

Citywide Council on High Schools

August 9, 2017 Meeting at Tweed

CALENDAR MEETING

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On

High School Enrollment Policies

High School Enrollment Events

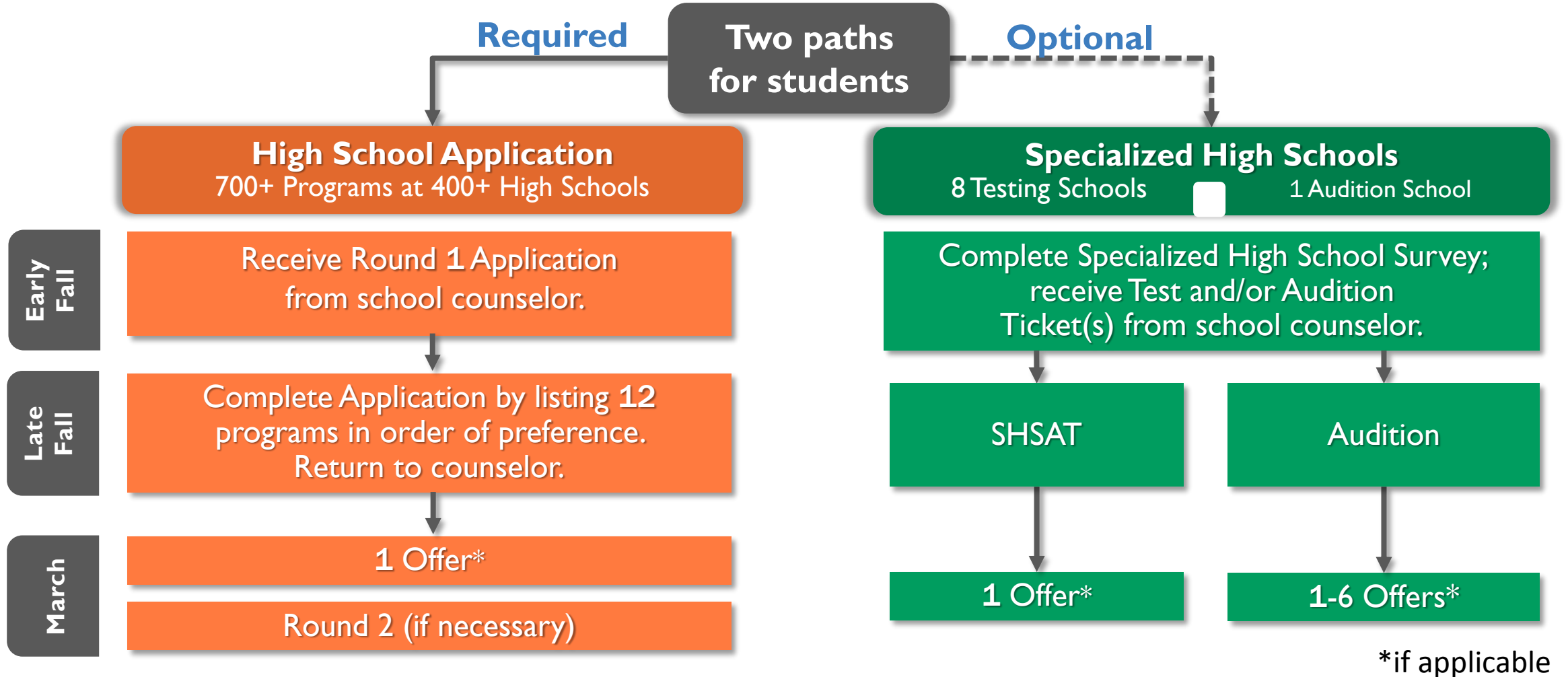
DOE Diversity Plan

High School Admissions

Agenda

- ✓ High School Admissions overview and timelines
- ✓ How offers are determined
- ✓ 2017 admissions process results
- ✓ Resources for families
- ✓ High School Admissions contact information and resources
- ✓ Diversity Plan

High School Admissions Overview and Timelines



How Offers Are Determined

Student factors and program factors determine if a program is a “reach,” “target,” or “likely-match” for your student.



Reach

Lower chance you'll get an offer



Target

Average chance you'll get an offer



Likely-Match

Higher chance you'll get an offer

STUDENT FACTORS

Choices on Application

The 12 programs listed on the application AND the order in which they are listed.

Student Information*

Student's academic record, audition, and/or address.

*(Only for some programs)

PROGRAM FACTORS

Admissions Priorities

The order in which applicants are considered.

Admissions Methods

How programs consider and match with applicants.

Seat Availability

The number of seats available for applicants.



