

FDA VI

Frederick Douglass Academy VI

Welcome!



Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate, our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure

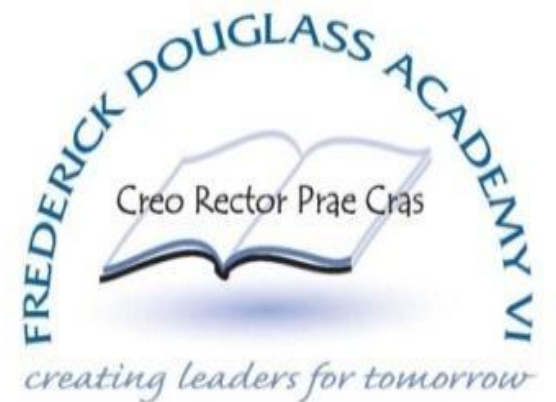
- Nelson Mandela

**We at FDA are beginning to see our power and are working at our top potential to make a positive impact!
FDA VI is on our way**



SCHOOLWIDE INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS

FDA VI will improve our core instruction through building advanced literacy skills and accelerated learning for each FDA student. We will achieve this goal by infusing writing across the curriculum and enhanced student centered instruction for every FDA student.

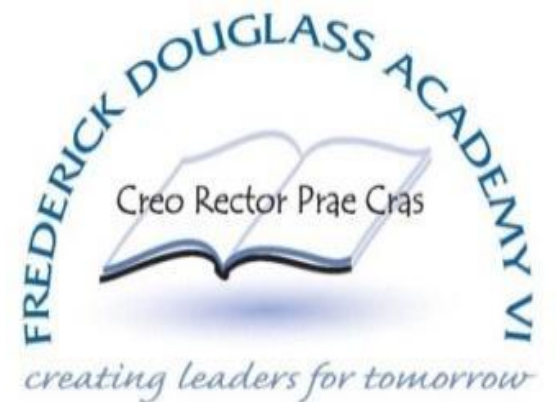


Mission

Our mission statement is based on:

The rooted belief that every child can and will learn in a conducive learning environment. Our mission is to inspire students to achieve the highest standards of intellectual and personal development in an enriched, supportive, encouraged, and a personalized environment

As a community of learners, we strive for excellence, unlocking the full potential of each individual, developing confident and independent learners.



Rockaway Development & Revitalization Corporation LEARN & EARN PROGRAM



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to individuals with disabilities



WHAT WE DO:

- The RDRC Learn & Earn Program is available to high school juniors and seniors attending one of the following specialty schools co-located in located in the Far Rockaway Educational Complex – Academy of Medical Technology, Queens Information, Research & Technology or Frederick Douglass Academy VI. Each year RDRC accepts 66 students into the program at the beginning of the school year.
- Through our relationship with the faculty of Frederick Douglass Academy VI we assist in these main areas:
 - FDA VI Attendance Team, where we monitor students who are in the 60-79% attendance rate. We maintain a relationship with the guardians to ensure that every student has the ability to keep a good attendance rate and not miss consecutive days of school.
 - Restorative Justice & My Brother's Keeper Advisory, where we partner with faculty to host welcoming environments for student to feel heard, understood and empowered to be a model student and member of their community.
 - College & Career Weekly Guest Speaker, where we attend the College and Career class to offer insight and assistance with the college process and help students develop career aspirations.
 - STARS Program Sponsorship with Mr. Fudens, where we will give incentives for students who are nominated by their teachers in various categories.
 - Culinary Arts (Spring 2022), where we will help conduct workshops dedicated to culinary education and exploration.

RDRC LEARN & EARN WORKSHOPS:

- In addition, we provide students with educational trips, recreational trips, virtual and in-person workshops in the following areas:
 - Work Experience
 - Internships
 - Work Readiness Skills
 - Leadership Development
 - Mentoring
 - Financial Literacy Education
 - Labor Market Information
 - College Readiness Skills
 - Summer Employment
 - Life Skills





