



## Welcome and Introductions



**Dr. Rushell White** has more than 20 years of experience in public education, with deep roots in the New York City Public Schools.

A proud immigrant, her journey is grounded in Brooklyn:

- as a student at IS 383, Dewey High School, and Brooklyn College
- as a teacher and administrator at Maxwell in East New York
- then Director of Continuous Improvement, and most recently, Deputy Superintendent of Brooklyn North High Schools

Dr. White is a lifelong leader who lifts others to their full potential. She is committed to expanding on the legacy of Brooklyn North High Schools by centering students, leading with love, and innovating for tomorrow as Interim Acting Superintendent.

## Brooklyn North High Schools

#### District Mission

Each student will be nurtured by a loving, inclusive learning community where they can pursue their passions, and achieve academic excellence and economic freedom. They will graduate within four years – becoming college- and career-ready – and be highly qualified to collaborate, communicate, think critically, and act creatively as global citizens.

#### District Vision

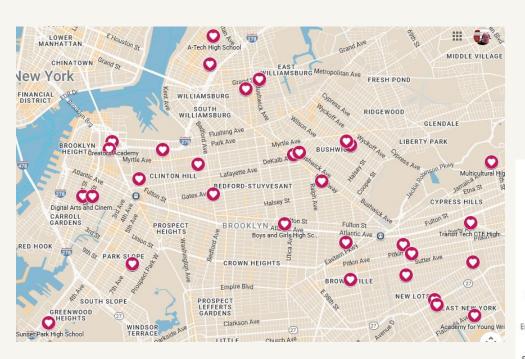
BKNHS will operationalize *Centering Children*, *Leading with Love*, *and Innovating for Tomorrow* through integrating data, building collective efficacy, and using an asset-based lens. This will ensure each student is provided with loving, inclusive learning communities where they can pursue their passions, achieve academic excellence and economic freedom.



## Brooklyn North High Schools

Centering Children + Leading with Love + Innovating for Tomorrow

### **District Overview**



#### **Click HERE**

to view an interactive map to learn more about each school

#### As of 11/15/2025

Enrollment: 25,552

Attendance: 90%

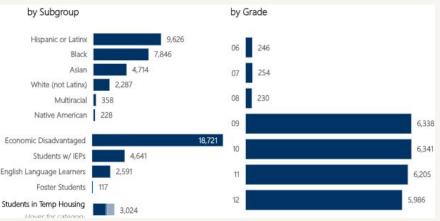
Chronic Absenteeism: 27%

#### **School Type**

High Schools: 42 Secondary Schools: 5

SWD: 18% M/ELL: 10%

STH: 12% EconD: 73%



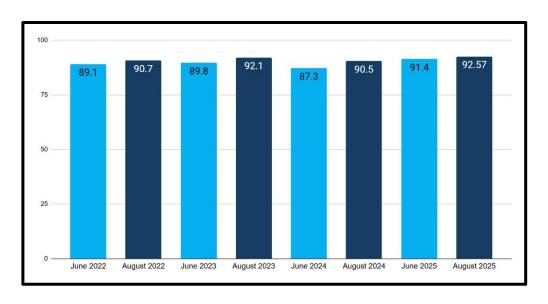


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## Graduation Rate Analysis - by Student Demographic



