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Charter School Suspension Rates: Way Above Most District Averages

Many charter schools, in particular the larger chains, suspend students at rates well in excess of their home-district averages.

Charter school parents have gone on the record complaining that their children are repeatedly suspended, or subject to disproportionate punishments, until the family finally withdraws the child from the charter school.

The tables compare suspension rates of charter schools located in each of the 32 school districts with their district averages. The numbers are for 2011-12, the most recent available.

The data come from the New York State Education Dept.'s School Report Card Access database.

NYSED does not count in-school suspensions, which may explain the 0% suspension rate reported for some schools. The department counts each suspended student once, even if that student was suspended multiple times during the school year.

The charter averages include all elementary, middle and high school charters in that district in order to make an accurate comparison with the district averages, which include all school levels.



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District 1 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
GIRLS PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL OF NEW YORK	4%
MANHATTAN CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
INNOVATE MANHATTAN CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	1%
District 1 Average	1%

District 2 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
JOHN V LINDSAY WILDCAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
BROOME STREET ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	51%
Charter Average	26%
District 2 Average	1%

District 3 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
SISULU-WALKER CHARTER SCHOOL OF HARLEM	3%
OPPORTUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	37%
HARLEM LINK CHARTER SCHOOL	18%
FUTURE LEADERS INSTITUTE CHARTER SCHOOL	19%
HARLEM SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	27%
HARLEM SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 4	21%
UPPER WEST SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	5%
Charter Average	19%
District 3 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 4 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
AMBER CHARTER SCHOOL	5%
HARBOR SCIENCE AND ARTS CHARTER SCHOOL	9%
HARLEM PREP CHARTER SCHOOL	11%
HARLEM VILLAGE ACADEMY LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	16%
NEW YORK CENTER FOR AUTISM CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
DREAM CHARTER SCHOOL	5%
HARLEM SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 3	20%
RENAISSANCE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR INNOVATION	32%
EAST HARLEM SCHOLARS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
Charter Average	11%
District 4 Average	1%

District 5 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
HARLEM VILLAGE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL EHVACS	12%
KIPP SUCCESS THROUGH TEAMWORK ACHIEVE & RESPON COL PREP CHARTER SCH	6%
HARLEM CHILDREN'S ZONE PROMISE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
KIPP INFINITY CHARTER SCHOOL	7%
HARLEM CHILDREN'S ZONE PROMISE ACADEMY II CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
DEMOCRACY PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	22%
HARLEM SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 2	17%
ST HOPE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	22%
HARLEM SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 5	12%
DEMOCRACY PREP HARLEM CHARTER SCHOOL	31%
DEMOCRACY PREP ENDURANCE CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
NEIGHBORHOOD CHARTER SCHOOL OF HARLEM	0%
Charter Average	11%
District 5 Average	2%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 6 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
NEW HEIGHTS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	18%
EQUITY PROJECT CHARTER SCHOOL (THE)	0%
INWOOD ACADEMY FOR LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
GLOBAL COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
KIPP NYC WASHINGTON HEIGHTS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	4%
District 6 Average	1%

District 7 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
HEKETI COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
KIPP ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	8%
BRONX CHARTER SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN	6%
SOUTH BRONX CHARTER SCHOOL-INTER CULTURES AND ARTS	0%
BRONX GLOBAL LEARNING INSTITUTE FOR GIRLS CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
GREEN DOT NY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
MOTT HAVEN ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	11%
NYC CHARTER HS-ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRIES	10%
ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
BRONX SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 1	5%
NEW YORK CITY MONTESSORI CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
NEW VISIONS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR HUMANITIES II	0%
Charter Average	4%
District 7 Average	2%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 8 Suspensions, Charter vs. District (*corrected*)

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
Bronx Charter School for the Arts	5%
Girls Preparatory Charter School of the Bronx	3%
Metropolitan Lighthouse Charter School	12%
Hyde Leadership Charter School	6%
Charter Average	7%
District 8 Average	1%

District 9 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
BRONX PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	9%
HARRIET TUBMAN CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 1	0%
FAMILY LIFE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
GRAND CONCOURSE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
BRONX ACADEMY OF PROMISE CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 3	6%
BRONX SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 2	0%
MOTT HALL CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
FAMILY LIFE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL II	0%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 6	0%
Charter Average	1%
District 9 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 10 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
NEW VISIONS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE HUMANITIES (THE)	13%
INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
BRONX COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
NEW VISIONS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED MATH AND SCIENCE	36%
TECH INTERNATIONAL CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	10%
District 10 Average	1%

District 11 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
BRONX CHARTER SCHOOL FOR BETTER LEARNING	11%
BRONX CHARTER SCHOOL FOR EXCELLENCE	3%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 2	0%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 4	0%
EQUALITY CHARTER SCHOOL	15%
ICAHN CHARTER SCHOOL 5	0%
Charter Average	5%
District 11 Average	1%

