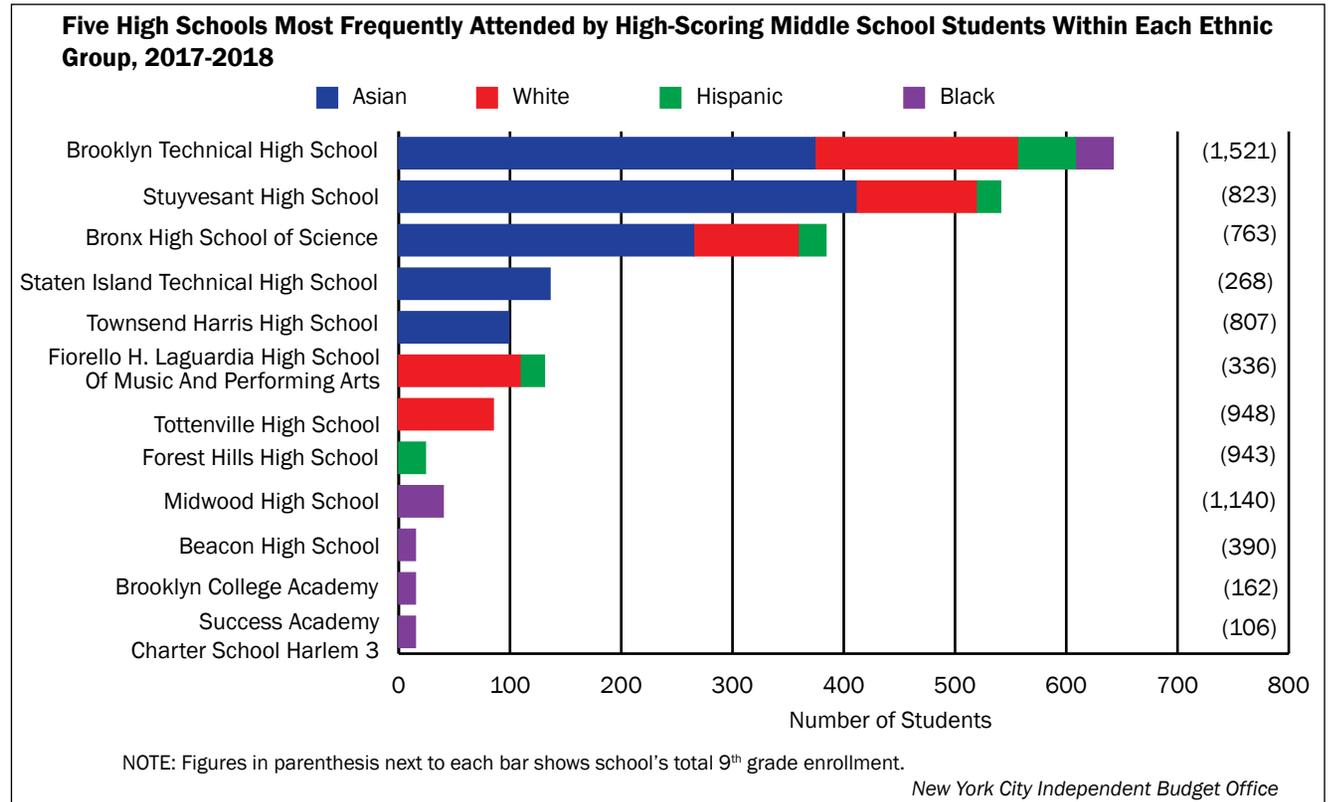
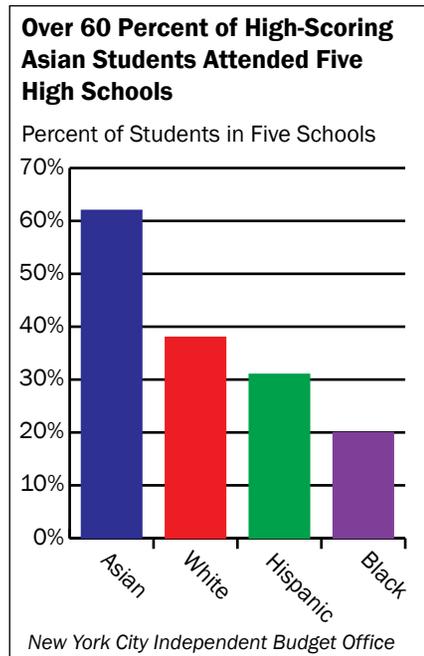
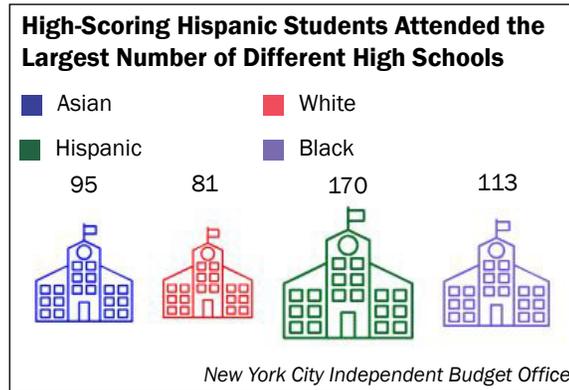


Which High Schools Did High-Scoring Middle School Students Attend Last Year?

In March, thousands of New York City 8th graders received offer letters from the city's public high schools. Many of the city's highest-scoring students will likely attend one of the city's nine specialized high schools. But many high-scoring—including some offered admission to a specialized high school—will attend other schools.

Last year's 4,800 high-scoring middle school students attended 233 different high schools when they entered 9th grade. These high-scoring students notched a level 4, meaning they exceeded grade standards on their 7th grade New York State English Language Arts and math tests. We have identified the high schools most frequently chosen by last year's high-scoring students and highlighted the five schools most commonly attended by the students' ethnic group. A total of 12 schools made the list.



- Five of the 12 high schools enrolling the greatest number of high-scoring students were specialized high schools. The other schools most frequently attended by high-scoring students were Townsend Harris High School, Tottenville High School, Midwood High School, Forest Hills High School, Beacon High School, Brooklyn College Academy, and Success Academy Charter School Harlem 3.
- Success Academy Harlem 3 was the only charter school to make the list, one of the five high schools most often attended by black students.