#### 2024 Data:

Black – 91%

*Hispanic or Latinx – 86%* 

SWD - 82%

ENL - 67%

#### 2025 Data:

*Black* – 92%

*Hispanic or Latinx – 89%* 

SWD - 82%

ENL - 84%



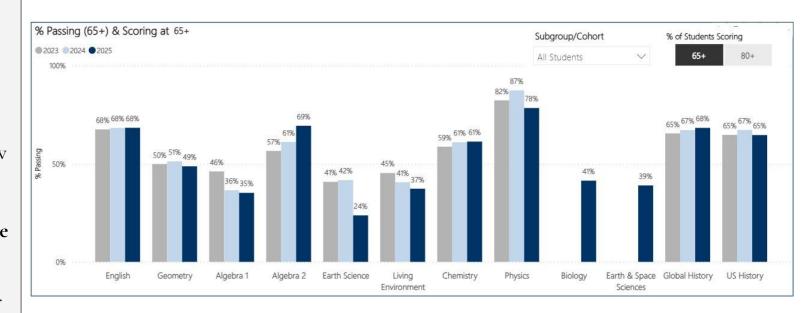
## June Regents Pass Rates

## State of the District Address

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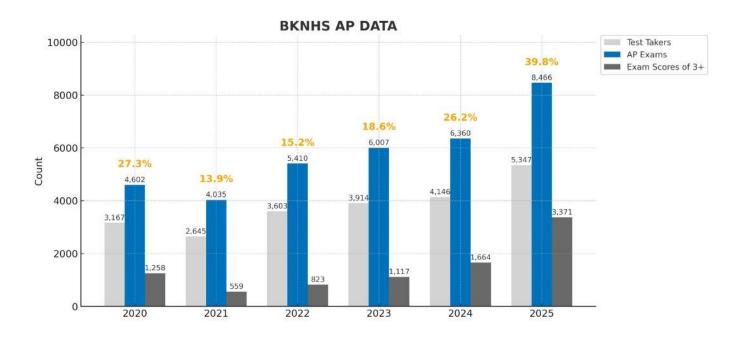


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### Advanced Placement Data



NOTE: this internal, BKNHS data compilation does not include specialized high schools, nor any school not offering AP exams



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### Climate and Attendance

Attendance: 89.6%

Chronic Absenteeism: 26%

#### Attendance by Intervals:

- 90 I-95%: **23**
- 85.I-90%: **18**
- ≤85: **15**

#### *CA by Intervals:*

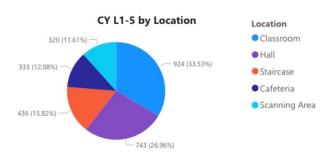
- ≤25: II
- 26-30: **3**
- ≥31: **33**

#### SY25 Climate Data: L4-5



Focus Interventions – High Level Infractions: B36, B37, and B39's accounted for >65% of all L4-5's

#### SY25 Climate Data: L1-3



Focus Interventions – Low Level Infractions: B20, B21, and B24's accounted for >60% of all L1-3's



## Brooklyn North High Schools in District 15

School Name 个	DBN 🎖	School Type	Active Students (#)	SWD	ML	Students in temporary housing	Official YTD attendance rate	Class of 2025 Grad Rate
Cobble Hill	15K519	HS	297	23.9%	30%	21.9%	81.6%	75%
CSA	15K463	HS	219	27.9%	26%	17.8%	90%	86.6%
Digital Tech HS	15K429	HS	282	25.9%	3%	7.8%	92.1%	100%
John Jay	15K462	HS	493	19.5%	7%	13.8%	87%	84.6%
Millenium BK	15K684	HS	680	16.3%	0%	3.4%	96.1%	100%
Park Slope Collegiate	15K464	6 to 12	495	28.5%	5%	11.5%	89.7%	91.7%
Sunset Park	15K667	HS	1202	20.1%	25%	14.9%	84.9%	86.5%



District Goals

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## District Goals: Goal 1

By June 2026, BKNHS will ensure all students graduate their schools college-ready and career-ready – with a strong plan and pathway to economic security.

## As a result:

- enrollment in advanced courses for all students will **increase** by 3% to 77%
- 1:1 college and career advising session for all students will **increase** by 6% to 95% (with comparable increases for subgroups of STH & SWD)
- the number of schools offering the New York State Seal of Biliteracy (NYSSB) to all students will **increase** by 2 to 20 schools



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## District Goals: Goal 2

By June 2026, all BKNHS schools will **provide** student learning experiences. These will be:

- literacy-based
- culturally responsive and sustaining
- inclusive of standards-aligned curricula with formative assessments each monitoring progress, differentiated to meet student needs, and integrated with highly-impactful instructional practices

As a result, average district Regents scores for all students will **increase** by 3 to 7 points for ELA and Algebra I.



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## District Goals: Goal 3

By June 2026, BKNHS will provide holistic instructional programs in which all students have access to opportunities that are meaningful, inform purpose, inspire activism, and aligned to support viable college and career pathways post-high school. School stakeholders will organize systems and structures to ensure an emotionally and physically safe learning environment and effectively engage students.

#### As a result, we will:

- decrease high level infractions (level 4/5) by 3%
- reduce repeat suspensions by 2%
- **increase** "student connectedness" by 5% (as measured by the Student Perception Survey)
- increase attendance by 2%
- and reduce chronic absenteeism by 3%



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## District Goals: Goal 4

By June 2026, all BKNHS schools will **expand** family involvement and **increase** enrollment through **collaborating** with community stakeholders and external partners.

