



# The New York State School Report Card

**Comprehensive  
Information Report  
2007 – 08**

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 **9-12, 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>	2007-08	484	99%	96%	33%	438	100%	97%	36%	46	96%	85%	2%
	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%
<b>Mathematics A</b>	2007-08	565	95%	87%	21%	493	96%	89%	23%	72	86%	74%	10%
	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%
<b>Mathematics B</b>	2007-08	251	67%	53%	10%	246	67%	53%	11%	5	80%	60%	0%
	2006-07	253	66%	50%	10%	248	65%	49%	10%	5	100%	100%	20%
	2005-06	228	63%	50%	12%	225	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
<b>Integrated Algebra</b>	2007-08	413	85%	66%	2%	351	88%	70%	2%	62	65%	48%	0%
	2006-07	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2005-06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Global History and Geography</b>	2007-08	641	82%	64%	14%	558	84%	66%	16%	83	67%	52%	4%
	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%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	2007-08	472	95%	88%	36%	419	96%	88%	38%	53	91%	81%	19%
	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%
<b>Living Environment</b>	2007-08	427	92%	80%	7%	369	93%	82%	8%	58	81%	62%	2%
	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%
<b>Physical Setting/Earth Science</b>	2007-08	484	84%	67%	13%	429	86%	69%	14%	55	69%	53%	7%
	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%
<b>Physical Setting/Chemistry</b>	2007-08	184	84%	52%	5%	181	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2006-07	241	90%	59%	10%	237	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
	2005-06	207	86%	58%	10%	207	86%	58%	10%	0	—	—	—
<b>Physical Setting/Physics</b>	2007-08	118	77%	70%	17%	117	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	122	71%	61%	11%	121	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	99	78%	61%	14%	99	78%	61%	14%	0	—	—	—

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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>	2007-08	29	100%	100%	52%	28	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	12	100%	92%	58%	12	100%	92%	58%	0	—	—	—
	2005-06	11	100%	100%	55%	11	100%	100%	55%	0	—	—	—
<b>Comprehensive German</b>	2007-08	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2006-07	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2005-06	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
<b>Comprehensive Hebrew</b>	2007-08	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2006-07	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2005-06	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
<b>Comprehensive Italian</b>	2007-08	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2006-07	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2005-06	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
<b>Comprehensive Latin</b>	2007-08	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2006-07	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2005-06	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
<b>Comprehensive Spanish</b>	2007-08	166	95%	89%	28%	164	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2006-07	143	96%	94%	40%	142	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	40	95%	93%	45%	39	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

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# Regents Competency Tests

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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>Mathematics</b>	2007-08	152	42%	6	100%	146	40%
	2006-07	108	59%	5	60%	103	59%
	2005-06	151	67%	10	90%	141	65%
<b>Science</b>	2007-08	137	46%	7	86%	130	44%
	2006-07	80	46%	5	100%	75	43%
	2005-06	122	49%	1	—	121	—
<b>Reading</b>	2007-08	72	74%	0	—	72	74%
	2006-07	40	55%	2	—	38	—
	2005-06	148	75%	1	—	147	—
<b>Writing</b>	2007-08	46	98%	0	—	46	98%
	2006-07	24	92%	2	—	22	—
	2005-06	111	90%	0	—	111	90%
<b>Global Studies</b>	2007-08	70	41%	2	—	68	—
	2006-07	66	56%	2	—	64	—
	2005-06	108	38%	6	67%	102	36%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	2007-08	33	61%	2	—	31	—
	2006-07	38	63%	3	—	35	—
	2005-06	48	54%	6	83%	42	50%

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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>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)</b>	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
	2005-06	0					0					0				
<b>Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)</b>	2007-08	9	0%	44%	0%	56%	8	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2006-07	11	9%	36%	18%	36%	10	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	9	0%	11%	33%	56%	9	0%	11%	33%	56%	0				
<b>Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)</b>	2007-08	9	0%	56%	33%	11%	8	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2006-07	11	18%	45%	0%	36%	10	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	9	0%	56%	11%	33%	9	0%	56%	11%	33%	0				

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# Other Assessments

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## Elementary/Middle-Level Social Studies 2007–08

	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				

## 2004 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>	569	11%	50%	15%	486	12%	54%	17%	83	7%	25%	5%
<b>U.S. History and Government</b>	569	10%	40%	27%	486	10%	43%	29%	83	8%	25%	11%
<b>Science</b>	569	8%	56%	22%	486	6%	58%	25%	83	22%	42%	4%

## New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2007–08

	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		0			
Mathematics		0			
Social Studies		0			
Science		0			

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The New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) is for students with severe cognitive disabilities. Results for students taking the NYSAA 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>	2007-08	475		426		49	
	2006-07	421		363		58	
	2005-06	458		406		52	
<b>Receiving a Regents Diploma</b>	2007-08	334	70%	317	74%	17	35%
	2006-07	295	70%	275	76%	20	34%
	2005-06	281	61%	265	65%	16	31%
<b>Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation</b>	2007-08	100	21%	99	23%	1	2%
	2006-07	108	26%	104	29%	4	7%
	2005-06	96	21%	95	23%	1	2%
<b>Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma</b>	2007-08	17	N/A	0		17	N/A
	2006-07	8	N/A	0		8	N/A
	2005-06	13	N/A	0		13	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>	2007-08	75	3%	63	3%	12	3%
	2006-07	174	8%	149	8%	25	7%
	2005-06	173	7%	130	7%	43	11%
<b>Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program</b>	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
<b>Total Noncompleters</b>	2007-08	75	3%	63	3%	12	3%
	2006-07	174	8%	149	8%	25	7%
	2005-06	173	7%	130	7%	43	11%

## Post-secondary Plans of 2007-08 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>	122	25%	117	27%	5	8%
<b>To 2-year College</b>	270	55%	236	55%	34	52%
<b>To Other Post-secondary</b>	4	1%	2	0%	2	3%
<b>To the Military</b>	11	2%	8	2%	3	5%
<b>To Employment</b>	63	13%	47	11%	16	24%
<b>To Adult Services</b>	6	1%	0		6	9%
<b>To Other Known Plans</b>	3	1%	3	1%	0	
<b>Plan Unknown</b>	13	3%	13	3%	0	

# More Information about the School

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## Financial Information

<b>2006-07 School District-wide Total Expenditures per Pupil</b>	\$16,440
<b>2006-07 NYS Public School Total Expenditures per Pupil</b>	\$17,330
<b>2007-08 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.