Brooklyn Community District 5



Neighborhoods¹: Broadway Junction, City Line, Cypress Hills, East New York, Highland Park, New Lots, Spring Creek, Starrett City

POPULATION & DENSITY			
2000 ²	201	O ³	2000-2010
173,198	182,8	96	+6%
2013-2017 Estimate ⁴		158,784	
Square Miles		5.6	
Population Density		32,660/sq mi	

1 & 2 Family Bldgs 12,587

Multifamily Walk-up 4,139

Transportation/Utility 190

Multifamily Elevator

Land Use Category

Mixed Use

Commercial

Open Space

Public/Institutional

Industrial

Parking

Vacant

Other

BK 3 Atlantic Av Fultons BK 16 BK 17 BK 18 BK 1

COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 5 in 2019:

- 1. Health care services
- 2. Land use trends
- 3. Trash removal & cleanliness

To learn more, please read Brooklyn CD 5's Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021.

Website: www.brooklyncb5.org Email: bk05@cb.nyc.gov

A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

RENT BURDEN^{4, 6}

% Lot

26%

11%

9%

5%

4%

6%

6%

7%

6%

6%

13%

Lots Area

53

1,270

297

380

352

543

917

80

COMMUNITY ASSETS⁵		
Public Schools	61	
Public Libraries	4	
Hospitals and Clinics	24	
Parks	12	
Click to visit the NYC Facilities Explorer		

Brooklyn CD 5 49%	Brooklyn 46%
of households spend 35% or	NYC
more of their income on rent	45%

ACCESS TO TARKS		
Brooklyn CD 5		
OF0/	Citywide	
85%	Target	
of residents live within	85%	
walking distance of a		
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Map Source: PLUTO 19v2

MEAN COMMUTE	TO WORK ^{4, 8}
Brooklyn CD 5 46 minutes	Brooklyn 42 minutes
	NYC 41 minutes

LIMITED ENGLISH PE	ROFICIENCY ⁴
Brooklyn CD 5	Brooklyn
16%	23%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC 23%

CRIME RATE ⁹		
Brooklyn CD 5 20.9 major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2017	Brooklyn 11.2	
	NYC 11.8	

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT ^{4, 10}		
Brooklyn CD 5 15%	Brooklyn 35%	
of residents 25 years or older have earned a bachelor's degree or higher	NYC 37%	

English proficiency		
UNEMPLOYMENT ^{4, 10}		
Brooklyn CD 5	Brooklyn	
5.1%	5.1%	
of the civilian labor force	NYC	
was unemployed on average from 2013 to 2017	4.9%	

NYCgov POVERTY	MEASURE ¹¹
Brooklyn CD 5	Brooklyn
29%	21%
of residents have incomes below the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the federal poverty rate here.	NYC 20%
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¹Neighborhoods may be in multiple districts. Names and boundaries are not officially designated. ²2000 US Census; ³2010 US Census; ⁴American Community Survey 2013-2017 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. ⁵NYC Dept of City Planning Facilities Database (2019); ⁶ Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. ⁷NYC Dept of Parks and Recreation (DPR) (2019). DPR considers walking distance to be 1/4 mile for parks less than 6 acres, and 1/2 mile for larger parks and pools. ⁸ Differences of less than 2 minutes are not statistically meaningful. ⁹NYPD CompStat, Historic Complaint Data (2018); ¹⁰Differences of less than 2 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. ¹¹2013-2017 NYCgov Poverty Measure by PUMA. This metric from the Mayor's Office for Economic Opportunity accounts for NYC's high cost of housing, as well as other costs of living and anti-poverty benefits.