New York State School Report Card Comprehensive Information Report

BEDS Code : 50-04-02-06-0022 Grade Range : 4-6

Name : Merrill L. Colton School Principal: Mr. Peter Mcginness

Fall Enrollment

Grade	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002
Pre-K	0	0	0
Kindergarten	0	0	0
First	0	0	0
Second	0	0	0
Third	0	0	0
Fourth	145	158	169
Fifth	144	132	135
Sixth	141	149	160
Ungraded Elementary	0	0	0
Seventh	0	0	0
Eighth	0	0	0
Ninth	0	0	0
Tenth	0	0	0
Eleventh	0	0	0
Twelfth	0	0	0
Ungraded Secondary	0	0	0
Total K-12 Enrollment	430	439	464

Student Racial/Ethnic Origin

	1999-	-2000	2000–2001		2001-2002	
Race/Ethnicity	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students	% of Enroll.
American Indian, Alaskan, Asian, or Pacific Islander	69	16.0%	53	12.1%	55	11.9%
Black (Not Hispanic)	256	59.5%	269	61.3%	284	61.2%
Hispanic	37	8.6%	64	14.6%	68	14.7%
White (Not Hispanic)	68	15.8%	53	12.1%	57	12.3%

Limited English Proficient Students (also known as English language learners)

1999–2	2000	2000-	-2001	2001–2002	
No. of Students	% of Enroll.	No. of Students % of Enroll.		No. of Students	% of Enroll.
48	11.2%	34	7.7%	84	18.1%

Average Class Size

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Grade Level	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002					
Kindergarten	0	0	0					
Common Branch	22	20	19					
English Grade 8	0	0	0					
Mathematics Grade 8	0	0	0					
Science Grade 8	0	0	0					
Social Studies Grade 8	0	0	0					
English Grade 10	0	0	0					
Mathematics Grade 10	0	0	0					
Science Grade 10	0	0	0					
Social Studies Grade 10	0	0	0					

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District Need to Resource Capacity Category

N/RC Category	Description
3	This is an urban or suburban school district with high student needs
3	in relation to district resource capacity.

Similar School Group and Description

Similar School Group	Description
8	All schools in this group are elementary level schools in urban or suburban school districts with high student needs in relation to district resources. The schools in this group are in the middle range of student needs for elementary level schools in these districts.

All schools within the same N/RC category are divided into three similar school groups defined by the percentage of students in the school who are eligible for the free-lunch program and/or who are limited English proficient (also known as English language learners).

Attendance and Suspension

	1998-	1998–1999		-2000	2000–2001				
	No. of	% of	No. of	% of	No. of	% of			
	Students	Enroll.	Students	Enroll.	Students	Enroll.			
Annual Attendance Rate		98.7%		96.3%		96.5%			
Student Suspensions	27	6.6%	18	4.2%	26	5.9%			

Student Socioeconomic and Stability Indicators

(Percent of Enrollment)

	1999–2000	2000–2001	2001–2002
Free Lunch	51.2%	77.0%	40.7%
Reduced Lunch	14.4%	21.6%	10.6%
Public Assistance	31-40%	71-80%	51-60%
Student Stability	78%	94%	78%

Staff Counts

Staff	2001–2002
Total Teachers	32
Total Other Professional Staff	4
Total Paraprofessionals	NA
Teaching out of Certification*	0
Teachers with Temporary Licenses	0

^{*}Teaching out of certification more than on an incidental basis. Teachers with temporary licenses are also counted as teaching out of certification.

(Form - B)

Introduction to Occupations Examination

	1999–2000		2000-	-2001	2001–2002	
	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing	No. Tested	% Passing
General-Education Students	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Students with Disabilities	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

On school reports, 1999–2000 and 2000–2001 data are for all students with disabilities enrolled in the school. District reports contain data for all students with disabilities enrolled in the district for the 1999–2000, 2000–2001, and 2001–2002 school years.

Elementary-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
	General-Education Students	116	3%	6%	55%	35%
Nov 2001	Students with Disabilities	9	44%	11%	44%	0%
	All Students	125	6%	6%	54%	33%

Middle-Level Social Studies

		Number Tested	% at Level 1	% at Level 2	% at Level 3	% at Level 4
	General-Education Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
June 2002	Students with Disabilities	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All Students	0	0%	0%	0%	0%

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