



Report of Student Safety Data System (SSDS)

September 2022 through December 2022
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Student Safety Data System

- By law, all N.J. public school districts (including charter schools) must use the Student Safety Data System (SSDS) to report all incidents of violence, vandalism, weapons, substance abuse, and HIB incidents that occur in their schools.
- SSDS has replaced the Electronic Violence and Vandalism Reporting System (EVVRS).
- SSDS has replaced the Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying - Investigations Trainings and Programs system.

Explanation of SSDS Terms

Vandalism Includes:

- Arson • Computer Trespass • Damage to Property • False Public Alarm • Theft • Trespass

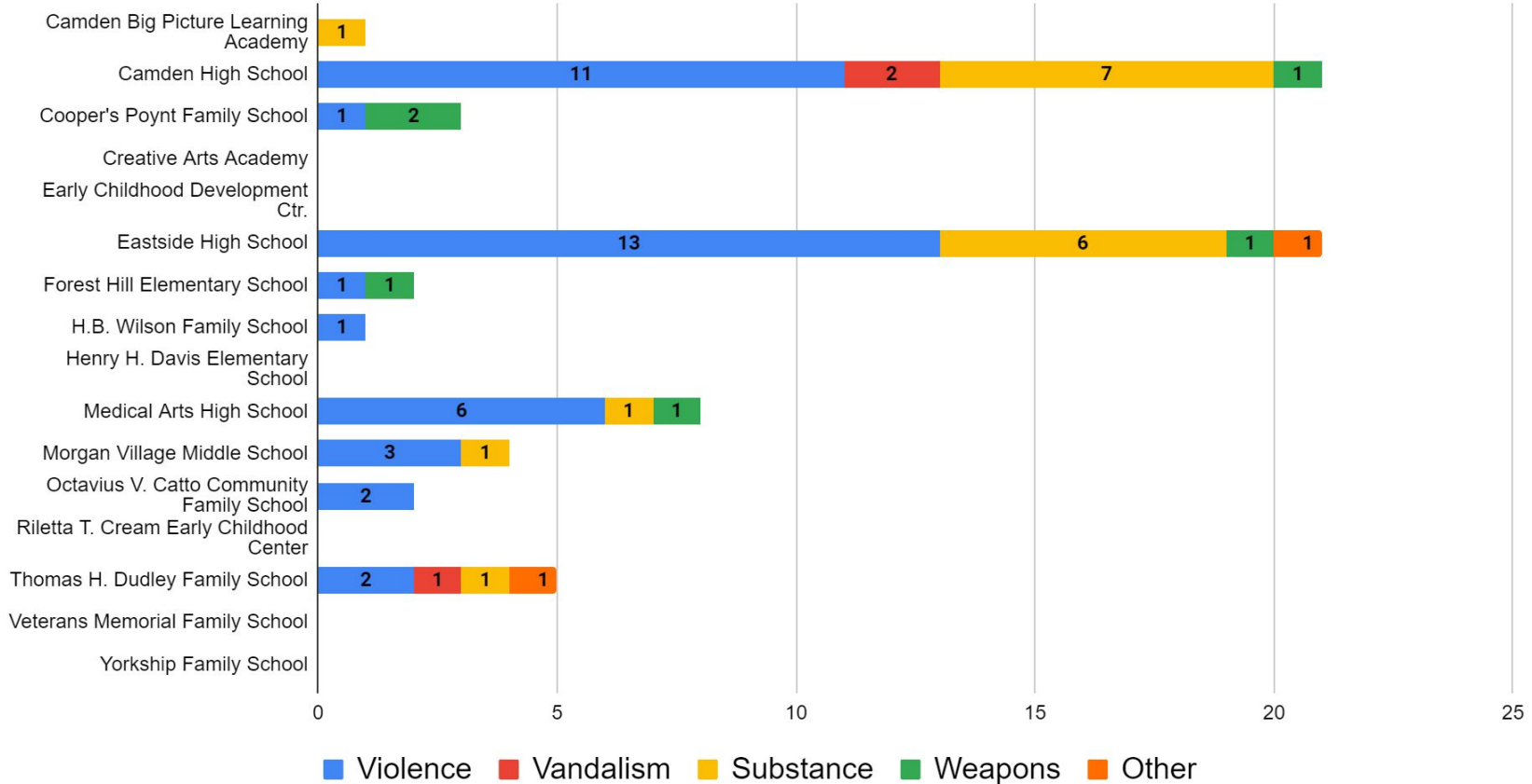
Violence Includes:

