



# The New York State School Report Card

**Comprehensive  
Information Report  
2006 – 07**

School **NIAGARA FALLS HIGH SCHOOL**  
District **NIAGARA FALLS CITY SCHOOL  
DISTRICT**

School ID **40-08-00-01-0034**  
Principal **JAMES SPANBAUER**  
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Grades **8-12, US**

## Regents Exams

		All Students				General-Education Students				Students with Disabilities			
		Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:			Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:			Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:		
			55	65	85		55	65	85		55	65	85
<b>Comprehensive English</b>	2006-07	499	98%	93%	31%	451	99%	95%	34%	48	94%	75%	0%
	2005-06	461	98%	91%	31%	413	99%	91%	34%	48	98%	85%	2%
	2004-05	489	95%	83%	26%	444	98%	87%	28%	45	73%	47%	0%
<b>Mathematics A</b>	2006-07	546	94%	85%	25%	499	96%	88%	27%	47	74%	57%	2%
	2005-06	581	95%	86%	25%	524	97%	89%	27%	57	84%	58%	5%
	2004-05	658	96%	82%	19%	563	98%	86%	21%	95	85%	62%	8%
<b>Mathematics B</b>	2006-07	253	66%	50%	10%	248	65%	49%	10%	5	100%	100%	20%
	2005-06	228	63%	50%	12%	225	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2004-05	220	51%	40%	5%	220	51%	40%	5%	0	—	—	—
<b>Global History and Geography</b>	2006-07	592	72%	47%	10%	530	75%	50%	11%	62	48%	21%	2%
	2005-06	623	77%	58%	13%	541	81%	61%	15%	82	52%	38%	2%
	2004-05	621	78%	56%	10%	525	84%	62%	11%	96	47%	24%	0%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	2006-07	470	89%	76%	31%	408	92%	79%	34%	62	66%	55%	15%
	2005-06	522	89%	73%	29%	473	90%	73%	31%	49	82%	69%	8%
	2004-05	574	79%	65%	20%	509	83%	68%	22%	65	54%	42%	6%
<b>Living Environment</b>	2006-07	499	93%	79%	7%	430	93%	82%	8%	69	90%	62%	1%
	2005-06	520	88%	68%	5%	439	91%	75%	6%	81	68%	33%	0%
	2004-05	549	89%	73%	8%	457	92%	79%	9%	92	72%	41%	3%
<b>Physical Setting/Earth Science</b>	2006-07	445	87%	73%	16%	400	90%	77%	18%	45	60%	38%	0%
	2005-06	555	89%	75%	26%	513	91%	78%	28%	42	64%	33%	2%
	2004-05	478	85%	67%	18%	426	88%	71%	21%	52	63%	35%	0%
<b>Physical Setting/Chemistry</b>	2006-07	241	90%	59%	10%	237	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
	2005-06	207	86%	58%	10%	207	86%	58%	10%	0	—	—	—
	2004-05	240	87%	50%	7%	236	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
<b>Physical Setting/Physics</b>	2006-07	122	71%	61%	11%	121	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	99	78%	61%	14%	99	78%	61%	14%	0	—	—	—
	2004-05	111	48%	34%	4%	110	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

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# Regents Exams in Languages Other Than English

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## Regents Exams

		All Students				General-Education Students				Students with Disabilities			
		Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:			Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:			Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at or above:		
			55	65	85		55	65	85		55	65	85
<b>Comprehensive French</b>	2006-07	12	100%	92%	58%	12	100%	92%	58%	0			
	2005-06	11	100%	100%	55%	11	100%	100%	55%	0			
	2004-05	40	98%	93%	15%	40	98%	93%	15%	0			
<b>Comprehensive German</b>	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
	2004-05	0				0				0			
<b>Comprehensive Hebrew</b>	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
	2004-05	0				0				0			
<b>Comprehensive Italian</b>	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
	2004-05	0				0				0			
<b>Comprehensive Latin</b>	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
	2004-05	0				0				0			
<b>Comprehensive Spanish</b>	2006-07	143	96%	94%	40%	142	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	40	95%	93%	45%	39	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2004-05	235	95%	89%	32%	224	96%	90%	33%	11	82%	73%	0%

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# Regents Competency Tests

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## Regents Competency Tests

		All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
		Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:
<b>Mathematics</b>	2006-07	108	59%	5	60%	103	59%
	2005-06	151	67%	10	90%	141	65%
	2004-05	176	63%	6	50%	170	63%
<b>Science</b>	2006-07	80	46%	5	100%	75	43%
	2005-06	122	49%	1	—	121	—
	2004-05	121	44%	5	60%	116	43%
<b>Reading</b>	2006-07	40	55%	2	—	38	—
	2005-06	148	75%	1	—	147	—
	2004-05	102	68%	4	—	98	—
<b>Writing</b>	2006-07	24	92%	2	—	22	—
	2005-06	111	90%	0	—	111	90%
	2004-05	137	82%	6	67%	131	82%
<b>Global Studies</b>	2006-07	66	56%	2	—	64	—
	2005-06	108	38%	6	67%	102	36%
	2004-05	77	27%	7	57%	70	24%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	2006-07	38	63%	3	—	35	—
	2005-06	48	54%	6	83%	42	50%
	2004-05	54	63%	4	—	50	—

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# Second Language Proficiency Examinations

