



The New York State School Report Card

**Comprehensive
Information Report
2008 – 09**

School **ITHACA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL**
District **ITHACA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**
School ID **61-06-00-01-0017**
Principal **JOSEPH WILSON**
Telephone **(607) 274-2145**
Grades **PK, 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
Comprehensive English	2008–09	374	94%	90%	55%	336	97%	96%	61%	38	66%	45%	5%
	2007–08	339	97%	92%	56%	293	100%	98%	64%	46	78%	59%	9%
	2006–07	436	95%	90%	60%	392	98%	93%	65%	44	73%	64%	14%
Mathematics A	2008–09	17	94%	88%	35%	17	94%	88%	35%	0			
	2007–08	402	97%	95%	56%	354	99%	97%	62%	48	81%	73%	13%
	2006–07	286	97%	94%	59%	258	99%	98%	65%	28	79%	54%	4%
Mathematics B	2008–09	303	90%	83%	38%	293	91%	84%	39%	10	70%	70%	20%
	2007–08	262	88%	84%	43%	255	89%	84%	44%	7	71%	57%	14%
	2006–07	322	89%	79%	36%	309	91%	81%	38%	13	46%	38%	8%
Integrated Algebra	2008–09	285	91%	77%	9%	241	93%	82%	11%	44	75%	50%	2%
	2007–08	184	90%	80%	23%	155	94%	88%	27%	29	72%	41%	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
Geometry	2008–09	306	94%	87%	41%	286	96%	90%	43%	20	70%	45%	10%
	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	368	96%	90%	63%	329	98%	95%	69%	39	77%	56%	13%
	2007–08	417	93%	86%	57%	359	96%	91%	63%	58	71%	55%	19%
	2006–07	372	88%	81%	46%	318	92%	86%	53%	54	61%	48%	6%
U.S. History and Government	2008–09	361	97%	95%	71%	327	98%	97%	75%	34	82%	74%	29%
	2007–08	336	97%	93%	74%	292	99%	97%	79%	44	89%	73%	36%
	2006–07	421	98%	94%	69%	383	99%	96%	74%	38	82%	82%	26%
Living Environment	2008–09	348	100%	96%	66%	306	100%	98%	72%	42	98%	79%	21%
	2007–08	369	97%	91%	54%	326	99%	95%	59%	43	84%	65%	12%
	2006–07	363	98%	93%	51%	324	99%	96%	56%	39	82%	64%	10%
Physical Setting/ Earth Science	2008–09	126	80%	62%	7%	110	82%	64%	7%	16	69%	50%	6%
	2007–08	158	90%	80%	25%	147	92%	82%	26%	11	64%	45%	9%
	2006–07	186	90%	74%	17%	169	90%	74%	16%	17	94%	71%	24%
Physical Setting/Chemistry	2008–09	206	99%	93%	42%	201	99%	93%	42%	5	100%	100%	40%
	2007–08	188	99%	96%	44%	187	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006–07	188	100%	97%	41%	185	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Physical Setting/Physics	2008–09	58	86%	79%	36%	56	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2007–08	59	98%	93%	37%	56	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2006–07	68	91%	85%	41%	67	—	—	—	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	64	100%	100%	77%	64	100%	100%	77%	0			
	2007-08	73	99%	99%	84%	72	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2006-07	59	100%	100%	92%	59	100%	100%	92%	0			
Comprehensive German	2008-09	42	100%	100%	76%	41	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2007-08	50	100%	94%	62%	48	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2006-07	30	100%	97%	63%	29	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Comprehensive Hebrew	2008-09	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	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	6	100%	100%	100%	6	100%	100%	100%	0			
	2007-08	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2006-07	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
Comprehensive Spanish	2008-09	154	100%	100%	66%	151	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2007-08	155	99%	96%	68%	152	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2006-07	148	100%	99%	77%	146	—	—	—	2	—	—	—