This will **empower** parents to be supporters, monitors, and advocates to join us in **sustaining** and **advancing** student academic outcomes and personal success.

As a result, the NYC School Survey family responses will reflect a 2-percentage point **increase** in affirmative responses on school events and teacher communication. Enrollment at our 5 smallest schools will **increase** by an average of 5%.



District Priorities

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## **NYCPS Priorities:**

**Priority 1:** All students learn to read well (NYC Reads)

**Priority 2:** All students are physically and emotionally safe (*Meeting the Moment*)

**Priority 3:** All students have a high-quality academic experience (NYC Solves)

and families, including having more families choose NYC Public Schools

**Priority 4:** All students graduate college- and career-ready and have a strong plan and pathway to economic security (Meeting the Moment)

**Priority 5:** All districts and schools are more inclusive and responsive for parents



District Priorities

Priority 1

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## Priority 1: All students learn to read well

Improve overall student achievement and proficiency on the ELA Regents exam

#### Action Steps

- Strengthen Tier 1 instruction through the use of high-quality, standards-aligned curriculum.
- Provide monthly professional learning focused on enhancing instructional practices, with targeted support for students with disabilities (SWD) and English language learners (ELLs).
- Conduct daily school visits to deliver hands-on coaching and support across ELA classrooms.

Decrease the number of students performing far below average on the MAP Growth universal screener.

#### Action Steps

- Support all schools in implementing effective, research-based reading interventions.
- Strengthen progress monitoring of interventions and the implementation of a comprehensive Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS).





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Priority 1

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#### **Overview**

In Brooklyn North, 32 of our schools use HMH Into Literature: a comprehensive, 9–12 ELA curriculum that integrates planning, standards alignment, assessment, and differentiated instruction — including supports for multilingual learners — on the HMH Ed Learning Platform. Blending classic and contemporary literature, it helps students connect personal experiences with diverse perspectives while developing critical thinking and college- and career-readiness skills. Its flexible design allows teachers to customize lessons, while integrated tools like Writable and NWEA MAP Growth support scaffolded writing, progress monitoring, and targeted instruction.

#### Resources

- 9-12 Digital HMH Unit Guides
- HMH Multilingual learners guide
- Link to sample HMH text
- HMH Family Letter



9-12 HMH Unit Family Overviews



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Priority 2

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## Priority 2: All students are physically and emotionally safe

By June 2026, BKNHS will provide holistic instructional programs in which all students have access to opportunities that are meaningful, inform purpose, inspire activism, and aligned to support viable college and career pathways post high school. School stakeholders will organize systems and structures to ensure an emotionally and physically safe learning environment that effectively engages students.

As a result, we will decrease high level infractions (level 4/5) by 3%, reduce repeat suspensions by 2%, increase student connectedness by 5%, increase attendance by 2%, and reduce chronic absenteeism by 3%.



District Priorities

Priority 2

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## Priority 2: All students are physically and emotionally safe

Content Areas	District Theory of Action – Culture, Climate, College & Career Readiness
Attendance	When all school stakeholders are aligned by mission and vision to develop a learning community that is inclusive, safe, and nurturing, then all students will attend school every day to be present in classrooms facilitated by vibrant instruction that awakens curiosity and generates excitement to inform viable college and career ready pathways.
Counseling	When students are provided comprehensive guidance, support, and advocacy across the school instructional program, then they will build the essential academic, social-emotional, and career readiness skills to successfully achieve their goals, graduate college and career ready, and thrive in the world around them.
Safety/Restor ative Practice	When students feel emotionally and physically safe, then they will feel empowered to be fully present to engage instructional tasks, build community while establishing relationships across peer groups, and form supportive networks that will facilitate access to opportunities and meaningful participation within the school and global community.
Student Voice	When students are provided spaces to be seen, heard, and affirmed, then they will be able to activate their potential to wonder and question while making connections while learning within the surrounding environment, further understanding the importance and impact of servant leadership, civic engagement, and inspired collaboration in support of personal, academic, economic and postsecondary success.



District Priorities

Priority 3

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## Priority 3: All students have a high quality academic experience

Increase all students' performance on the Algebra 1 Regents exams

#### Action Steps

- Provide monthly professional learning to develop instructional practice with support for SWD and ELL students
- Conduct daily school visits to provide hands on support implementing the IM curriculum across Algebra classrooms
- Develop and maintain robust systems for ongoing progress monitoring of student achievement with the lowest performing standards throughout the school year.





