfront that build maritime knowledge and skills, while getting students civically engaged.



### **Ms. Shon's STEAM LAB and Science Exploration**

Students learn core science through project-based, place-based learning. The goal is to empower students to explore, understand, and act upon the most important issues facing their community and the New York Harbor that surrounds them. Students act as conservation biologists, food scientists, marine scientists, and water resource engineers, as they learn and apply STEAM to fight the climate crisis, food insecurity, and health injustice in their community.



### **Captain Jack's Harbor Science Studies and Boatbuilding**

Students learn about all aspects of NY Harbor through a hands-on STEAM curriculum, designed to spark curiosity and increase the students' awareness of the natural world around them. The kids learn by doing as they study marine biology, weather and climate, maps and geography, maritime history, and much more. In our boatbuilding program, kids actually build a full size and fully functional sailboat right in their classroom that they sail in the East River in June at the program's culminating event.



This image is courtesy of Brooklyn Boatworks

### **HarborCore Mentorship Program**

The Harbor Corps Mentorship Program is a collaborative partnership with the Urban Assembly New York Harbor High School. P.S. 676 students meet weekly at the RETI Center barge to participate in exploratory learning through water lab experiences with students from the Harbor High School. These projects allow them to learn more about harbor ecosystems, sustainable waterfront design, and environmental preservation while gaining vital workplace skills in their own communities.

### **CTE (career technical education)**

CTE studies are designed to prepare with skills that will eventually prepare students for industry certification in marine science or technology and, including work-based learning experiences in the real-world.