Assault • Fight • Kidnapping • Robbery/Extortion • Sexual Assault • Sexual Contact • Threat – Criminal • Threat – Simple

Five Categories of Incidents Reported Includes:

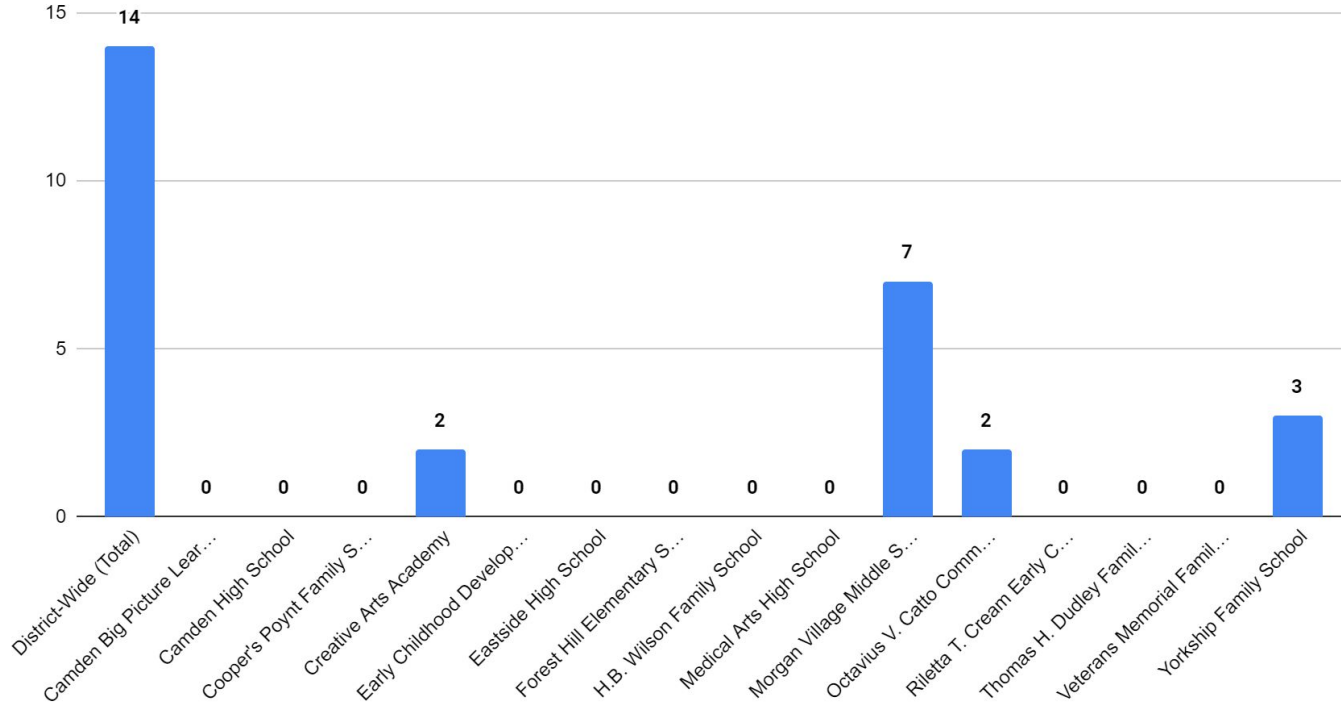
1. Violence
2. Vandalism
3. Substance Offense
4. Weapons Offense
5. HIB Confirmed

SSDS Counts by Type



District and School HIB Investigations

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In combination: HIB and SSDS is a total of 82 (68 SSDS + 14 HIB)
There were no restraints.