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		All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
		Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:
<b>French</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	58	74%	58	74%	0	
<b>German</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	0		0		0	
<b>Italian</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	0		0		0	
<b>Latin</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	0		0		0	
<b>Spanish</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	470	85%	451	86%	19	68%

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# English as a Second Language Achievement Test

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## New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)

		All Students					General-Education Students					Students with Disabilities				
		Total Tested	Percent of students scoring in each performance level:				Total Tested	Percent of students scoring in each performance level:				Total Tested	Percent of students scoring in each performance level:			
			Begin.	Interm.	Adv.	Prof.		Begin.	Interm.	Adv.	Prof.		Begin.	Interm.	Adv.	Prof.
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades K-1)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)</b>	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
	2004-05	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)</b>	2006-07	11	9%	36%	18%	36%	10	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	9	0%	11%	33%	56%	9	0%	11%	33%	56%	0				
	2004-05	12	0%	8%	50%	42%	12	0%	8%	50%	42%	0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)</b>	2006-07	11	18%	45%	0%	36%	10	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	9	0%	56%	11%	33%	9	0%	56%	11%	33%	0				
	2004-05	12	0%	50%	42%	8%	12	0%	50%	42%	8%	0				

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# Other Assessments

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## Elementary/Middle-Level Social Studies 2006–07

	All Students					General-Education Students					Students with Disabilities				
	Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at level:				Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at level:				Total Tested	Percentage of students scoring at level:			
		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4
<b>Elementary Level</b>	0					0					0				
<b>Middle Level</b>	0					0					0				

## 2003 Total Cohort Performance on Regents Exams After Four Years

	All Students				General-Education Students				Students with Disabilities			
	Cohort Enrollment	Percentage of students scoring:			Cohort Enrollment	Percentage of students scoring:			Cohort Enrollment	Percentage of students scoring:		
		55–64	65–84	85–100		55–64	65–84	85–100		55–64	65–84	85–100
<b>Global History and Geography</b>	543	16%	51%	10%	457	16%	55%	12%	86	19%	26%	0%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	543	8%	37%	28%	457	8%	38%	32%	86	7%	34%	5%
<b>Science</b>	543	8%	60%	16%	457	6%	63%	19%	86	19%	43%	2%

## New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2006–07

	All Students					
	Total Tested	Number of students scoring at Level:				
		1	2	3	4	
<b>Elementary Level</b>						
Social Studies		0				
<b>Middle Level</b>						
Social Studies		0				
<b>Secondary Level</b>						
English Language Arts		11	0	0	0	11
Mathematics		11	0	0	0	11
Social Studies		11	0	0	1	10
Science		11	0	0	0	11

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The New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) is for students with severe cognitive disabilities. Results for students taking the NYSSA in English language arts, mathematics, and science at the elementary and middle levels are available in the *Accountability and Overview Report* part of *The New York State Report Card*.

# High School Information

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## High School Completers

		All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
		Number of Students	Percentage of Graduates	Number of Students	Percentage of Graduates	Number of Students	Percentage of Graduates
<b>Total Graduates</b>	2006-07	421		363		58	
	2005-06	458		406		52	
	2004-05	412		371		41	
<b>Receiving a Regents Diploma</b>	2006-07	295	70%	275	76%	20	34%
	2005-06	281	61%	265	65%	16	31%
	2004-05	264	64%	245	66%	19	46%
<b>Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation</b>	2006-07	108	26%	104	29%	4	7%
	2005-06	96	21%	95	23%	1	2%
	2004-05	89	22%	89	24%	0	
<b>Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma</b>	2006-07	8	N/A	0		8	N/A
	2005-06	13	N/A	0		13	N/A
	2004-05	23	N/A	0		23	N/A

**NOTE** Students receiving Regents diplomas and Regents diplomas with advanced designation are considered graduates; recipients of IEP diplomas are not.

## High School Noncompleters

		All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
		Number of Students	Percentage of Students	Number of Students	Percentage of Students	Number of Students	Percentage of Students
<b>Dropped Out</b>	2006-07	174	8%	149	8%	25	7%
	2005-06	173	7%	130	7%	43	11%
	2004-05	23	1%	14	1%	9	2%
<b>Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program</b>	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
	2004-05	0		0		0	
<b>Total Noncompleters</b>	2006-07	174	8%	149	8%	25	7%
	2005-06	173	7%	130	7%	43	11%
	2004-05	232	9%	181	9%	51	11%

## Post-secondary Plans of 2006-07 Graduates

	All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
	Number of Students	Percentage of Students	Number of Students	Percentage of Students	Number of Students	Percentage of Students
<b>To 4-year College</b>	144	34%	142	39%	2	3%
<b>To 2-year College</b>	197	46%	158	44%	39	59%
<b>To Other Post-secondary</b>	4	1%	4	1%	0	
<b>To the Military</b>	6	1%	5	1%	1	2%
<b>To Employment</b>	61	14%	42	12%	19	29%
<b>To Adult Services</b>	0		0		0	
<b>To Other Known Plans</b>	5	1%	3	1%	2	3%
<b>Plan Unknown</b>	12	3%	9	2%	3	5%

# More Information about the School

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## Financial Information

<b>2005-06 School District-wide Total Expenditures per Pupil</b>	\$15,361
<b>2005-06 NYS Public School Total Expenditures per Pupil</b>	\$16,212
<b>2006-07 Estimated Percentage of Students from Families Receiving Public Assistance</b>	41-50%

### NOTE

Expenditure data are available only at the district level.  
Public Assistance information is available only at the school level.