

New York State School Report Card Comprehensive Information Report

BEDS Code: 49-12-00-01-0006

Grade Range : PK-5

Name: Van Rensselaer Elementary School

Principal: Sally Shields

Fall Enrollment

Grade	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Pre-K	25	27	50
Kindergarten	78	57	71
First	96	82	72
Second	75	92	92
Third	75	80	90
Fourth	104	77	84
Fifth	89	95	88
Sixth	0	0	0
Ungraded Elementary	0	0	0
Seventh	0	0	0
Eighth	0	0	0
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	517	483	497

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	9	1.7%	9	1.9%	11	2.2%
Black (Not Hispanic)	75	14.5%	76	15.7%	90	18.1%
Hispanic	13	2.5%	16	3.3%	12	2.4%
White (Not Hispanic)	420	81.2%	382	79.1%	384	77.3%

Average Class Size

Grade Level	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003
Kindergarten	16	13	15
Common Branch	18	18	18
English Grade 8	0	0	0
Mathematics Grade 8	0	0	0
Science Grade 8	0	0	0
Social Studies Grade 8	0	0	0
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
3	This is an urban or suburban school district with high student needs in relation to district resource capacity.

Similar School Group and Description

Similar School Group	Description
8	All schools in this group are elementary level schools in urban or suburban school districts with high student needs in relation to district resources. The schools in this group are in the middle range of student needs for elementary 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	13	2.4%	6	1.2%	6	1.1%
Eligible for Free Lunch	225	43.5%	209	43.3%	274	55.1%

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		97.4%		98.0%		98.0%
Student Suspensions	8	1.5%	63	12.2%	55	11.4%

Student Socioeconomic and Stability Indicators (Percent of Enrollment)

	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002–2003
Reduced Lunch	14.9%	19.7%	21.3%
Public Assistance	51-60%	51-60%	51-60%
Student Stability	96%	95%	88%

Staff Counts

Staff	2002–2003
Total Teachers	49
Total Other Professional Staff	5
Total Paraprofessionals	NA
Teaching Out of Certification*	2
Teachers with Temporary Licenses	0

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

(Form – B)

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		0	0
	Number of Students with Disabilities		0	0
	Number of All Students		0	0
	Percent of Enrollment		0%	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	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

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	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

(Form-D)

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
Nov 2002	General-Education Students	75	11%	21%	56%	12%
	Students with Disabilities	11	27%	27%	45%	0%
	All Students	86	13%	22%	55%	10%

Middle-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
June 2003	General-Education Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Students with Disabilities	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%

(Form – J)