Report of HIB Civil Rights Data Collection Founded Incidents

School	Allegation that were Founded	#	Victim 1	Remediation/Discipline	Investigator
Morgan Village Middle School	Allegations of harassment or bullying on the basis sexual orientation	1	Male, Black or African American, IEP	Student Counseling, Parent Conference	Kenneth Miller
Yorkship Family School	Allegations of being mean to another student	1	Female, Hispanic/Latina	Student Counseling, Out-of-School Suspension, Parent Conference	Christina Whatley

Investigators: School Anti Bullying Specialist conducted HIB Investigations

- Creative Arts Academy - Christina Abernathy, Guidance Counselor
- Morgan Village Middle- Shawn Forbes, Guidance Counselor
- Catto - Karen McRae, Guidance Counselor
- Yorkship- Marie Sheared, Guidance Counselor

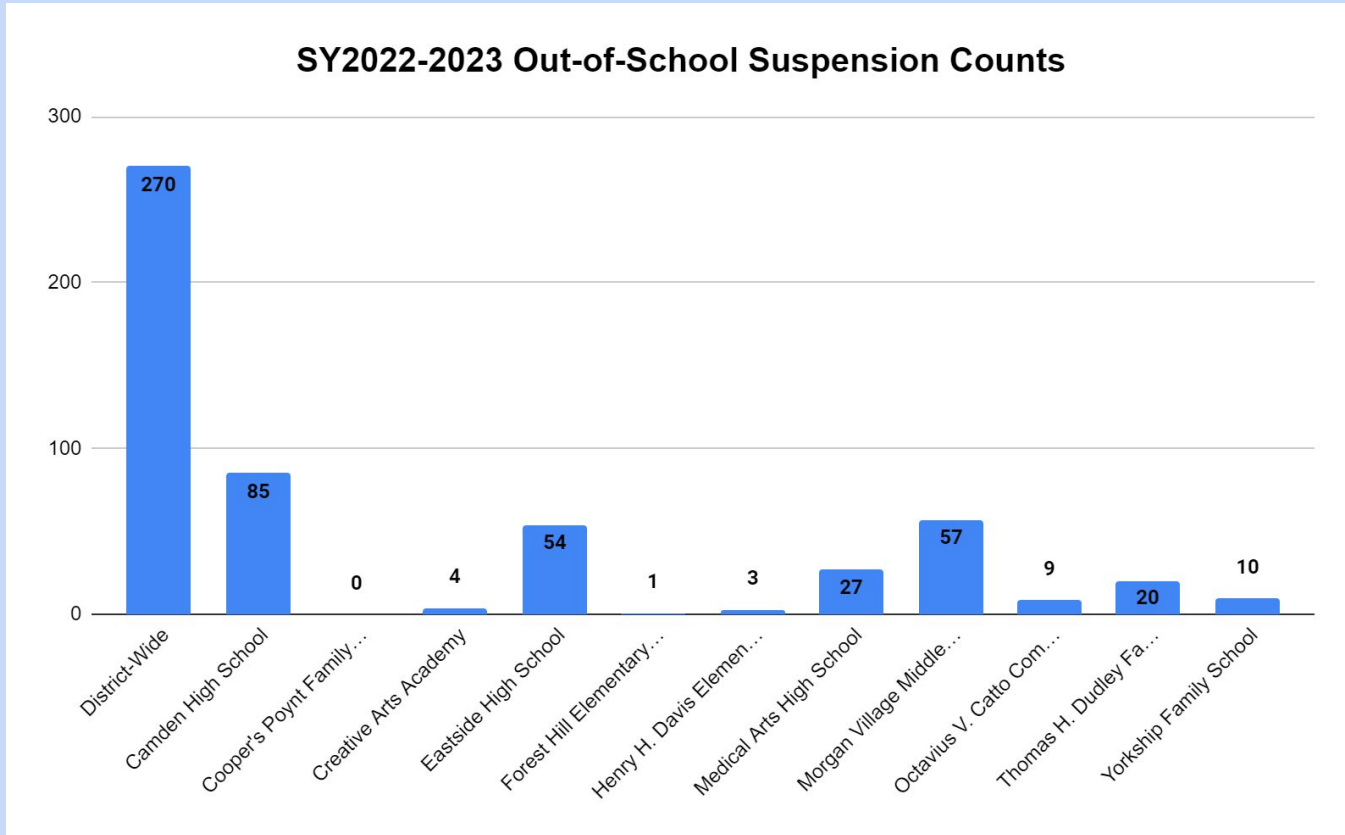
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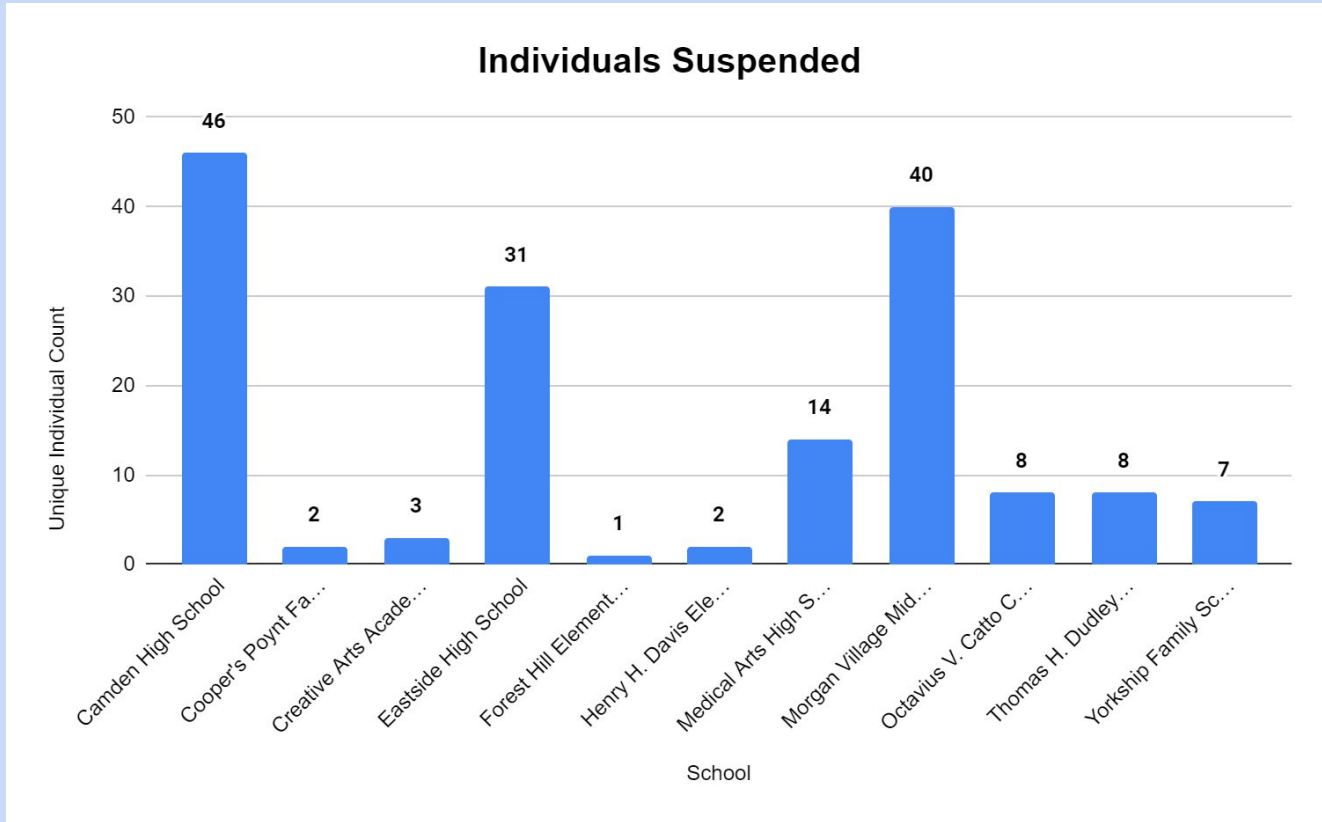
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School	Allegation that were Founded	#	Victim 1	Remediation/Discipline	Investigator
Catto					
Morgan Village Middle School	Allegations of harassment or bullying on the basis of gender	1	Male,Hispanic	Student Counseling, discussion of HB within school	Jeff Grossman
Yorkship Family School	Allegations of perceived weakness	1	Female, Black, African American	Student Counseling, Detention Parent Conference Refer to Castle, MTSS	Marie Sheared

