



The New York State District Report Card

Comprehensive Information Report 2007 – 08

District **SCHENECTADY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

District ID **53-06-00-01-0000**

Superintendent **ERIC ELY**

Telephone **(518) 370-8100**

Grades **PK-12**

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
Comprehensive English	2007-08	707	87%	72%	17%	619	93%	79%	19%	88	44%	24%	2%
	2006-07	536	79%	64%	20%	446	90%	74%	24%	90	27%	10%	2%
	2005-06	511	94%	85%	39%	477	95%	87%	41%	34	85%	65%	15%
Mathematics A	2007-08	603	88%	75%	13%	548	93%	80%	14%	55	36%	25%	0%
	2006-07	615	82%	67%	11%	502	92%	77%	13%	113	37%	22%	0%
	2005-06	605	92%	76%	16%	557	94%	80%	18%	48	69%	38%	0%
Mathematics B	2007-08	203	71%	50%	6%	203	71%	50%	6%	0			
	2006-07	249	66%	49%	13%	248	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	216	63%	40%	4%	215	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Integrated Algebra	2007-08	553	76%	53%	5%	549	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
	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
Global History and Geography	2007-08	827	68%	47%	11%	728	74%	52%	12%	99	17%	9%	0%
	2006-07	818	67%	44%	12%	719	71%	48%	13%	99	44%	18%	2%
	2005-06	637	65%	45%	15%	570	68%	48%	15%	67	37%	21%	7%
U.S. History and Government	2007-08	639	88%	76%	33%	581	91%	80%	36%	58	59%	41%	10%
	2006-07	532	84%	64%	25%	479	86%	66%	27%	53	62%	43%	9%
	2005-06	599	87%	69%	30%	548	88%	72%	32%	51	73%	33%	12%
Living Environment	2007-08	615	87%	70%	10%	557	90%	74%	11%	58	60%	34%	0%
	2006-07	519	89%	67%	9%	482	90%	70%	10%	37	68%	30%	0%
	2005-06	618	85%	65%	8%	568	86%	67%	9%	50	80%	40%	0%
Physical Setting/Earth Science	2007-08	249	76%	57%	10%	238	77%	58%	10%	11	45%	27%	0%
	2006-07	265	82%	66%	12%	257	82%	67%	12%	8	63%	38%	13%
	2005-06	216	82%	64%	16%	209	82%	64%	16%	7	71%	57%	14%
Physical Setting/Chemistry	2007-08	257	81%	50%	5%	256	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	199	80%	55%	5%	195	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
	2005-06	238	79%	50%	5%	233	80%	50%	6%	5	40%	40%	0%
Physical Setting/Physics	2007-08	45	84%	71%	18%	45	84%	71%	18%	0			
	2006-07	47	79%	62%	9%	46	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	65	75%	65%	26%	65	75%	65%	26%	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
Comprehensive French	2007-08	33	100%	97%	73%	33	100%	97%	73%	0			
	2006-07	70	100%	99%	73%	70	100%	99%	73%	0			
	2005-06	31	100%	90%	55%	31	100%	90%	55%	0			
Comprehensive German	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Hebrew	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Italian	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Latin	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
	2005-06	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Spanish	2007-08	117	98%	95%	52%	116	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	122	100%	98%	61%	121	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2005-06	112	96%	96%	41%	112	96%	96%	41%	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:
Mathematics	2007-08	59	14%	2	—	57	—
	2006-07	66	42%	5	40%	61	43%
	2005-06	47	45%	3	—	44	—
Science	2007-08	50	38%	3	—	47	—
	2006-07	68	43%	3	—	65	—
	2005-06	43	58%	1	—	42	—
Reading	2007-08	38	37%	2	—	36	—
	2006-07	16	50%	1	—	15	—
	2005-06	16	69%	3	—	13	—
Writing	2007-08	29	69%	2	—	27	—
	2006-07	19	74%	0	—	19	74%
	2005-06	13	92%	2	—	11	—
Global Studies	2007-08	53	17%	2	—	51	—
	2006-07	37	22%	2	—	35	—
	2005-06	31	45%	1	—	30	—
U.S. History and Government	2007-08	16	25%	2	—	14	—
	2006-07	17	47%	1	—	16	—
	2005-06	26	42%	0	—	26	42%

