



The New York State District Report Card

Comprehensive Information Report 2008 – 09

District **SCHENECTADY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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

Superintendent **ERIC ELY**

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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	2008–09	504	80%	67%	20%	424	89%	76%	23%	80	34%	18%	1%
	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%
Mathematics A	2008–09	177	66%	37%	3%	145	72%	43%	3%	32	41%	13%	0%
	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%
Mathematics B	2008–09	186	67%	48%	5%	186	67%	48%	5%	0			
	2007–08	203	71%	50%	6%	203	71%	50%	6%	0			
	2006–07	249	66%	49%	13%	248	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Integrated Algebra	2008–09	751	72%	53%	3%	652	77%	58%	3%	99	37%	21%	2%
	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
Geometry	2008–09	316	75%	54%	9%	309	76%	55%	9%	7	43%	0%	0%
	2007–08	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	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
Global History and Geography	2008–09	842	69%	50%	11%	721	73%	55%	12%	121	43%	23%	2%
	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%
U.S. History and Government	2008–09	551	86%	69%	24%	484	89%	74%	26%	67	61%	34%	7%
	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%
Living Environment	2008–09	696	92%	78%	10%	645	93%	79%	10%	51	73%	57%	6%
	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%
Physical Setting/Earth Science	2008–09	271	83%	63%	7%	256	84%	63%	7%	15	73%	60%	0%
	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%
Physical Setting/Chemistry	2008–09	231	80%	54%	6%	228	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2007–08	257	81%	50%	5%	256	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006–07	199	80%	55%	5%	195	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
Physical Setting/Physics	2008–09	42	86%	71%	24%	41	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2007–08	45	84%	71%	18%	45	84%	71%	18%	0			
	2006–07	47	79%	62%	9%	46	—	—	—	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
Comprehensive French	2008-09	48	96%	96%	54%	48	96%	96%	54%	0			
	2007-08	33	100%	97%	73%	33	100%	97%	73%	0			
	2006-07	70	100%	99%	73%	70	100%	99%	73%	0			
Comprehensive German	2008-09	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Hebrew	2008-09	0				0				0			
	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Italian	2008-09	0				0				0			
	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Latin	2008-09	0				0				0			
	2007-08	0				0				0			
	2006-07	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Spanish	2008-09	151	98%	97%	46%	149	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2007-08	117	98%	95%	52%	116	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	122	100%	98%	61%	121	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

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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	2008-09	73	58%	4	—	69	—
	2007-08	59	14%	2	—	57	—
	2006-07	66	42%	5	40%	61	43%
Science	2008-09	30	43%	2	—	28	—
	2007-08	50	38%	3	—	47	—
	2006-07	68	43%	3	—	65	—
Reading	2008-09	37	65%	1	—	36	—
	2007-08	38	37%	2	—	36	—
	2006-07	16	50%	1	—	15	—
Writing	2008-09	31	74%	0	—	31	74%
	2007-08	29	69%	2	—	27	—
	2006-07	19	74%	0	—	19	74%
Global Studies	2008-09	78	22%	2	—	76	—
	2007-08	53	17%	2	—	51	—
	2006-07	37	22%	2	—	35	—
U.S. History and Government	2008-09	27	48%	2	—	25	—
	2007-08	16	25%	2	—	14	—
	2006-07	17	47%	1	—	16	—

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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	2008-09	79	82%	79	82%	0	
	2007-08	64	98%	64	98%	0	
	2006-07	65	100%	64	—	1	—
German	2008-09	0		0		0	
	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
Italian	2008-09	0		0		0	
	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
Latin	2008-09	0		0		0	
	2007-08	0		0		0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
Spanish	2008-09	114	75%	114	75%	0	
	2007-08	63	95%	59	—	4	—
	2006-07	159	75%	154	76%	5	40%

