



The New York State District Report Card

Comprehensive Information Report 2009 – 10

District **ITHACA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**
 District ID **61-06-00-01-0000**
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 Grades **PK-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	2009–10	423	93%	89%	46%	364	98%	95%	52%	59	64%	54%	5%
	2008–09	411	94%	90%	55%	364	97%	96%	61%	47	66%	47%	4%
	2007–08	382	96%	92%	54%	325	100%	98%	62%	57	74%	56%	9%
Mathematics B	2009–10	12	67%	42%	8%	11	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	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%
Integrated Algebra	2009–10	420	95%	90%	40%	363	98%	94%	45%	57	79%	58%	4%
	2008–09	411	92%	82%	32%	363	94%	87%	36%	48	71%	46%	2%
	2007–08	280	92%	85%	43%	244	95%	91%	49%	36	72%	44%	3%
Geometry	2009–10	356	95%	84%	36%	327	96%	86%	39%	29	79%	59%	3%
	2008–09	308	94%	87%	41%	288	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
Trigonometry	2009–10	265	90%	83%	42%	259	91%	84%	42%	6	50%	33%	33%
	2008–09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	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
Global History and Geography	2009–10	367	90%	83%	59%	315	95%	90%	66%	52	62%	42%	13%
	2008–09	383	95%	89%	61%	337	98%	94%	67%	46	74%	52%	11%
	2007–08	431	92%	85%	55%	367	96%	91%	62%	64	69%	55%	17%
U.S. History and Government	2009–10	356	97%	94%	72%	321	98%	97%	78%	35	80%	69%	14%
	2008–09	369	96%	94%	69%	331	98%	97%	74%	38	79%	68%	26%
	2007–08	347	97%	93%	72%	299	99%	96%	78%	48	85%	71%	35%
Living Environment	2009–10	382	98%	92%	62%	331	99%	96%	69%	51	90%	69%	16%
	2008–09	360	98%	94%	64%	312	99%	97%	71%	48	92%	75%	19%
	2007–08	376	96%	90%	53%	327	98%	94%	59%	49	80%	63%	12%
Physical Setting/Earth Science	2009–10	304	93%	84%	58%	281	94%	87%	60%	23	78%	52%	30%
	2008–09	310	91%	83%	51%	290	93%	86%	54%	20	65%	50%	5%
	2007–08	336	94%	89%	51%	318	96%	92%	53%	18	61%	50%	17%
Physical Setting/Chemistry	2009–10	222	99%	91%	36%	219	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2008–09	206	99%	93%	42%	201	99%	93%	42%	5	100%	100%	40%
	2007–08	188	99%	96%	44%	187	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Physical Setting/Physics	2009–10	39	100%	95%	38%	37	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2008–09	58	86%	79%	36%	56	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2007–08	59	98%	93%	37%	56	—	—	—	3	—	—	—

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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	2009-10	65	100%	100%	85%	65	100%	100%	85%	0			
	2008-09	74	100%	100%	77%	72	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2007-08	79	99%	99%	84%	76	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Comprehensive German	2009-10	38	95%	92%	53%	38	95%	92%	53%	0			
	2008-09	42	100%	100%	76%	41	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2007-08	50	100%	94%	62%	48	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Comprehensive Hebrew	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2007-08	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Italian	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	0				0				0			
	2007-08	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Latin	2009-10	7	100%	100%	100%	7	100%	100%	100%	0			
	2008-09	6	100%	100%	100%	6	100%	100%	100%	0			
	2007-08	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
Comprehensive Spanish	2009-10	143	100%	99%	66%	139	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
	2008-09	154	100%	100%	66%	151	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	2007-08	162	99%	96%	67%	159	—	—	—	3	—	—	—

