

New York State School Report Card Comprehensive Information Report

BEDS Code : 14-06-00-01-0056

Grade Range : 6-8

Name : P.S. 56

Principal: Mr. Michael Gruber

Fall Enrollment

Grade	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002
Pre-K	0	0	0
Kindergarten	0	0	0
First	0	0	0
Second	0	0	0
Third	0	0	0
Fourth	0	0	0
Fifth	0	0	0
Sixth	121	135	109
Ungraded Elementary	25	0	7
Seventh	106	125	128
Eighth	107	98	110
Ninth	0	0	0
Tenth	0	0	0
Eleventh	0	0	0
Twelfth	0	0	0
Ungraded Secondary	0	0	0
Total K-12 Enrollment	359	358	354

Student Racial/Ethnic Origin

Race/Ethnicity	1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
American Indian, Alaskan, Asian, or Pacific Islander	13	3.6%	11	3.1%	10	2.8%
Black (Not Hispanic)	190	52.9%	192	53.6%	186	52.5%
Hispanic	15	4.2%	18	5.0%	21	5.9%
White (Not Hispanic)	141	39.3%	137	38.3%	137	38.7%

Limited English Proficient Students (also known as English language learners)

1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

Average Class Size

Grade Level	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002
Kindergarten	0	0	0
Common Branch	24	22	22
English Grade 8	22	19	23
Mathematics Grade 8	33	15	20
Science Grade 8	20	19	23
Social Studies Grade 8	21	0	23
English Grade 10	0	0	0
Mathematics Grade 10	0	0	0
Science Grade 10	0	0	0
Social Studies Grade 10	0	0	0

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District Need to Resource Capacity Category

N/RC Category	Description
2	This is one of the large city school districts; Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, or Yonkers. All these districts have high student needs relative to district resource capacity.

Similar School Group and Description

Similar School Group	Description
22	All schools in this group are middle level schools in large cities other than New York City. The schools in this group are in the lower range of student needs for middle level schools in these districts.

All schools within the same N/RC category are divided into three similar school groups defined by the percentage of students in the school who are eligible for the free-lunch program and/or who are limited English proficient (also known as English language learners).

Attendance and Suspension

	1998–1999		1999–2000		2000–2001	
	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
Annual Attendance Rate		95.2%		93.7%		94.1%
Student Suspensions	8	1.6%	34	9.5%	30	8.4%

**Student Socioeconomic and Stability Indicators
(Percent of Enrollment)**

	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002
Free Lunch	25.1%	30.4%	29.1%
Reduced Lunch	10.3%	12.0%	35.3%
Public Assistance	21-30%	21-30%	1-10%
Student Stability	99%	100%	95%

Staff Counts

Staff	2001–2002
Total Teachers	26
Total Other Professional Staff	2
Total Paraprofessionals	NA
Teaching out of Certification*	NA
Teachers with Temporary Licenses	NA

*Teaching out of certification more than on an incidental basis. Teachers with temporary licenses are also counted as teaching out of certification.

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High School Graduates and Noncompleters

High School Graduates Earning Regents Diplomas*

	1999–2000			2000–2001			2001–2002		
	Total Grads	Regents Diplomas	% Regents Diplomas	Total Grads	Regents Diplomas	% Regents Diplomas	Total Grads	Regents Diplomas	% Regents Diplomas
General Education	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	0	0	0%
Students with Disabilities	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	0	0	0%
All Students	0	0	0%	0	0	0%	0	0	0%

*Only students awarded local diplomas (including local diplomas with Regents endorsements) are counted as high school graduates. Data reported for the 1999–2000 and 2000–2001 school years include August, January, and June graduates. Data reported for the 2001–2002 school year include only January and June graduates.

Distribution of 2001–2002 Graduates (All Students)

	To 4-year College	To 2-year College	To Other Post-Secondary	To the Military	To Employment	Other
Number	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percent	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Number of High School Completers with Disabilities in 2001–2002

Graduates* (a)	Regents Diplomas (b)	IEP Diplomas or Certificates (c)	All 2001–2002 Completers (a+c)
0	0	0	0

*Local Diplomas (including local diplomas with Regents endorsements)

High School Noncompletion Rates

		1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
		No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
General-Education Students	Dropped Out					1	0.0%
	Entered GED Program*					0	0.0%
	Total Noncompleters					1	0.0%
Students with Disabilities	Dropped Out					0	0.0%
	Entered GED Program*					0	0.0%
	Total Noncompleters					0	0.0%
All Students	Dropped Out	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
	Entered GED Program*	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Total Noncompleters	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%

*The number and percentage of students who left K-12, diploma-bound systems and entered an alternative program leading to a high school equivalency diploma.

