



The New York State School Report Card

Comprehensive Information Report 2010 – 11

School **INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL**
 District **NEW YORK CITY GEOGRAPHIC DISTRICT # 2**

School ID **31-02-00-01-1544**
 Principal **RON SMOLKIN**
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 Grades **10-12, 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	2010-11	153	82%	61%	7%	138	86%	64%	7%	15	53%	33%	0%
	2009-10	128	89%	67%	4%	113	94%	72%	4%	15	53%	33%	0%
	2008-09	98	82%	52%	7%	85	85%	53%	8%	13	62%	46%	0%
Integrated Algebra	2010-11	88	76%	48%	0%	79	81%	52%	0%	9	33%	11%	0%
	2009-10	82	77%	43%	0%	75	81%	47%	0%	7	29%	0%	0%
	2008-09	34	76%	44%	0%	30	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
Geometry	2010-11	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2009-10	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2008-09	0				0				0			
Algebra 2/Trigonometry	2010-11	0				0				0			
	2009-10	0				0				0			
	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
Global History and Geography	2010-11	148	58%	33%	2%	135	61%	36%	2%	13	31%	8%	0%
	2009-10	106	65%	36%	3%	97	65%	37%	3%	9	67%	22%	0%
	2008-09	117	71%	36%	5%	101	73%	41%	6%	16	56%	6%	0%
U.S. History and Government	2010-11	141	75%	48%	6%	128	78%	51%	7%	13	46%	23%	0%
	2009-10	168	82%	53%	6%	154	82%	55%	6%	14	79%	29%	0%
	2008-09	156	81%	53%	8%	138	85%	55%	9%	18	56%	39%	6%
Living Environment	2010-11	90	92%	67%	7%	79	94%	67%	8%	11	82%	64%	0%
	2009-10	60	92%	62%	3%	60	92%	62%	3%	0			
	2008-09	64	98%	72%	9%	58	98%	72%	9%	6	100%	67%	17%
Physical Setting/Earth Science	2010-11	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2009-10	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	0	—	—	—
	2008-09	6	33%	33%	0%	6	33%	33%	0%	0			
Physical Setting/Chemistry	2010-11	0				0				0			
	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	0				0				0			
Physical Setting/Physics	2010-11	0				0				0			
	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	0				0				0			

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Regents Exams in Languages Other Than English

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		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	2010-11	0				0				0			
	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Italian	2010-11	0				0				0			
	2009-10	0				0				0			
	2008-09	0				0				0			
Comprehensive Spanish	2010-11	22	100%	100%	73%	21	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	2009-10	35	100%	100%	80%	33	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	2008-09	35	100%	97%	83%	31	—	—	—	4	—	—	—

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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:
Mathematics	2010-11	7	86%	1	—	6	—
	2009-10	7	43%	1	—	6	—
	2008-09	9	78%	1	—	8	—
Science	2010-11	6	67%	2	—	4	—
	2009-10	5	60%	0	—	5	60%
	2008-09	6	67%	0	—	6	67%
Reading	2010-11	11	55%	2	—	9	—
	2009-10	6	67%	0	—	6	67%
	2008-09	5	80%	0	—	5	80%
Writing	2010-11	11	82%	1	—	10	—
	2009-10	3	—	0	—	3	—
	2008-09	3	—	1	—	2	—
Global Studies	2010-11	20	30%	1	—	19	—
	2009-10	5	60%	1	—	4	—
	2008-09	11	82%	2	—	9	—
U.S. History and Government	2010-11	16	69%	1	—	15	—
	2009-10	5	60%	0	—	5	60%
	2008-09	11	55%	2	—	9	—

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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)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Reading and Writing (Grades K-1)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Listening and Speaking (Grades 2-4)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Reading and Writing (Grades 2-4)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Listening and Speaking (Grades 5-6)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Reading and Writing (Grades 5-6)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Listening and Speaking (Grades 7-8)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Reading and Writing (Grades 7-8)	2010-11	0					0					0					
	2009-10	0					0					0					
	2008-09	0					0					0					
Listening and Speaking (Grades 9-12)	2010-11	12	0%	0%	33%	67%	11	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	2009-10	14	0%	14%	21%	64%	13	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	15	0%	13%	20%	67%	13	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Reading and Writing (Grades 9-12)	2010-11	12	8%	8%	33%	50%	11	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	2009-10	14	0%	64%	29%	7%	13	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	2008-09	15	0%	13%	53%	33%	13	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—

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Other Assessments

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2007 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	225	17%	31%	3%	196	18%	35%	3%	29	10%	3%	0%
U.S. History and Government	225	6%	32%	4%	196	7%	35%	5%	29	3%	7%	0%
Science	225	12%	45%	2%	196	12%	50%	2%	29	14%	14%	0%

New York State Alternate Assessments (NYSAA) 2010-11

All Students

Total Tested	Number of students scoring at Level:			
	1	2	3	4

Secondary Level

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 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	2010–11	165		155		10	
	2009–10	174		159		15	
	2008–09	148		136		12	
Receiving a Regents Diploma	2010–11	55	33%	53	34%	2	20%
	2009–10	47	27%	45	28%	2	13%
	2008–09	43	29%	43	32%	0	0%
Receiving a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation	2010–11	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	2009–10	1	1%	1	1%	0	0%
	2008–09	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Receiving an Individualized Education Program (IEP) Diploma	2010–11	2	N/A	0		2	N/A
	2009–10	3	N/A	0		3	N/A
	2008–09	0		0		0	

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	2010–11	126	35%	112	36%	14	29%
	2009–10	146	34%	136	36%	10	23%
	2008–09	161	39%	145	38%	16	41%
Entered Approved High School Equivalency Preparation Program	2010–11	26	7%	22	7%	4	8%
	2009–10	28	7%	23	6%	5	12%
	2008–09	23	6%	22	6%	1	3%
Total Noncompleters	2010–11	152	42%	134	43%	18	38%
	2009–10	174	41%	159	42%	15	35%
	2008–09	184	44%	167	44%	17	44%

Post-secondary Plans of 2010–11 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	6	4%	6	4%	0	0%
To 2-year College	82	49%	79	51%	3	25%
To Other Post-secondary	4	2%	3	2%	1	8%
To the Military	2	1%	2	1%	0	0%
To Employment	43	26%	38	25%	5	42%
To Adult Services	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
To Other Known Plans	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Plan Unknown	30	18%	27	17%	3	25%

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Financial Information

**2010–11 Estimated Percentage of Students
from Families Receiving Public Assistance**

71-80%