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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)	2008-09	75	5%	15%	44%	36%	66	6%	12%	45%	36%	9	0%	33%	33%	33%
	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	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)	2008-09	75	32%	27%	15%	27%	66	30%	29%	15%	26%	9	44%	11%	11%	33%
	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	—	—	—	—
Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)	2008-09	100	2%	5%	41%	52%	83	1%	4%	40%	55%	17	6%	12%	47%	35%
	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%
Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)	2008-09	100	10%	39%	33%	18%	83	6%	39%	36%	19%	17	29%	41%	18%	12%
	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%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)	2008-09	42	5%	7%	52%	36%	21	0%	10%	62%	29%	21	10%	5%	43%	43%
	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%
Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)	2008-09	40	18%	43%	18%	23%	21	10%	62%	0%	29%	19	26%	21%	37%	16%
	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%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)	2008-09	52	4%	17%	31%	48%	40	5%	20%	30%	45%	12	0%	8%	33%	58%
	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%
Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)	2008-09	51	27%	43%	18%	12%	39	26%	41%	18%	15%	12	33%	50%	17%	0%
	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%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)	2008-09	45	2%	13%	40%	44%	38	3%	13%	42%	42%	7	0%	14%	29%	57%
	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	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)	2008-09	44	14%	45%	27%	14%	37	16%	41%	27%	16%	7	0%	71%	29%	0%
	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	—	—	—	—

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Other Assessments

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Elementary/Middle-Level Social Studies 2008–09

	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	744	11%	10%	49%	29%	595	7%	9%	50%	34%	149	30%	15%	46%	9%
Middle Level	715	7%	38%	45%	10%	600	4%	35%	50%	11%	115	22%	54%	20%	4%

2005 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	825	12%	37%	13%	692	13%	42%	15%	133	10%	14%	2%
U.S. History and Government	825	7%	30%	26%	692	6%	33%	30%	133	11%	11%	5%
Science	825	11%	43%	11%	692	10%	49%	13%	133	14%	17%	0%

New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2008–09

	All Students				
	Total Tested	Number of students scoring at Level:			
		1	2	3	4
Elementary Level					
Social Studies	8	1	1	1	5
Middle Level					
Social Studies	1	—	—	—	—
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	2008-09	497		463		34	
	2007-08	435		394		41	
	2006-07	417		375		42	
Receiving a Regents Diploma	2008-09	335	67%	330	71%	5	15%
	2007-08	255	59%	248	63%	7	17%
	2006-07	282	68%	269	72%	13	31%
Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation	2008-09	96	19%	95	21%	1	3%
	2007-08	91	21%	90	23%	1	2%
	2006-07	96	23%	95	25%	1	2%
Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma	2008-09	32	N/A	0		32	N/A
	2007-08	30	N/A	0		30	N/A
	2006-07	51	N/A	0		51	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	2008-09	166	4%	109	4%	57	8%
	2007-08	176	5%	122	4%	54	7%
	2006-07	195	5%	176	6%	19	3%
Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program	2008-09	83	2%	72	2%	11	1%
	2007-08	89	2%	79	3%	10	1%
	2006-07	137	4%	131	4%	6	1%
Total Noncompleters	2008-09	249	7%	181	6%	68	9%
	2007-08	265	7%	201	7%	64	8%
	2006-07	332	9%	307	10%	25	4%

Post-secondary Plans of 2008-09 Completers

	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	162	31%	159	34%	3	5%
To 2-year College	239	45%	214	46%	25	38%
To Other Post-secondary	7	1%	0		7	11%
To the Military	18	3%	17	4%	1	2%
To Employment	39	7%	24	5%	15	23%
To Adult Services	10	2%	0		10	15%
To Other Known Plans	14	3%	12	3%	2	3%
Plan Unknown	40	8%	37	8%	3	5%

More Information about the District

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Career and Technical Education Programs (CTE Programs)

	This District		Statewide Average
	Number of Students	Percentage of Students	
All CTE Programs			
Completed the CTE Program	115		
Completed and Passed Regents Exams	115	100%	62%
Completed and had Course Average of 75% or more	108	94%	59%
Completed and Attained a HS Diploma or Equivalent	115	100%	98%
Completed and Whose Status is Known	115	100%	51%
Completed and Were Successfully Placed	111	97%	94%
Nontraditional Programs			
Enrolled Members, Regardless of Gender, in 2008–09	189		
Enrolled Members of Historically Underrepresented Gender in 2008–09	46	24%	33%
Completers, Regardless of Gender, as of June 2008	41		
Completers of Historically Underrepresented Gender as of June 2008	3	7%	28%

Enrollment data are for the 2008–09 school year; completer data are as of June 2008.