

# New York State School Report Card Comprehensive Information Report

BEDS Code: 66-23-00-01-0054  
 Name: Commerce Middle School  
 Principal: Fred Hernandez

Grade Range : 6-8

## Fall Enrollment

Grade	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
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	370	325	391
Ungraded Elementary	0	0	0
Seventh	325	378	360
Eighth	271	329	332
Ninth	0	0	0
Tenth	0	0	0
Eleventh	0	0	0
Twelfth	0	0	0
Ungraded Secondary	30	55	58
Total K-12 Enrollment	996	1087	1141

## Student Racial/Ethnic Origin

Race/Ethnicity	2000-2001		2001-2002		2002-2003	
	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
American Indian, Alaskan, Asian, or Pacific Islander	48	4.8%	50	4.6%	48	4.2%
Black (Not Hispanic)	405	40.7%	464	42.7%	479	42.0%
Hispanic	415	41.7%	456	42.0%	507	44.4%
White (Not Hispanic)	128	12.9%	117	10.8%	107	9.4%

## Average Class Size

Grade Level	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Kindergarten	0	0	0
Common Branch	0	0	0
English Grade 8	30	29	30
Mathematics Grade 8	28	29	30
Science Grade 8	30	28	30
Social Studies Grade 8	30	29	30
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

(Form - A)

### 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
24	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 higher 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).

### Student Demographics Used To Determine Similar Schools Group

	2000–2001		2001–2002		2002–2003	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Limited English Proficient	151	15.2%	120	11.0%	149	13.1%
Eligible for Free Lunch	770	77.3%	887	81.6%	943	82.7%

### Attendance and Suspension

	1999–2000		2000–2001		2001–2002	
	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
Annual Attendance Rate		0.0%		85.1%		95.1%
Student Suspensions	0	0.0%	167	16.8%	339	31.2%

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

	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002–2003
Reduced Lunch	4.4%	3.8%	3.9%
Public Assistance	81-90%	81-90%	81-90%
Student Stability	0%	85%	91%

### Staff Counts

Staff	2002–2003
Total Teachers	81
Total Other Professional Staff	11
Total Paraprofessionals	NA
Teaching Out of Certification*	16
Teachers with Temporary Licenses	9

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

(Form – B)

# High School Graduates and Noncompleters

## High School Graduates Earning Regents Diplomas\*

	2000–2001			2001–2002			2002–2003		
	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. Because of a change in data collection procedures during the 2001–2002 school year, diploma counts and percentage of graduates earning Regents diplomas are not necessarily comparable between years. Data for the 2000-2001 school year include January, June and August 2001 graduates; data for the 2001-2002 school year include January and June 2002 graduates; data for the 2002–2003 school year include August 2002 and January and June 2003 graduates.

## Distribution of 2002–2003 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 2002–2003

Graduates* (a)	Regents Diplomas (b)	IEP Diplomas or Certificates (c)	All 2002–2003 Completers (a+c)
0	0	0	0

\*Local Diplomas (including local diplomas with Regents endorsements)

## High School Noncompletion Rates

		2000–2001		2001–2002		2002–2003	
		No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
General-Education Students	Dropped Out			10		5	
	Entered GED Program*			0		0	
	Total Noncompleters			10		5	
Students with Disabilities	Dropped Out			0		0	
	Entered GED Program*			0		0	
	Total Noncompleters			0		0	
All Students	Dropped Out	0	0.0%	10	0.0%	5	0.0%
	Entered GED Program*	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Total Noncompleters	0	0.0%	10	0.0%	5	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)

# Career Development and Occupational Studies (CDOS)

## Percentage of Students Documenting Self- and Career-Awareness Information and Career Exploration Activities, K-3

Grades	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
K-1		0%	0%
2-3		0%	0%

## Students Developing a Career Plan, 4-12

Grades		2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
4-5	Number of General-Education Students		0	0
	Number of Students with Disabilities		0	0
	Number of All Students		0	0
	Percent of Enrollment		0%	0%
6-8	Number of General-Education Students		52	0
	Number of Students with Disabilities		8	0
	Number of All Students		60	0
	Percent of Enrollment		6%	0%
9-12	Number of General-Education Students		0	0
	Number of Students with Disabilities		0	0
	Number of All Students		0	0
	Percent of Enrollment		0%	0%

## Second Language Proficiency Examinations

### General-Education Students

Test	2000-2001		2001-2002		2002-2003	
	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	35	100%	25	100%	12	100%

### Students with Disabilities

Test	2000-2001		2001-2002		2002-2003	
	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	1	#	0	0%	1	#

(Form-D)

# Regents Examinations

	All Students			Students with Disabilities		
	2001	2002	2003	2001	2002	2003
<b>Comprehensive English</b>						
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%
<b>Mathematics A</b>						
Number Tested	0	0	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	14	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	1	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	7%	0%	0%	0%
<b>Mathematics B (first administered June 2001)</b>						
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%
<b>Global History and Geography</b>						
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%
<b>U.S. History and Government (first administered June 2001)</b>						
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		
	2001	2002	2003	2001	2002	2003
<b>Living Environment (first administered June 2001)</b>						
Number Tested	0	0	36	0	0	0
Number Scoring 55–100	0	0	36	0	0	0
Number Scoring 65–100	0	0	36	0	0	0
Number Scoring 85–100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
<b>Physical Setting/Earth Science (first administered June 2001)</b>						
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%
<b>Physical Setting/Chemistry (first administered June 2002)</b>						
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%
<b>Physical Setting/Physics (first administered June 2002)*</b>						
Number Tested						
Number Scoring 55–100						
Number Scoring 65–100						
Number Scoring 85–100						
Percentage of Tested Scoring 55–100						
Percentage of Tested Scoring 65–100						
Percentage of Tested Scoring 85–100						

\* Physical Setting/Physics results are not included in the report card because the Department is issuing a new conversion chart for this assessment. Data currently available to the Department are based on the original conversion chart for the assessment.

(Form – G)

## Introduction to Occupations Examination

	2000–2001		2001–2002		2002–2003	
	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, 2000–2001 and 2001–2002 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 2000–2001, 2001–2002, and 2002–2003 school years.

### Elementary-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
<b>Nov 2002</b>	General-Education Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Students with Disabilities	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%

### Middle-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
<b>June 2003</b>	General-Education Students	303	17%	67%	16%	0%
	Students with Disabilities	37	35%	57%	8%	0%
	All Students	340	19%	66%	15%	0%

(Form – J)