

New York State Charter School Report Card

Comprehensive Information Report

BEDS Code: 33-22-00-86-0841
 Name: Explore Charter School
 Principal: Morton Ballen

Grade Range : K-5

Fall Enrollment

| Grade | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Pre-K | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kindergarten | 0 | 0 | 50 |
| First | 0 | 0 | 55 |
| Second | 0 | 0 | 53 |
| Third | 0 | 0 | 52 |
| Fourth | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| Fifth | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| Sixth | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 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 | 0 | 0 | 287 |

Student Racial/Ethnic Origin

| Race/Ethnicity | 2002-03 | | 2003-04 | | 2004-05 | |
|--|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| | No. of Students | % of Enroll. | No. of Students | % of Enroll. | No. of Students | % of Enroll. |
| American Indian, Alaskan, Asian, or Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 2 | 0.7% |
| Black (Not Hispanic) | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 281 | 97.9% |
| Hispanic | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 4 | 1.4% |
| White (Not Hispanic) | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% |

Average Class Size

| Grade Level | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Kindergarten | NA | 0 | 25 |
| Common Branch | NA | 0 | 24 |
| English Grade 8 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Mathematics Grade 8 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Science Grade 8 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Social Studies Grade 8 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| English Grade 10 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Mathematics Grade 10 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Science Grade 10 | NA | 0 | 0 |
| Social Studies Grade 10 | NA | 0 | 0 |

(Form – A)

District Need to Resource Capacity Category

| N/RC Category | Description |
|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 7 | This is a charter school. |

Similar School Group and Description

| Similar School Group | Description |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| NA | NA |

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).

Student Demographics Used To Determine Similar Schools Group

| | 2002-03 | | 2003-04 | | 2004-05 | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| | Count | Percent | Count | Percent | Count | Percent |
| Limited English Proficient | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% |
| Eligible for Free Lunch | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 124 | 43.2% |

Attendance and Suspension

| | 2001-02 | | 2002-03 | | 2003-04 | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| | No. of Students | % of Enroll. | No. of Students | % of Enroll. | No. of Students | % of Enroll. |
| Annual Attendance Rate | | 0.0% | | 0.0% | | 90.1% |
| Student Suspensions | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 38 | 0.0% |

**Student Socioeconomic and Stability Indicators
(Percent of Enrollment)**

| | 2002-03 | 2003-04 | 2004-05 |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Reduced Lunch | 0.0% | 0.0% | 23.7% |
| Public Assistance | 0% | 0% | 41-50% |
| Student Stability | 0% | 0% | 66% |

Staff Counts

| Staff | 2004-05 |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Total Teachers | 0 |
| Total Other Professional Staff | 0 |
| Total Paraprofessionals | NA |
| Teaching Out of Certification* | 9 |

*Teaching out of certification more than on an incidental basis.

(Form – B)

Elementary-Level Social Studies

| | | Number Tested | % at Level 1 | % at Level 2 | % at Level 3 | % at Level 4 |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Nov 2004 | General-Education Students | 35 | # | # | # | # |
| | Students with Disabilities | 1 | # | # | # | # |
| | All Students | 36 | 11% | 19% | 58% | 11% |

Middle-Level Social Studies

| | | Number Tested | % at Level 1 | % at Level 2 | % at Level 3 | % at Level 4 |
|------------------|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| June 2005 | General-Education Students | 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| | Students with Disabilities | 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| | All Students | 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |

(Form – I)