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Second Language Proficiency Examinations

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Second Language Proficiency Examinations

		All Students		General-Education Students		Students with Disabilities	
		Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:	Total Tested	Percent Passing:
French	2007-08	64	98%	64	98%	0	
	2006-07	65	100%	64	—	1	—
	2005-06	0		0		0	
German	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
Italian	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
Latin	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
	2005-06	0		0		0	
Spanish	2007-08	63	95%	59	—	4	—
	2006-07	159	75%	154	76%	5	40%
	2005-06	0		0		0	

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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.
Listening and Speaking (Grades K-1)	2007-08	79	3%	19%	39%	39%	74	3%	18%	41%	39%	5	0%	40%	20%	40%
	2006-07	77	3%	18%	49%	30%	73	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	102	3%	15%	57%	25%	95	3%	16%	54%	27%	7	0%	0%	100%	0%
Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)	2007-08	79	22%	39%	18%	22%	74	18%	42%	18%	23%	5	80%	0%	20%	0%
	2006-07	77	32%	22%	27%	18%	73	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	102	34%	28%	25%	13%	95	33%	28%	25%	14%	7	57%	29%	14%	0%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)	2007-08	108	3%	7%	37%	53%	86	3%	6%	35%	56%	22	0%	14%	45%	41%
	2006-07	102	4%	19%	46%	31%	82	4%	20%	43%	34%	20	5%	15%	60%	20%
	2005-06	96	0%	7%	49%	44%	85	0%	8%	46%	46%	11	0%	0%	73%	27%
Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)	2007-08	108	27%	27%	23%	23%	86	23%	26%	24%	27%	22	41%	32%	18%	9%
	2006-07	102	28%	25%	32%	15%	82	23%	20%	39%	18%	20	50%	45%	5%	0%
	2005-06	96	13%	23%	34%	30%	85	12%	19%	35%	34%	11	18%	55%	27%	0%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)	2007-08	47	11%	11%	53%	26%	32	9%	9%	50%	31%	15	13%	13%	60%	13%
	2006-07	41	7%	7%	49%	37%	31	6%	3%	48%	42%	10	10%	20%	50%	20%
	2005-06	47	4%	9%	30%	57%	40	5%	10%	25%	60%	7	0%	0%	57%	43%
Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)	2007-08	47	17%	34%	30%	19%	32	16%	28%	28%	28%	15	20%	47%	33%	0%
	2006-07	41	15%	34%	29%	22%	31	10%	32%	29%	29%	10	30%	40%	30%	0%
	2005-06	47	11%	28%	40%	21%	40	10%	25%	40%	25%	7	14%	43%	43%	0%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)	2007-08	47	6%	15%	28%	51%	34	9%	15%	26%	50%	13	0%	15%	31%	54%
	2006-07	50	8%	10%	42%	40%	41	7%	7%	41%	44%	9	11%	22%	44%	22%
	2005-06	41	10%	27%	20%	44%	37	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)	2007-08	47	32%	43%	17%	9%	34	32%	35%	21%	12%	13	31%	62%	8%	0%
	2006-07	50	32%	30%	28%	10%	41	29%	29%	29%	12%	9	44%	33%	22%	0%
	2005-06	40	33%	40%	18%	10%	36	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)	2007-08	34	0%	21%	32%	47%	29	0%	21%	28%	52%	5	0%	20%	60%	20%
	2006-07	33	12%	21%	45%	21%	32	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	41	2%	20%	24%	54%	41	2%	20%	24%	54%	0	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)	2007-08	34	15%	53%	21%	12%	29	14%	52%	24%	10%	5	20%	60%	0%	20%
	2006-07	33	15%	36%	33%	15%	32	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2005-06	41	5%	39%	22%	34%	41	5%	39%	22%	34%	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
Elementary Level	617	11%	13%	62%	14%	502	6%	11%	68%	16%	115	36%	22%	40%	3%
Middle Level	759	9%	38%	42%	11%	623	5%	38%	45%	12%	136	27%	41%	27%	4%