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## Priority 3: All students have a high quality academic experience (continued)

Decrease the number of students scoring far below average performance on the MAP growth universal screener

#### Action Steps

- Ensure schools administer a secondary screener as needed based on data analysis to verify results and inform placement.
- Support progress monitoring of interventions and the implementation of multi-tiered systems of support (MTSS).





# Priority 3: All students have a high quality academic experience (continued)

## State of the District Address

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BKNHS partnered with NYC Solves to:strengthen math skills for all students

- implement high-quality, research-based curricula
- provide extensive teacher training and coaching

This NYCPS initiative aims to **improve** student performance by **shifting** the focus from *procedural memorization* to **conceptual understanding** and **real-world application** 

Through this initiative, **45 of our 47 schools** are in either Year 2 or Year 3 of implementing Illustrative Math (IM)



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#### Overview of Illustrative Math (IM):

IM (Illustrative Mathematics) is a **problem-based math program** that helps students think, reason, and communicate mathematically. Instead of memorizing steps, **students explore problems, discuss strategies, and build deep understanding of concepts.** In an IM classroom, students:

- Work collaboratively to solve real-world problems
- Explain their thinking using words, numbers, and visuals
- Learn multiple ways to approach a problem
- Build confidence in reasoning and sharing ideas

#### Resources:

- Grade 9, Algebra 1 Units
- IM Learning Family Support: The Family Support Hub IM K-12 has links to resources including family support materials for each grade and course.
- NYC Math Team's Tips on Helping your Child with Math This is a great tip sheet with examples for how caregivers can help their children at home, as well as actions to avoid. Translations: Arabic Haitian Creole Urdu Bangla Korean Chinese Russian French Spanish



9th Grade Algebra 1 IM Unit Family Overviews



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## Edia - Math Intervention Program

Edia is an AI-powered online platform designed to help K-12 students improve their math skills by providing personalized support and math intervention strategies.

- Offers step-by-step explanations and one-on-one tutoring to address student misconceptions and build mathematical understanding.
- Helps teachers create differentiated assignments, identify students in need of support, and track progress toward state standards





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Priority 3

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## Priority 3: All students have a high quality academic experience (continued)

- To ensure our students become global citizens, we are planning and facilitating the following international trips
  - Japan (Academy for Young Writers, Academy of Innovative Tech, George Westinghouse CTE HS)
    - Spain (Academy of Urban Planning, Bard HS Early College Brooklyn, Sunset Park HS)
       Costa Rica (Benjamin Banneker Academy)
    - o England & France (Brooklyn Collegiate HS)
    - Central Europe (Brooklyn HS of the Arts, Science Skills Center)
    - o Greece (Brooklyn Lab, Cypress Hills, EBC Bushwick, Brooklyn Tech HS)
  - Italy (Brooklyn Tech HS, Digital Arts & Cinema Tech)
  - London & Paris (Cyberarts Studio Academy)
  - o Barcelona & Paris (East New York Family Academy)
  - o **Peru** (Millennium Brooklyn, Sunset Park HS)
  - o Barbados, England, Brazil (PATHS)
  - O China (Bard Brooklyn)



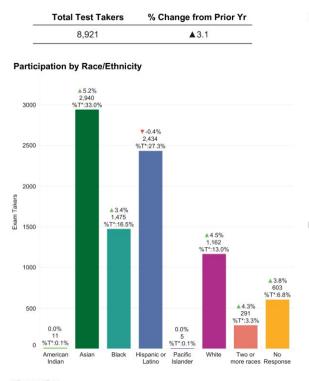
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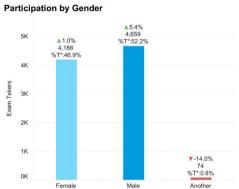
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#### Advanced Placement Course Participation by Race/Ethnicity, Gender





#### Fee Reduction Usage

Students Receiving	% of Students Receiving		
Fee reductions	Fee reductions		
6,264	70.2%		

<sup>\*</sup> Percent of Total



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## Expanding Access to 21st Century Careers

- CISCO Networking Academy
  - Skills-to-jobs program with curricula on cybersecurity, networking, programming, and other I.T.-related topics (Currently offered)
- Microsoft Credential and Badging
  - Initiative that introduces and validates skills highly valued by I.T. professionals and industry writ large (Spring 2026)
- Introducing Artificial Intelligence
   Opportunities
  - Preparing students for growing field of research and enterprise (Spring 2026)





