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Botanic Garden; F, S to Park Place

Bus: B25, B41, B44-SBS, B45, B48, B49, B65, B69

Supports for ELL and Students with Disabilities

Site Accessibility: Not Accessible

Special Education Services: This school will provide students with disabilities the supports and services indicated on their IEPs.

ELL Programs: ESL

School Life

Total Students (grades 6-8): 262

Grades (2015-2016): 6-8

Uniform/Dress Code Enforced: Yes; students wear navy blue, black or khaki pants/skirts with blue or white polo shirts

Academic Portfolio Required: No

Community Service Required: Yes; before graduation, all students must participate in at least three community service projects

Extended Day Program Offered: Yes

Summer Session Offered: Yes; we offer new student orientation and grade 8 orientation in August

Weekend Program Offered: Yes; we offer Saturday

Academy and CHAMPS

School Performance

			How						
_		Passed English Class?	Passed Math Class?	Passed Social Studies Class?	Passed Science Class?	Were Proficient on the State English Test?	the State	Satisfied Are Students With the School?	
	This School's Performance in 2012-2013	87%	86%	88%	87%	3%	4%	7.7	
	Average for Similar Schools	87%	84%	87%	86%	8%	6%	7.4	

Quality Review Score: Well Developed (2007-2008)

About Our School

Students enjoy being immersed in project-based learning activities that allow them to go on trips and develop strong computer literacy skills. They also love our Advisory Program and Student Government, which provide multiple opportunities for them to express their views and build school spirit through a variety of special events. Our school is a hub of daytime, after-school, and weekend activities that combine to create an intimate and child-centered environment that challenges students academically, while allowing them to explore their talents and interests. With fewer than 300 students enrolled each year, we are able to improve academic achievement for our students by personalizing the learning process for each child.

Academic Opportunities

Regents Classes: Integrated Algebra, Living Environment

Language Classes: Spanish

Extracurricular Activities and Clubs

Art, Technology, Music, Drama, Dance, Double Dutch, Physical Fitness, School Choir

Special Programs: Specialized High School Classes, Accelerated High School Program, After-school & Weekend Programs, Advisory Program, Technology Projects, Student Government Organization (SGO), Talent Explorations, Curriculum Fairs, Academic Contests, Field Trips, Career Fairs, Community Partnerships, Service Learning Projects, M.S. 353 Honor Society

CHAMPS Sports – Boys: Basketball CHAMPS Sports – Girls: Basketball

CHAMPS Sports - Co-ed: Basketball, European Team Handball, Flag Football, Soccer,

Volleyball

Admissions Priorities and Programs

Admissions Priorities

- 1. Priority to 5th grade students attending P.S. 316
- 2. Then to students residing in the zone
- 3. Then to students and residents of District 17

Program Name	Code	Program Focus	Admissions Method	2014 Seats	2014 Applicants
Elijah Stroud Middle School	K353U	Humanities	Unscreened	100	211

Selection Criteria: Students who apply to this program will be randomly selected within the priority groups listed above.