

Ken-Ton Big Picture TGIF

One student at a time.

REGENTS IN ELA

The University of the State of New York
REGENTS HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION
REGENTS EXAMINATION
IN
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Regents Exam Success!

Big Picture Students Shine

This past week was Regents Week across New York State. Students take Regents Exams in a number of different subjects and Big Picture is no exception. We had students come in each day to either take a Regents Exam for the first time or to retake a Regents Exam with the goal of scoring higher than the first time they took the exam.

The 301 class took the English Language Arts Regents Exam for the first time on Monday. The students must pass this exam for graduation and typically take the exam in June of their 301 year. Ms. Karen Monaco, English teacher, wanted to give our students multiple opportunities to pass the exam this year. We are so excited to share that every 301 student passed the Regents Exam on their first try! Not only did everyone pass, 6 students achieved Mastery by scoring above an 85 on the exam! Two students, Hayley Dubuque and Ryan Emler, scored a 96 on the English Language Arts Regents Exam.

We also had three students pass the Living Environment Regents Exam which puts these students on track for graduation. We are so proud of the accomplishments of our students!



401 students are half-way through their final year and have been working on their Senior Projects for months. The projects need to include a way to give back to the community. Saniah Lynch has made excellent progress with her project. Saniah is making string bags with needed supplies for homeless people. Saniah was able to get all of the supplies donated through donorschoose.org. She has also made a prototype string bag for the supplies. Saniah's project is on-track and homeless people in WNY will benefit from all of her hard work. Great job, Saniah!