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## Early College Access and Opportunities

Brooklyn North High School's SMART Scholars - Early College High School

- An initiative where students take college courses while in high school

#### Partnerships with:

- Long Island University Brooklyn Campus
- CUNY Brooklyn College (Spring 2026)
- Various HBCUs
- Equity Lab (various national universities)
- Virginia State University





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## Early College Access and Opportunities (continued)

Brooklyn North High School and SUNY Partnership

- Annual SUNY College Fair
  - o 2024: ~1,100 students attended
  - o 2025: ~780 students attended
  - o **2026** edition on April 19th, 2026
- SUNY-Sponsored Campus Tours for BKNHS Seniors
  - o **2024:** ~1,500 students
  - **2025:** ~870 students
    - 8 SUNY Schools
    - 23 Trips across October, November
    - **26** BKNHS Schools involved
- Partnership with Arthur Ashe Institute and Cobble Hill High School to Geneseo Honors College





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## SY24-25 District Data: NYC Schools Survey Family Responses

#### Reflections:

Based on 11,192 responses,

• 77% of BKNHS families responded affirmatively that, "school creates opportunities for parents to be involved in school activities and in their child's learning." This is a 1%-point increase from 2023-24.

While we did not meet our goal of 80%, we are proud of the percentage of affirmative responses from student groups outperforming the district and NYCPS high schools:

- 84% of MLL families
- 86% of IEP families
- 85% of Black families
- 81% of STH families



District Priorities

Priority 5

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Interim Acting Superintendent of Brooklyn North High Schools Priority 5: All districts and schools are more inclusive and responsive for parents and families, including having more families choose NYC Public Schools

#### Goals:

By June 2026, Family responses in the NYC School Survey will reflect a 2-percentage - point increase in affirmative responses regarding teacher communication and attending school events. By June 2026, projected enrollment for Fall 2026, for our 5 smallest schools (with full grade-spans) will increase by 10%.

Action Steps: We will continue to support parent coordinators and parent association executive boards to collaborate with principals to create engagement opportunities that directly respond to what parents want in terms of engagement. Parent coordinators will be supported with biweekly office hours and in-person professional learning sessions, in collaboration with content experts (Project Open Arms, FACE, Presidents Council). New PCs will be matched with a veteran PC for mentoring. The district will track engagement opportunities by monitoring PCAR, escalating any outliers, and engaging with PCs for clarification when needed. We will also offer regular check-ins with elected parent leaders throughout the school year to hear their feedback.



## November Focus:

## HS Admissions

#### **NYCPS HS Enrollment Page:**

https://www.schools.nyc.gov/enrollment/enroll-grade-by-grade/high-school

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### **High School**





#### **Fall 2026 High School Admissions Timeline**

These are the key dates for students who are applying to high school for Fall 2026:

- Tuesday, October 7, 2025: High School Application, LaGuardia Application, and Specialized High Schools Admissions Test (SHSAT) Registration Opens
- Friday, October 31, 2025: SHSAT Registration Closes
- Wednesday, December 3, 2025: High School and LaGuardia Applications Close
- Thursday, March 5, 2026: High School Offer Release

These dates are subject to change. Any changes will be announced and communicated directly to families. Sign up for updates here 

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#### **SHSAT Goes Digital**

<u>Click here</u> to view video about the online exam.

**Click here** for information, tutorials and practice exams.





Brooklyn
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High Schools
2025-26
Directory

## Thanks to all our CSDs & CECs for supporting our Fair! Click here for photos



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For Open House info



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Brooklyn North Spotlight Schools

District 15

#### **Cobble Hill High School of American Studies**



#### **OPEN HOUSE**

Wednesday's from 5-6pm on: Oct 8th, 22nd, & 29th; Nov 5th, 12th, & 19th Saturday's from 10-12pm on: Oct 25: Nov 8 &15th In-Person Tours for Students and Family held every Friday at 10-11am!



#### PLTW Biomedical Science

**Biomedical Science** empowers students to build knowledge and skills in biomedical science. as well as indemand transportable skills like problem solvina. critical and creative thinking, communication, and

collaboration.