OUT OF SCHOOL SUSPENSION

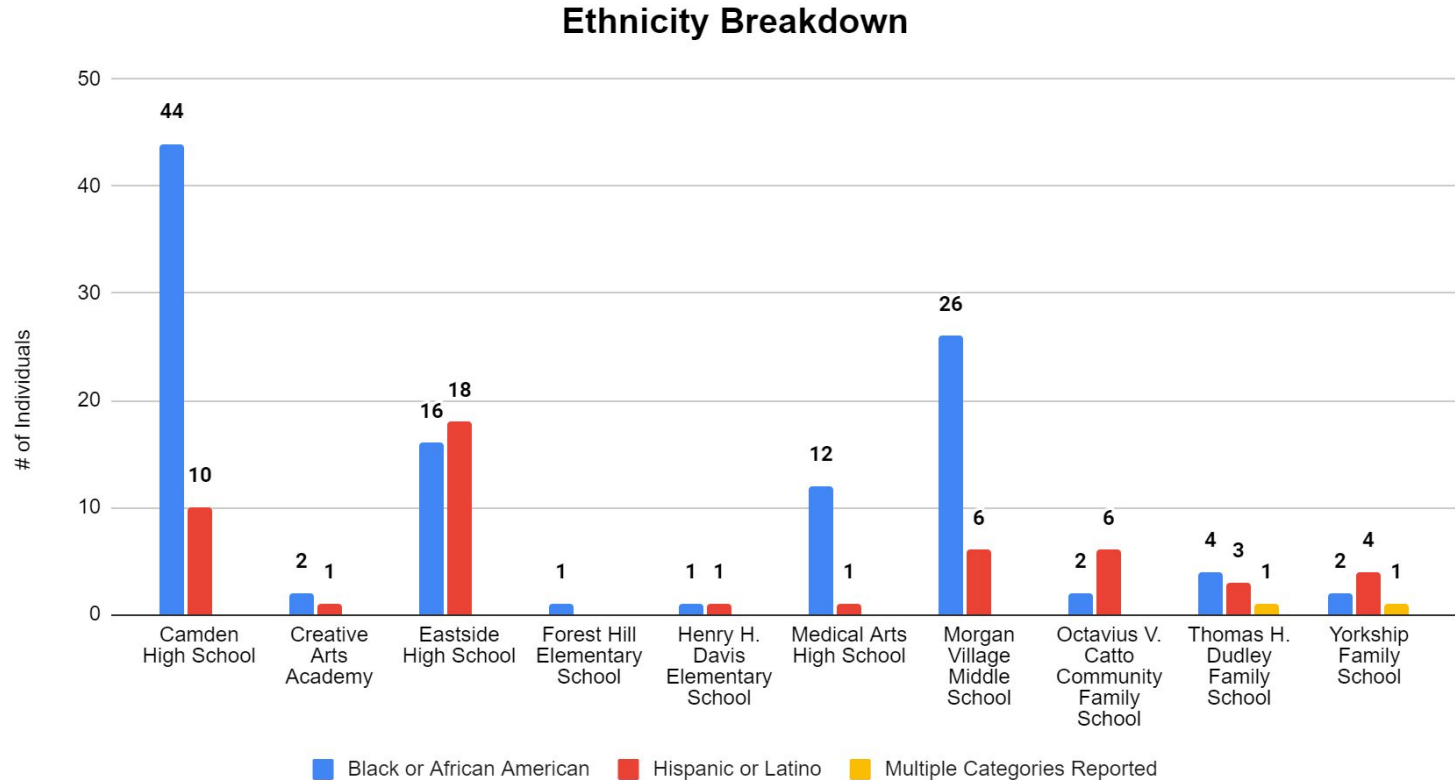


Out of School Suspension



162 students comprised the 185 SSDS Out-of-School Suspensions.

