

## About Our School

East Brooklyn Community High School is a transfer school committed to helping students earn their high school diploma, discover who they are and to explore their leadership potential. Partnerships among school, families and community-based organizations are at the core of our learning environment. Our school respects individual needs and provides small class sizes — creating opportunities for students to achieve their personal and academic goals in order to succeed in the greater community.

## Who We Are

East Brooklyn Community High School (EBCHS) is a partnership between the New York City Department of Education and SCO Family of Services and is based on the Good Shepherd Services transfer school model.

SCO Family of Services provides a diverse continuum of programs for children and families throughout New York City and Long Island.

### Learn more:

[www.sco.org](http://www.sco.org)  
[www.nyc.gov/schools](http://www.nyc.gov/schools)

## Next Steps

If you believe East Brooklyn Community High School is right for you, please:

- Contact us to schedule an interview with an Advocate Counselor
- Provide a copy of your permanent record and attendance history

### For admissions information, please contact:

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## East Brooklyn Community High School

Create Your Future



A Program of SCO Family of Services  
and the New York City Department of Education  
Based on the Good Shepherd Services  
Transfer School Model

## A Unique Learning Experience

East Brooklyn Community High School provides students with a supportive and personalized learning environment. Our school features:

- Small class sizes. Each class is limited to 20-25 students. Total enrollment is no more than 200.
- Individualized relationships. Each student is paired with an Advocate Counselor who provides guidance and support as you set and achieve realistic goals.
- Highly qualified staff. Our teachers are experienced in addressing individual learning needs and designing projects that are connected to students' interests.
- Located in brand new building with modern facilities.

## A Chance to Grow

Students are encouraged to set goals inside and outside the classroom. We provide young people with opportunities to:

- Share their voice and contribute to the life of the school.
- Form positive relationships with adults in school and in the community.
- Participate in paid internships and community service projects.
- Explore interests and talents in a fun, creative and supportive learning environment.
- Plan for the future. Students receive personal, one-on-one guidance with college, vocational training and career opportunities.

## Opportunities for Success

- Opportunity to earn more credits than in a traditional school
- All classes prepare you with the skills needed for the Regents exams
- Weekly tutoring in small groups
- Biweekly feedback for students and parents
- Schedules designed to meet students' individual needs



## Is East Brooklyn Community High School Right for You?

We accept students who meet the following criteria:

- At least 16 years old
- No minimum credit requirements
- Have been enrolled in any NYC high school
- Have been truant or have dropped out of school
- Are ready to commit to a school that will support you in achieving a high school diploma and creating a post-graduation plan

## Family Involvement

A major key to our success is family involvement.

We invite families to contact us who are interested in:

- Forming a partnership with school staff to support your child in achieving his or her goals.
- Receiving frequent, constructive feedback on your child's progress.
- Seeing your child in a positive learning environment that builds on strengths and prepares students for life after high school.