#### 4 Year AVID Sequence

No matter what postsecondary path high school graduates choose, we ensure that students develop the essential skills needed to design their own futures: critical thinking. collaboration. reading, writing, and



#### **JRC Legal Studies**

Our dynamic, student centered law and civic education program cultivates future leaders as students learn about the functions of government, their roles and responsibilities as citizens, and develop a heightened respect

for the law.



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#### JRC LEGAL STUDIES K91B

- **Introduction to Criminal Justice**
- Criminology
- Constitutional Law
- SUPA CyberSecurity

#### PLTW BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE **K91A**

- · Principal of Biomedical Interventions
- · Human Body System
- **Medical Intervention**
- **Biomedical Innovations**

#### SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY PROJECT ADVANCE (SUPA)

Introduction to Cybersecurity **Forensic Science English Literature** 

#### OUTLIER UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Intro to Business **Professional Communication** Intro to Financial accounting Intro to Sociology Intro to Psychology

**Pre Calculus** Computer Science

#### AP COURSES

AP Biology **AP United States and Government** AP U. S. History

**AP English Language & Composition AP Literature & Composition AP Statistics** 

**AP Spanish Language** 

**Google Certification Courses** 

COLLEGE NOW COURSES NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY (CITY TECH

#### **AVID WICOR FRAMEWORK - SCHOOL WIDE**

Writing, inquiry, collaboration, organization, and reading across grades and in various subjects. Students are taught organizational strategies, engage in critical thinking (close reading, Socratic seminars, text analysis, research, debate, argumentative writing, experiment, simulations); and engage in peer tutorials. All of our students take an AVID elective every semester.



Brooklyn North Spotlight Schools

District 15

CYBERARTS STUDIO ACADEMY

237 7TH AVE. BROOKLYN, NY 11215 Valrie Wauchope, Principal

#### **INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS 2024-2025**

If teachers coherently design culturally relevant, rigorous, and differentiated lessons that encourage critical thinking, student-led discussion and incorporate the use of technology, then student engagement, collaboration, and social-emotional capacity will increase, which in turn will help them to be college and career ready.

#### **SCHOOL STATISTICS**



COMPLIANCE

COLLEGE COMPLIANCE ENROLLMENT ATTENDANCE RATE

#### ADVANCED COURSEWORK

AP Modern World History AP Black History AP Seminar AP English Language and Composition AP U.S. History AP Psychology AP Computer Science Principles AP Art and Design Program AP English Literature and Composition AP U.S. Government and Politics AP Spanish Language and Culture

#### **ACADEMIC & TECHNICAL** COURSE OFFERINGS

Graphic Design Cisco Computer Training Cybersecurity Introduction to IT Introduction to Film Digital Media Latin X Studies

#### **CAREER & COLLEGE READINESS**



Paid Internships for Seniors: Student worker program provides valuable real-

world experience. Earn College Credits: Up to 8 credits

through specialized courses; up to 21

credits via shared instruction

partnerships and online courses.

St. Francis College Partnership: Dual credit opportunities.

**CRMYA (Career Readiness and Modern** 

Youth Apprenticeship): Two- to three-

year apprenticeship program, preceded by in-depth career readiness coursework.

#### **ENGAGING EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

MSK Girls Group: Empowerment and leadership development for young women. MBK (My Brother's Keeper): Support and mentorship for young men.

Student Government: Leadership, representation, and civic engagement.

National Honor Society: Recognizing academic excellence and service.

Dream Squad: A dedicated team ensuring a welcoming, inclusive environment for multilingual, immigrant, and undocumented students and families.

PSAL Athletics: Competitive interscholastic sports opportunities in swimming, football, volleyball, baseball, and track & field.

80% STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN ARTS OR TECHNOLOGY EXTRACURRICULARS

#### **ENRICHMENT & INNOVATION**

International Trips: Expanding global awareness and cultural competence.

Small Learning Community: Personalized attention and strong student-teacher relationships.

Drone Cadet Program: Hands-on STEM learning and FAA certification preparation. Podcast Program: Media literacy, production, and communication skills.

Vinyl Visions: Critical listening, music critique, and engagement with audio technology. Book Club: Monthly selections and weekly discussions.

Tutoring: Academic support across subjects.

#### **CONNECT WITH US**

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#### Overview

- ~300 students
- · 100% graduation rate
- · 100% college acceptance rate · Students are accepted to CUNYs, SUNYs,
- lvy Leagues, and HBCUs each year School Day – 8:15 am - 2:35 pm
- · Class Periods 45 minutes with some double periods in the arts

**Arts Programs** 

· All 9th graders take one year of foundation in the

. At the end of 9th grade, students are enrolled in the

. Students have the opportunity to become certified in

Adobe Photoshop or Premiere Pro.

