The New York Equity Coalition finds a statewide crisis in the use of suspensions to exclude Black students from classroom instruction. Find out more at www.EquityInEdNY.org.

PERCENT OF STUDENTS WITH AT LEAST ONE OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSION (2016-17)

SCHOOLS DISPROPORTIONATELY SUSPENDED BLACK STUDENTS IN 2016-17

In New York City’s district-run schools, Black students represented...

23% OF ENROLLMENT

50% OF ALL STUDENTS WHO WERE SUSPENDED AT LEAST ONCE

THE IMPACT ON BLACK FEMALE AND BLACK MALE STUDENTS

At the elementary/middle school level, schools in NYC were 10.9X more likely to suspend Black female students than White female students.

At the elementary/middle school level, schools in NYC were 5.2X more likely to suspend Black male students than White male students.

At the high school level, schools in NYC were 6.0X more likely to suspend Black female students than White female students.

At the high school level, schools in NYC were 3.7X more likely to suspend Black male students than White male students.

FINDINGS BY BOROUGH

Schools in Manhattan and Staten Island were 8.6X more likely to suspend Black students than White students.

Elementary/middle schools in Queens were 19.3X more likely to suspend Black female students than White female students.

Elementary/middle schools in Staten Island were 15.0X more likely to suspend Black male students than White male students.

Elementary/middle schools in Manhattan were 13.7X more likely to suspend Black male students than White male students.

Elementary/middle schools in Staten Island were 8.3X more likely to suspend Black male students than White male students.

High schools in Brooklyn were 9.4X more likely to suspend Black female students than White female students.

High schools in Staten Island were 8.1X more likely to suspend Black female students than White female students.