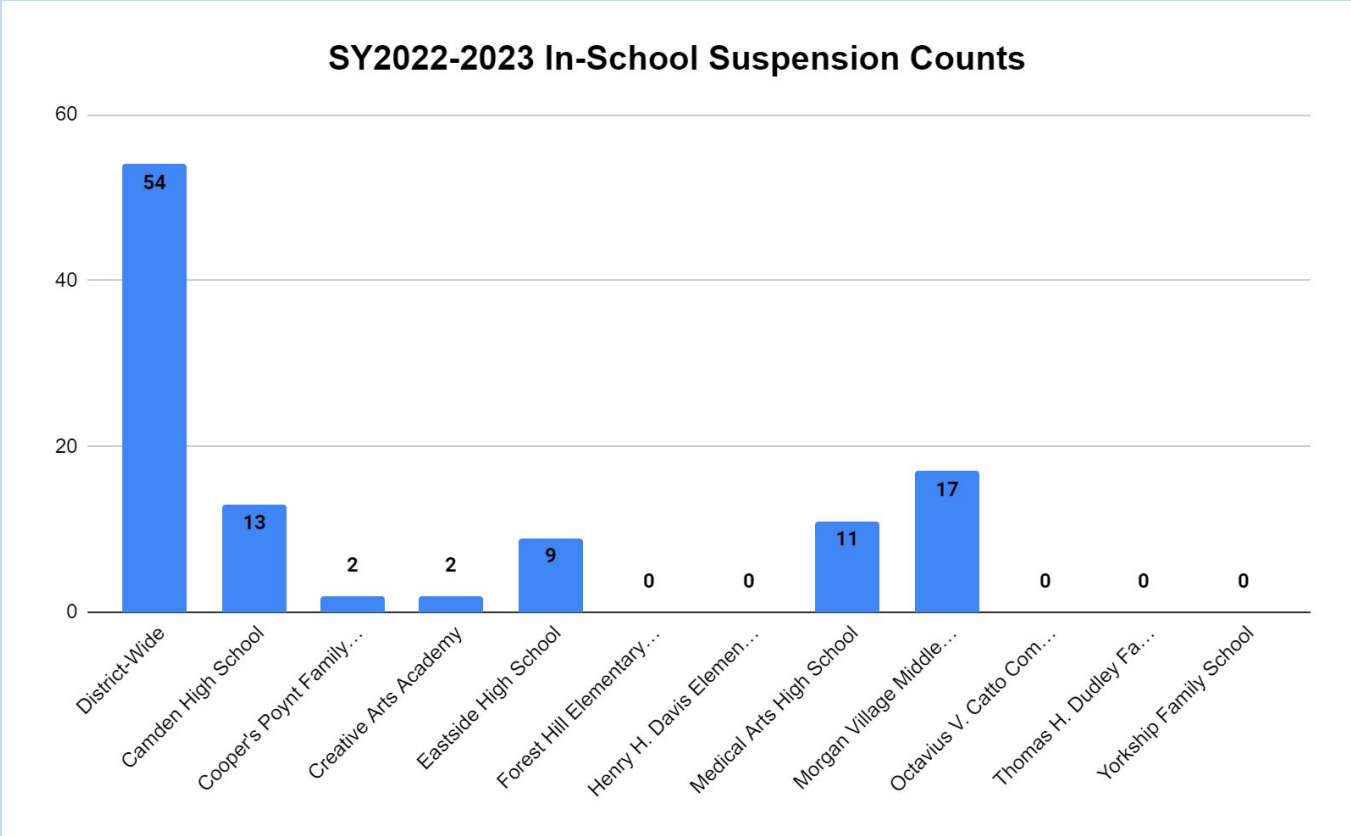
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School	Female	Male	No IEP	Has IEP	Not LEP	LEP
Camden High School	36	18	46	8	54	0
Creative Arts Academy	2	1	3	0	3	0
Eastside High School	14	20	27	7	28	5
Forest Hill Elementary School	0	1	1	0	1	0
Henry H. Davis Elementary School	1	1	2	0	2	0
Medical Arts High School	7	6	12	1	13	0
Morgan Village Middle School	12	20	25	7	32	0
Octavius V. Catto Community Family School	3	5	5	3	8	0
Thomas H. Dudley Family School	1	7	2	6	8	0
Yorkship Family School	1	6	2	5	7	0
Grand Total	77	85	125	37	156	5

IN-SCHOOL SUSPENSION DATA



Training

District-wide Training
Global Network Compliance

School Administration:

- School Climate and Safety, Security Violence and Vandalism and HIB results and subject of student behavior/ discipline referrals and the grade for it
- Social Emotional Learning
- Making the climate and culture different to make a difference (relationship, relevance, and rigor)
- Suicide Prevention Related to HIB: School Based Youth Services for students and families
- Peer Relationships or Peer Social Norms
- Restorative Practices

Programs

- Establishing Social Norms / Building Relationships
 - Initiated strategy of 100 Words of Praise in all schools and the practice of
 - Acknowledging students by their names and recognizing their achievements
- Initiated Calming Rooms/ space in all schools
- Mentoring via Deans & Climate Culture Coordinators
- PBIS (School Models)
- NJ DOE PBIS

More Programs

- Implementation of MTSS in all schools- District-wide school safety & climate team progress monitoringinitiated In-House Suspension with character education and Restorative Practices
- Implementation of Social Emotional Learning with expansion of external partnership services providing on-site therapeutic services to students and families
- Initiating HERO Program
- Game 7 - Middle to High Summer Bridge Program
- Women of the Dream
- Parent University- ATTP