(Form – C)

Second Language Proficiency Examinations

General-Education Students

Test	1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing
French	40	100%	10	100%	43	100%
German	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Italian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Latin	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Spanish	92	100%	115	87%	7	100%

Students with Disabilities

Test	1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing
French	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
German	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Italian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Latin	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Spanish	0	0%	3	#	0	0%

(Form – D)

Regents Examinations

	All Students			Students with Disabilities		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
Comprehensive English						
Number Tested	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sequential Mathematics, Course I (last administered January 2002)						
Number Tested	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Mathematics A						
Number Tested	1	12	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	#	12	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	#	12	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	#	4	10	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	#	100%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	#	100%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	#	33%	71%	0%	0%	0%
Global Studies (last administered January 2000)						
Number Tested	0			0		
Number Scoring 55–100	0			0		
Number Scoring 65–100	0			0		
Number Scoring 85–100	0			0		
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%			0%		
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%			0%		
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%			0%		
Global History and Geography (first administered June 2000)						
Number Tested	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

(Form – F)

Regents Examinations

	All Students			Students with Disabilities		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
U.S. History and Government (last administered January 2001)						
Number Tested	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0		0	0	
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
U.S. History and Government (first administered June 2001)						
Number Tested		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 55–100		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 65–100		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 85–100		0	0		0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100		0%	0%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100		0%	0%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100		0%	0%		0%	0%
Living Environment (first administered June 2001)						
Number Tested		22	16		0	0
Number Scoring 55–100		22	16		0	0
Number Scoring 65–100		22	16		0	0
Number Scoring 85–100		2	10		0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100		100%	100%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100		100%	100%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100		9%	62%		0%	0%
Physical Setting/Earth Science (first administered June 2001)						
Number Tested		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 55–100		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 65–100		0	0		0	0
Number Scoring 85–100		0	0		0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100		0%	0%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100		0%	0%		0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100		0%	0%		0%	0%

(Form – G)

Average Grade Enrollment

All Students

Year	Grade 9 Enrollment (June)	Grade 10 Enrollment (June)	Grade 11 Enrollment (June)	Grade 12 Enrollment (June)	AGE*
2000	0	0	0	0	107
2001	0	0	0	0	97
2002	0	0	0	0	105

*In schools with no grade 9–12 enrollment, AGE is the grade 8 enrollment as reported through LEAP.

Students with Disabilities

Year	Grade 9 Enrollment (June)	Grade 10 Enrollment (June)	Grade 11 Enrollment (June)	Grade 12 Enrollment (June)	AGE*
2000	0	0	0	0	0
2001	0	0	0	0	6
2002	0	0	0	0	2

*In schools with no grade 9–12 enrollment, AGE is the grade 8 enrollment as reported through LEAP.

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Regents Examinations

	All Students			Students with Disabilities		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
Average Grade Enrollment (AGE)	107	97	105	0	6	2
Earth Science (last administered January 2001)						
Number Tested	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0		0	0	
Percentage of AGE Tested	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 55–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 65–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 85–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%		0%	0%	
Biology (last administered January 2001)						
Number Tested	39	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 55–100	39	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 65–100	31	0		0	0	
Number Scoring 85–100	1	0		0	0	
Percentage of AGE Tested	36%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 55–100	36%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 65–100	29%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of AGE Scoring 85–100	1%	0%		0%	0%	
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	79%	0%		0%	0%	
Chemistry (last administered January 2002)						
Number Tested	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percentage of AGE Tested	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of AGE Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of AGE Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of AGE Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

(Form – L)

Introduction to Occupations Examination

	1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing
General-Education Students	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Students with Disabilities	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

On school reports, 1999–2000 and 2000–2001 data are for all students with disabilities enrolled in the school. District reports contain data for all students with disabilities enrolled in the district for the 1999–2000, 2000–2001, and 2001–2002 school years.

Elementary-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
Nov 2001	General-Education Students	105	1%	5%	46%	49%
	Students with Disabilities	12	25%	17%	33%	25%
	All Students	117	3%	6%	44%	46%

Middle-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
June 2002	General-Education Students	103	0%	4%	76%	20%
	Students with Disabilities	7	0%	57%	43%	0%
	All Students	110	0%	7%	74%	19%

(Form – N)