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
Global History and Geography	760	17%	32%	12%	629	17%	37%	14%	131	13%	6%	4%
U.S. History and Government	760	10%	30%	18%	629	11%	34%	21%	131	5%	11%	4%
Science	760	12%	43%	9%	629	13%	49%	11%	131	9%	13%	2%

New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2007–08

	All Students				
	Total Tested	Number of students scoring at Level:			
		1	2	3	4
Elementary Level					
Social Studies	13	2	1	3	7
Middle Level					
Social Studies	3	—	—	—	—
Secondary Level					
English Language Arts	1	—	—	—	—
Mathematics	1	—	—	—	—
Social Studies	1	—	—	—	—
Science	1	—	—	—	—

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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
Total Graduates	2007-08	435		394		41	
	2006-07	417		375		42	
	2005-06	378		349		29	
Receiving a Regents Diploma	2007-08	255	59%	248	63%	7	17%
	2006-07	282	68%	269	72%	13	31%
	2005-06	237	63%	235	67%	2	7%
Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation	2007-08	91	21%	90	23%	1	2%
	2006-07	96	23%	95	25%	1	2%
	2005-06	71	19%	71	20%	0	
Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma	2007-08	30	N/A	0		30	N/A
	2006-07	51	N/A	0		51	N/A
	2005-06	18	N/A	0		18	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
Dropped Out	2007-08	176	5%	122	4%	54	7%
	2006-07	195	5%	176	6%	19	3%
	2005-06	102	4%	80	3%	22	5%
Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program	2007-08	89	2%	79	3%	10	1%
	2006-07	137	4%	131	4%	6	1%
	2005-06	45	2%	33	1%	12	3%
Total Noncompleters	2007-08	265	7%	201	7%	64	8%
	2006-07	332	9%	307	10%	25	4%
	2005-06	147	5%	113	5%	34	8%

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
To 4-year College	150	32%	143	36%	7	10%
To 2-year College	236	51%	212	54%	24	33%
To Other Post-secondary	4	1%	3	1%	1	1%
To the Military	7	2%	6	2%	1	1%
To Employment	30	6%	6	2%	24	33%
To Adult Services	6	1%	0		6	8%
To Other Known Plans	0		0		0	
Plan Unknown	33	7%	24	6%	9	13%

More Information about the District

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Financial Information

2006–07 District-wide Total Expenditures per Pupil	\$13,585
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2006–07 NYS Public School Total Expenditures per Pupil	\$17,330
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2007–08 Estimated Percentage of Students from Families Receiving Public Assistance

NOTE

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

Career and Technical Education Programs (CTE Programs)

	This District		Statewide Average
	Number of Students	Percentage of Students	
All CTE Programs			
Completed the CTE Program	132		
Completed and Passed Regents Exams	132	100%	57%
Completed and had Course Average of 75% or more	103	78%	54%
Completed and Attained a HS Diploma or Equivalent	132	100%	97%
Completed and Whose Status is Known	125	95%	47%
Completed and Were Successfully Placed	120	96%	94%
Nontraditional Programs			
Enrolled Members, Regardless of Gender, in 2007–08	217		
Enrolled Members of Historically Underrepresented Gender in 2007–08	30	14%	25%
Completers, Regardless of Gender, as of June 2007	108		
Completers of Historically Underrepresented Gender as of June 2007	22	20%	23%

Enrollment data are for the 2007–08 school year; completer data are as of June 2007.