Digital Art or Cinema Production track for the next 3

#### **Academic Programs**

- Italian is offered as a World Language course. · Students are able to earn an Advanced Regents
- Advanced STEM offerings AP Precalculus, AP
- Calculus, AP Environmental Science
- 9 Advanced Placement courses offered National Education Equity Lab courses for 3
- college credits through HBCUs, Ivy League, and other prestigious institutions 1:1 college counseling and OneGoal college

#### Extracurriculars & Internships

PSAL Sports: Badminton, Basketball, Flag Football, Soccer, Track, Volleyball

Transition to High School

Summer Bridge program, which takes place in

All 9th graders are enrolled in crews, which is

similar to an advisory, where they will be

supported with team building, organization,

time management, and other academic and social skills that will support their academic

9th Grade Orientation in June 2026

Incoming 9th graders can sign up for the

- Over 20+ clubs including MBK/MSK. Student Council, Theatre, Travel, and many more
- support students with interview skills, resume

DT Application Code: K79A



Join us at our upcoming open houses!

Register for 11/19 Open House:

DT has a dedicated Internship Coordinator to writing, and securing internships while in high

https://www.digitaltechhs.org/admissions

#### October 16, 2025 @ 6 pm (in person)

- October 23, 2025 @ 6 pm (in person)
- November 5, 2025 @ 6 pm (virtual) November 19, 2025 @ 6 pm (in person)





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#### **STEM Night: Understanding Al Today**

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, November 11, 2025 Event: Thursday, November 13, 2025 Contact: Danny Clase | dclase@nysci@nysci.org The New York Hall of Science's STEM Career Expo will hosting an online for a panel with industry professionals as we demystify artificial intelligence and explore its impact on the future. Click <a href="here">here</a> to register. Limited space available. This event is located at 47-01 111th Street, Queens, New York 11368.

## Lucille Lortel Theatre's NYC Public High School Playwriting Fellowship

Deadline: November 26, 2025

Event: January 26 - March 30, 2026

Contact: Alana Canty-Samuel | hspf@lortel.org
The Lucille Lortel Theatre's NYC Public High School
Playwriting Fellowship is an exciting playwriting
mentorship program focused on sparking and
showcasing young creative voices. Up to seven fellows
will be chosen, from each of the five boroughs and
from D75 and D79 schools. The fellowship culminates
with an evening of staged readings with professional
actors of these original student-written one-act plays.
The program is FREE and open to any NYC public
high school student with something to say. For more
information, visit lortel.org/hspf.

#### NYU Stern – EFL Young Ambassadors Program

Event: Ongoing (October 2025 – May 2026) Contact: Stella Miao, cjm739@nyu.edu | Matt Myers, mdm9816@stern.nyu.edu

Are you a high school student in NYC curious about startups, science, or business? The EFL Young EFL Young Ambassadors Program at the NYU Stern School of Business is a free opportunity to join real-world startup conferences, shadow NYU MBA mentors, and learn directly from founders, investors, and scientists. Students selected will attend at least one full EFL meeting day and one virtual prep session. Apply to EFL Young Ambassadors 2025-26.

#### Mas Family Scholarships

Application Period: Oct 15, 2025 – Jan 31, 2026 Contact: contact@masfamilyscholarships.org In 1996, the Mas Family established a scholarship fund to support the educational aspirations of talented young Cuban and Cuban American men and women. This enduring initiative reflects a profound belief in the power of hard work, dedication, and the opportunities possible in a free society. Students interested in applying must be Cuban or of direct Cuban descent, have a 3.5 GPA or higher, demonstrate leadership and community involvement, and have financial need. Info & application at <a href="https://www.masfamilyscholarships.org">www.masfamilyscholarships.org</a>.



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## Brooklyn North Food Distribution Centers

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https://www.ccbq.org/service/food-pantry-network/

https://brmuhc.org/community-food-center/

https://www.instagram.com/flatbushcommunityfridge

Central Baptist Food Distribution Center 260 Knickerbocker Ave - (718) 381-2055

Emmanuel Pentecostal Church of Love Food Pantry 549 Gates Ave - (718) 638-8361

Sunset Park Emergency Food Distribution Center 443 39th St - (718) 438-9500

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