Achievement First East Brooklyn High School Mission

The mission of Achievement First East Brooklyn High School is to provide a complete liberal arts education in a structured and supportive academic environment.

We believe that the Achievement First East Brooklyn High School experience helps our scholars develop the academic and character skills to graduate from college and serve as the next generation of leaders in our community.

For more information about Achievement First, please visit achievementfirst.org.

School Leader

Ms. Silver joined Achievement First as the founding Director of Operations at Achievement First Brooklyn High in 2009. She became that school’s Dean of College in 2013 and revolutionized the college access process, facilitating student matriculation to many impressive schools including Stanford University, Dartmouth College, and Georgetown University. Here at AF East Brooklyn High, Ms. Silver has used her knowledge about the college application process and her passion for student identity development to create a program that cultivates college readiness starting at the ninth grade level.

Applying for Admission to Achievement First East Brooklyn High School

Students from Achievement First Brownsville Middle who complete the application process will be accepted into Achievement First East Brooklyn High. Students from other schools may also apply. There are no entrance exams or fees.

Please email eastbrooklynhs@achievementfirst.org for more information.
The College-Prep Experience

Achievement First is committed to ensuring that all of our students have the skills to graduate from high school, excel in college, and pursue their boldest ambitions. Toward these critical ends, Achievement First high schools offer a prep school academic approach in a public charter school setting. The school’s rigorous course of study will develop essential academic skills, including the ability to:

• Read carefully
• Think analytically
• Communicate effectively

Achievement First East Brooklyn High provides a supportive environment where all students have a personal advisory and develop close relationships with classmates and teachers. Our school community positively affirms student identity and values achievement and hard work.

Co-Curricular Programs For Well-Rounded Students

Achievement First East Brooklyn High will help students pursue their co-curricular interests through an expanding athletic and arts program. Programs offered may include:

✓ Anime Club
✓ Book Club
✓ Boys’ Basketball
✓ Cheerleading Team
✓ DIY Club
✓ Flag Football
✓ Gaming Club
✓ Girls’ Basketball
✓ Kings Mentorship Program
✓ Majorette Team
✓ Media Club
✓ Natural Hair Club
✓ SHINE Mentorship Program
✓ Student Government Association
✓ Track Team
✓ Yoga & Wellness Club

Strong School Culture & Relationships That Matter

Our small-school environment ensures that we’re able to tailor support and opportunities to the need of each student. Students receive regular individualized, one-on-one academic advising from our top faculty in selecting courses, summer program opportunities, and target colleges.

Focused Attention On College Readiness

Our program is designed to help develop the academic foundation and habits of mind students need to succeed at top colleges and universities.

• College-like seminar courses
• Shared inquiry
• Frequent writing
• A.P. courses for college credit

One-hundred percent of students will be accepted into four-year colleges. This is the urgent mission of Achievement First East Brooklyn High School. Our academic curriculum is designed to push students to meet the rigor of college-level coursework head-on, and our curriculum is designed to ensure that our students become empowered and thoughtful young adults who can lead in and contribute to our communities. We prepare students for college by offering:

• Goal setting and self-tracking
• Communication and presentation skills
• College trips and visits from admissions officers
• SAT Prep
• Summer program application and placement support
• Internships and career networking
• College admissions guidance