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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	2009-10	41	51%	0		41	51%
	2008-09	36	44%	1	—	35	—
	2007-08	28	29%	1	—	27	—
Science	2009-10	31	52%	0		31	52%
	2008-09	16	56%	0		16	56%
	2007-08	30	30%	1	—	29	—
Reading	2009-10	48	71%	1	—	47	—
	2008-09	18	11%	1	—	17	—
	2007-08	18	22%	1	—	17	—
Writing	2009-10	42	60%	1	—	41	—
	2008-09	16	44%	1	—	15	—
	2007-08	16	19%	1	—	15	—
Global Studies	2009-10	18	44%	0		18	44%
	2008-09	13	46%	0		13	46%
	2007-08	27	15%	0		27	15%
U.S. History and Government	2009-10	12	25%	0		12	25%
	2008-09	12	42%	3	—	9	—
	2007-08	10	40%	0		10	40%

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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	2009-10	96	100%	93	—	3	—
	2008-09	72	99%	69	—	3	—
	2007-08	82	98%	81	—	1	—
German	2009-10	50	100%	44	100%	6	100%
	2008-09	50	100%	48	—	2	—
	2007-08	49	96%	48	—	1	—
Italian	2009-10	0	—	0	—	0	—
	2008-09	0	—	0	—	0	—
	2007-08	0	—	0	—	0	—
Latin	2009-10	28	100%	28	100%	0	—
	2008-09	9	100%	9	100%	0	—
	2007-08	15	100%	15	100%	0	—
Spanish	2009-10	193	92%	166	93%	27	89%
	2008-09	239	92%	212	94%	27	78%
	2007-08	252	94%	233	94%	19	100%

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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)	2009-10	53	4%	17%	49%	30%	51	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	43	12%	33%	44%	12%	41	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	61	5%	20%	43%	33%	54	6%	19%	43%	33%	7	0%	29%	43%	29%
Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)	2009-10	53	28%	28%	11%	32%	51	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	43	40%	33%	14%	14%	41	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	60	32%	42%	18%	8%	53	28%	43%	19%	9%	7	57%	29%	14%	0%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)	2009-10	73	3%	8%	30%	59%	67	3%	9%	30%	58%	6	0%	0%	33%	67%
	2008-09	73	0%	5%	37%	58%	66	0%	6%	33%	61%	7	0%	0%	71%	29%
	2007-08	80	9%	9%	40%	43%	69	9%	7%	42%	42%	11	9%	18%	27%	45%
Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)	2009-10	73	11%	25%	33%	32%	67	10%	24%	33%	33%	6	17%	33%	33%	17%
	2008-09	73	11%	16%	38%	34%	66	8%	15%	41%	36%	7	43%	29%	14%	14%
	2007-08	80	18%	24%	31%	28%	69	17%	22%	30%	30%	11	18%	36%	36%	9%
Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)	2009-10	38	5%	13%	47%	34%	31	3%	13%	48%	35%	7	14%	14%	43%	29%
	2008-09	28	7%	11%	39%	43%	21	5%	14%	33%	48%	7	14%	0%	57%	29%
	2007-08	25	12%	8%	52%	28%	22	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)	2009-10	38	11%	18%	39%	32%	31	6%	13%	45%	35%	7	29%	43%	14%	14%
	2008-09	28	21%	11%	25%	43%	21	19%	5%	19%	57%	7	29%	29%	43%	0%
	2007-08	25	12%	12%	48%	28%	22	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)	2009-10	14	0%	21%	43%	36%	11	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	25	0%	28%	16%	56%	24	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	28	7%	29%	21%	43%	26	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)	2009-10	14	36%	29%	29%	7%	11	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	25	24%	16%	16%	44%	24	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	28	32%	18%	29%	21%	26	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)	2009-10	50	4%	34%	14%	48%	45	2%	33%	16%	49%	5	20%	40%	0%	40%
	2008-09	48	6%	29%	25%	40%	45	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	42	2%	33%	31%	33%	40	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)	2009-10	50	12%	38%	22%	28%	45	7%	42%	22%	29%	5	60%	0%	20%	20%
	2008-09	48	15%	23%	17%	46%	45	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
	2007-08	42	2%	26%	36%	36%	40	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—

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National Assessment of Educational Progress

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Statewide 2008–09 Results on the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)

	% Below Basic	% Basic	% Proficient	% Advanced
Grade 4 Reading	29%	35%	27%	9%
Grade 8 Reading	25%	41%	30%	3%
Grade 4 Mathematics	17%	43%	35%	5%
Grade 8 Mathematics	27%	39%	26%	8%