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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	24	42%	1	—	23	—
	2007-08	14	0%	0	—	14	0%
	2006-07	14	57%	1	—	13	—
Science	2008-09	12	50%	0	—	12	50%
	2007-08	18	0%	1	—	17	—
	2006-07	15	47%	0	—	15	47%
Reading	2008-09	13	15%	1	—	12	—
	2007-08	11	0%	1	—	10	—
	2006-07	9	56%	1	—	8	—
Writing	2008-09	13	54%	1	—	12	—
	2007-08	10	0%	1	—	9	—
	2006-07	12	42%	1	—	11	—
Global Studies	2008-09	9	33%	0	—	9	33%
	2007-08	19	16%	0	—	19	16%
	2006-07	20	35%	1	—	19	—
U.S. History and Government	2008-09	9	33%	3	—	6	—
	2007-08	4	—	0	—	4	—
	2006-07	5	80%	0	—	5	80%

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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:
French	2008-09	3	—	3	—	0	
	2007-08	1	—	1	—	0	
	2006-07	0		0		0	
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	9	100%	9	100%	0	
	2007-08	14	100%	14	100%	0	
	2006-07	18	100%	18	100%	0	
Spanish	2008-09	24	88%	19	95%	5	60%
	2007-08	24	79%	21	—	3	—
	2006-07	32	78%	30	—	2	—

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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	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)	2008-09	0					0					0				
	2007-08	0					0					0				
	2006-07	0					0					0				
Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)	2008-09	46	4%	30%	26%	39%	44	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	42	2%	33%	31%	33%	40	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2006-07	37	5%	19%	27%	49%	35	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)	2008-09	46	13%	24%	17%	46%	44	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	42	2%	26%	36%	36%	40	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2006-07	37	14%	14%	46%	27%	35	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—

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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	Percentage of students				Total	Percentage of students				Total	Percentage of students			
	Tested	scoring at level:				Tested	scoring at level:				Tested	scoring at level:			
		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4		1	2	3	4
Elementary Level	0					0					0				
Middle Level	0					0					0				

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	346	3%	35%	48%	299	2%	34%	55%	47	6%	40%	6%
U.S. History and Government	346	3%	18%	68%	299	1%	15%	75%	47	13%	32%	23%
Science	346	3%	36%	50%	299	3%	35%	56%	47	4%	45%	9%

New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2008–09

	All Students				
	Total	Number of students scoring			
	Tested	at Level:			
		1	2	3	4
Elementary Level					
Social Studies	0				
Middle Level					
Social Studies	0				
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 NYSA 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	312		284		28	
	2007-08	371		338		33	
	2006-07	350		328		22	
Receiving a Regents Diploma	2008-09	285	91%	269	95%	16	57%
	2007-08	347	94%	330	98%	17	52%
	2006-07	318	91%	307	94%	11	50%
Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation	2008-09	204	65%	202	71%	2	7%
	2007-08	246	66%	242	72%	4	12%
	2006-07	226	65%	222	68%	4	18%
Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma	2008-09	8	N/A	0		8	N/A
	2007-08	5	N/A	0		5	N/A
	2006-07	2	N/A	0		2	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	24	2%	17	1%	7	3%
	2007-08	46	3%	36	3%	10	5%
	2006-07	32	2%	26	2%	6	3%
Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program	2008-09	32	2%	23	2%	9	4%
	2007-08	35	2%	26	2%	9	4%
	2006-07	51	3%	30	2%	21	9%
Total Noncompleters	2008-09	56	4%	40	3%	16	7%
	2007-08	81	5%	62	4%	19	9%
	2006-07	83	5%	56	4%	27	12%

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		184	58%	179	63%	5	14%
To 2-year College		73	23%	57	20%	16	44%
To Other Post-secondary		1	0%	1	0%	0	
To the Military		3	1%	3	1%	0	
To Employment		7	2%	5	2%	2	6%
To Adult Services		0		0		0	
To Other Known Plans		15	5%	11	4%	4	11%
Plan Unknown		37	12%	28	10%	9	25%

More Information about the School

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Financial Information

**2008–09 Estimated Percentage of Students
from Families Receiving Public Assistance**

21-30%