2017 Admissions Process Results

- 93% received an offer
- 46% received an offer to their top choice
- 72% received an offer to one of their top three choices
- 96% of students who listed 12 programs received an offer.
- Relationship between number of choices on the application and percent offers:
 - Only 86% of students with 3 programs received an offer
 - Only 89% of students with 6 programs received an offer
 - Only 93% of students with 9 programs received an offer
- All students receive an offer by the end of Round 2

NYC School Finder | schoolfinder.nyc.gov



- ♥ Search by school name, academics, sports and more!
- ♥ Search by borough
- ♥ Filter by distance, admissions methods, school size, eligibility, and accessibility
- ♥ Create and share favorites
- ♥ Includes links to:
 - Google Maps
 - School Performance Dashboard
 - InsideSchools reviews

High School Events Calendar | schools.nyc.gov/High

High School Open Houses and Information Sessions

Get to know high schools, including the specialized high schools, by going to information sessions or open houses for prospective students. Check event details below to see if the school provided any specific instructions about their event or their school's specific admissions requirements. Families should confirm the event date and time with the school contact provided in the calendar or on the school's website.

High School Admissions Events Calendar

Today ◀ ▶ Friday, September 9, 2016 ▼ Print Week Month Agenda ▼

2:00pm	"The Brooklyn Academy of Global Finance (16K688) Information Session"
Monday, September 12, 2016	
5:00pm	"Academy of Finance and Enterprise (24Q264) Information Session"
Wednesday, September 14, 2016	
5:00pm	"Bard High School Early College Queens (24Q299) Information Session"
5:00pm	"Liberation Diploma Plus (21K728) Information Session"
Monday, September 19, 2016	
4:00pm	Bronx School of Law and Finance (10X284) Information Session
4:00pm	The High School for Global Citizenship (17K528) Information Session
6:00pm	"Bronx Collaborative High School (10X351) Information Session"
Tuesday, September 20, 2016	
2:30pm	"Academy for Conservation and the Environment (18K637) Information Session"
5:00pm	"Energy Tech High School (30Q258) Information Session"
5:30pm	"Bard High School Early College (01M696) Information Session"
Wednesday, September 21, 2016	
5:00pm	"Automotive High School (14K610) Information Session"
Thursday, September 22, 2016	
10:30am	"High School for Health Professions and Human Services (02M420) Information Session"
Saturday, September 24, 2016	
9:00am	"Academy of Finance and Enterprise (24Q264) Information Session"
10:00am	"2016 Citywide High School Fair"
Sunday, September 25, 2016	
10:00am	"2016 Citywide High School Fair"

Events shown in time zone: Eastern Time + Google Calendar

KEY DATES

Citywide High School Fair

SATURDAY
September
16

SUNDAY
September
17

Borough High School Fairs

SATURDAY
October
14

SUNDAY
October
15

English Language Learners (ELL)

- Students who are English Language Learners may apply to any high school in New York City.
- All high schools must provide ELL services for students.
- There are three different ELL service delivery models offered in NYC public high schools.
 - English as a New Language
 - Transitional Bilingual Education
 - Dual Language
- ELL students are eligible for supports and accommodations on admissions-related tests and auditions, including the SHSAT.
- There are programs designed to serve students who are learning English. These programs admit students according to home language, years in the country, or English proficiency.

Students with Disabilities (SWD)

- Students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) may apply to any high school program in New York City; all high schools must provide services for students.
- Students with approved accommodations are eligible to receive them on admissions-related tests and auditions, including the SHSAT.
- On each school page, you can find each program's SWD seat availability last year, and each school's accessibility category.
- For High School Admissions, seats at each high school program are divided into two groups:

General Education (GE) seats

- For students who receive general education instructional programming
- For students who receive special education instructional program for **20% or less** of their academic program as indicated on their current IEP.

Students with Disabilities (SWD) seats

- For students who receive special education instructional program for **more than 20%** of their academic program as indicated on their current IEP.

HS Admissions Contact and Resources

Resources

2018 NYC High School Directory | schools.nyc.gov/High

NYC School Finder | schoolfinder.nyc.gov

High Schools Email List | schools.nyc.gov/Subscribe

Zoned Schools | schools.nyc.gov/SchoolSearch

Events

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Citywide HS Fair | **September 16 and 17**

Borough HS Fair | **October 14 and 15**

Get Help

Office of Student Enrollment | **718-935-2399** | HSEnrollment@schools.nyc.gov

Equity and Excellence for All:

Diversity in New York City Public Schools

<http://schools.nyc.gov/diversity>

DOE Diversity Plan

- For updates: <http://schools.nyc.gov/diversity>
- Contact: diversity@schools.nyc.gov
 - School Diversity Advisory Group
 - General comments about the Diversity Plan
- There are 12 proposals to address policies and practices that pose challenges to school diversity
- 6 of these proposals fall under the Office of Student Enrollment

Examples of Diversity Plan Proposals Impacting High Schools

- Eliminate “limited unscreened” as a high school admissions method and replace with admissions methods that will promote greater diversity
- Streamline the formal mechanisms for families to learn about school options and apply
- Develop strategies to increase access to screened schools for all students, especially high-needs students
- Expand Diversity in Admissions Pilots

Questions?

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For more information | **schools.nyc.gov/Diversity**

Comments and Questions | **Diversity@schools.nyc.gov**