

# INTRODUCTION

This manual is designed to supply the basic codes for public school districts in New York State. Identification, location, legal type and administration of these districts are coded and presented in tabular form. A district identified by its legal or popular name is codified by means of a six-digit code including the county and city or town of location. This manual also contains the codes for Charter schools and BOCES in New York State.

**Table 1 provides a means of convenient cross-referencing from popular names for school districts to the school district code.** The first two digits of the code reflect the county of location; the next two, the city or town; the next two, the number of the school district considered as part of the former legal designation and the last two, the type of district as explained on page 2 of this publication. The legal names can be determined by associating the code from Table 1 and the district code in Table 2.

**Table 2 provides a listing of school districts within county of location.** School districts were originally arranged alphabetically by their abbreviated legal designations and then assigned a unique code. Districts still appear in school code order, but since many districts have new legal names, the districts are no longer alphabetized with each county. The complete legal name for each district is shown where space allows.

**Table 3 provides a listing of school districts by supervisory district.** School districts included in this table are under the supervision of a district superintendent.

**Table 4 provides a list of the name and code of each Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES).**

**Table 5 provides a list of the name and code of each community district in New York City.** New York City appears as a single entry in Table 2.

**Table 6 provides a list of institutional school districts.** These districts were created by special acts of the Legislature and are legal operating school districts.

**Table 7 provides a list of Charter Schools by county of location.** These schools operate independently of existing public schools and school districts.