Statewide 2008–09 NAEP Participation Rates for LEP Students and Students with Disabilities

Participation Rate	
Grade 4 Reading	
Limited English Proficient	78%
Students with Disabilities	69%
Grade 8 Reading	
Limited English Proficient	53%
Students with Disabilities	61%
Grade 4 Mathematics	
Limited English Proficient	90%
Students with Disabilities	88%
Grade 8 Mathematics	
Limited English Proficient	80%
Students with Disabilities	82%

NOTE

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), developed in 1969, is a nationally representative assessment of the performance of United States' students in mathematics, reading, science, writing, the arts, civics, economics, geography, and U.S. history. Teachers, principals, parents, policymakers, and researchers use NAEP results to assess progress and develop ways to improve education in the United States.

Other Assessments

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Elementary/Middle-Level Social Studies 2009–10

	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	382	3%	3%	43%	51%	319	1%	2%	40%	57%	63	14%	10%	59%	17%
Middle Level	371	4%	23%	44%	28%	310	2%	17%	49%	32%	61	18%	54%	21%	7%

2006 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	465	3%	26%	50%	393	2%	26%	56%	72	7%	26%	14%
U.S. History and Government	465	2%	22%	55%	393	2%	21%	63%	72	3%	26%	13%
Science	465	3%	32%	47%	393	2%	32%	54%	72	8%	36%	10%

New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2009–10

	All Students				
	Total Tested	Number of students scoring at Level:			
		1	2	3	4
Elementary Level					
Social Studies	8	0	0	2	6
Middle Level					
Social Studies	4	—	—	—	—
Secondary Level					
English Language Arts	6	0	0	2	4
Mathematics	6	0	0	4	2
Social Studies	6	0	0	2	4
Science	6	0	0	2	4

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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	2009-10	397		357		40	
	2008-09	350		317		33	
	2007-08	401		363		38	
Receiving a Regents Diploma	2009-10	368	93%	348	97%	20	50%
	2008-09	318	91%	301	95%	17	52%
	2007-08	373	93%	352	97%	21	55%
Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation	2009-10	230	58%	227	64%	3	8%
	2008-09	204	58%	202	64%	2	6%
	2007-08	246	61%	242	67%	4	11%
Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma	2009-10	8	N/A	0		8	N/A
	2008-09	14	N/A	0		14	N/A
	2007-08	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	2009-10	44	2%	27	2%	17	5%
	2008-09	44	2%	22	1%	22	6%
	2007-08	70	3%	49	3%	21	5%
Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program	2009-10	31	1%	20	1%	11	3%
	2008-09	37	2%	26	1%	11	3%
	2007-08	37	2%	27	1%	10	3%
Total Noncompleters	2009-10	75	4%	47	3%	28	8%
	2008-09	81	4%	48	3%	33	9%
	2007-08	107	5%	76	4%	31	8%

Post-secondary Plans of 2009-10 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	264	65%	255	71%	9	19%
To 2-year College	75	19%	57	16%	18	38%
To Other Post-secondary	4	1%	4	1%	0	0%
To the Military	7	2%	4	1%	3	6%
To Employment	19	5%	11	3%	8	17%
To Adult Services	1	0%	0	0%	1	2%
To Other Known Plans	9	2%	9	3%	0	0%
Plan Unknown	26	6%	17	5%	9	19%

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	39		
Completed and Passed Regents Exams	19	49%	76%
Completed and had Course Average of 75% or more			
Completed and Attained a HS Diploma or Equivalent	20	51%	78%
Completed and Whose Status is Known			
Completed and Were Successfully Placed			
Nontraditional Programs			
Enrolled Members, Regardless of Gender, in 2009–10	42		
Enrolled Members of Historically Underrepresented Gender in 2009–10	19	45%	49%
Completers, Regardless of Gender, as of June 2009	15		
Completers of Historically Underrepresented Gender as of June 2009	6	40%	48%

Enrollment data are for the 2009–10 school year; completer data are as of June 2009.