District 12 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
South Bronx Classical Charter School	19%
Bronx Lighthouse Charter School	11%
Dr. Richard Izquierdo Health and Science Charter School	0%
Charter Average	10%
District 12 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 13 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	14%
COMMUNITY ROOTS CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
LEADERSHIP PREPARATORY BEDFORD STUYVESANT CHARTER SCHOOL	12%
ACHIEVEMENT FIRST ENDEAVOR CHARTER SCHOOL	20%
BROOKLYN EAST COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	22%
URBAN DOVE CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	12%
District 13 Average	1%

District 14 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
BROOKLYN CHARTER SCHOOL (THE)	8%
BEGINNING WITH CHILDREN CHARTER SCHOOL	8%
WILLIAMSBURG CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	1%
WILLIAMSBURG COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	18%
ETHICAL COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL (THE)	1%
NORTHSIDE CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	21%
SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL-BEDFORD STUYVESANT 1	6%
BEGINNING WITH CHILDREN CHARTER SCHOOL II	0%
BROOKLYN SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 2	0%
BROOKLYN SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 4	0%
Charter Average	6%
District 14 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 15 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
HELLENIC CLASSICAL CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
PAVE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	11%
BROOKLYN PROSPECT CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
SUMMIT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	6%
NEW DAWN CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	0%
BROOKLYN SUCCESS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 3	0%
Charter Average	3%
District 15 Average	1%

District 16 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
BROOKLYN EXCELSIOR CHARTER SCHOOL	8%
EXCELLENCE BOYS CHARTER SCHOOL OF BEDFORD STUYVESANT	40%
BEDFORD STUYVESANT COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	38%
LA CIMA CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
EXCELLENCE GIRLS CHARTER SCHOOL	4%
BEDFORD STUYVESANT NEW BEGINNINGS CHARTER SCHOOL	10%
TEACHING FIRMS OF AMERICA PROFESSIONAL PREP CHARTER	5%
LAUNCH EXPEDITIONARY LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	13%
District 16 Average	2%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 17 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
EXPLORE CHARTER SCHOOL	35%
ACHIEVEMENT FIRST CROWN HEIGHTS CHARTER SCHOOL	27%
KIPP AMP CHARTER SCHOOL	23%
EXPLORE EMPOWER CHARTER SCHOOL	24%
FAHARI ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	28%
LEFFERTS GARDENS CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
EXPLORE EXCEED CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
Charter Average	20%
District 17 Average	2%

District 18 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
EXPLORE EXCEL CHARTER SCHOOL	75%
KINGS COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL	22%
BROOKLYN ASCEND CHARTER SCHOOL	15%
BROWNSVILLE ASCEND CHARTER SCHOOL	33%
NEW HOPE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
CULTURAL ARTS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL AT SPRING CREEK	0%
Charter Average	25%
District 18 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 19 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
ACHIEVEMENT FIRST EAST NEW YORK CHARTER SCHOOL	23%
UFT CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
ACHIEVEMENT FIRST APOLLO CHARTER SCHOOL	13%
BROOKLYN SCHOLARS CHARTER SCHOOL	9%
HYDE LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL-BROOKLYN	20%
IMAGINE ME LEADERSHIP CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
INVICTUS PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	39%
Charter Average	15%
District 19 Average	2%

District 20 No Charters as of 2011-2012

District 21 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
CONEY ISLAND PREPARATORY PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL	23%
District 21 Average	1%

District 22 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
HEBREW LANGUAGE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	4%
BROOKLYN DREAMS CHARTER SCHOOL	7%
Charter Average	6%
District 22 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 23 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
Leadership Preparatory Ocean Hill Charter School	10%
Brownsville Ascend Charter School	33%
Leadership Preparatory Brownsville Charter School	18%
Achievement First Brownsville Charter School	0%
Ocean Hill Collegiate Charter School	36%
Brownsville Collegiate Charter School	22%
Charter Average	20%
District 23 Average	2%

District 24 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
CENTRAL QUEENS ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
District 24 Average	1%

District 25 No Charters as of 2011-2012

District 26 No Charters as of 2011-2012

District 27 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
PENINSULA PREPARATORY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	0%
CHALLENGE PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	6%
Charter Average	3%
District 27 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 28 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
ROCHDALE EARLY ADVANTAGE CHARTER SCHOOL	3%
District 28 Average	1%

District 29 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
MERRICK ACADEMY-QUEENS PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL	12%
RIVERTON STREET CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
Charter Average	7%
District 29 Average	1%

District 30 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL (THE)	4%
OUR WORLD NEIGHBORHOOD CHARTER SCHOOL	1%
VOICE CHARTER SCHOOL OF NEW YORK	0%
GROWING UP GREEN CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
ACADEMY OF THE CITY CHARTER SCHOOL	6%
Charter Average	3%
District 30 Average	1%

District Suspensions: Charter vs. District

District 31 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
JOHN W LAVELLE PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	8%
STATEN ISLAND COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	2%
NEW WORLD PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL	15%
Charter Average	8%
District 31 Average	1%

District 32 Suspensions, Charter vs. District

CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	2011-2012 Suspension %
ACHIEVEMENT FIRST BUSHWICK CHARTER SCHOOL	19%
BUSHWICK ASCEND CHARTER SCHOOL	32%
Charter Average	26%
District 32 Average	1%