



Zoning Resolution

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
Zohran K. Mamdani, Mayor

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION
Sideya Sherman, Chair

117-251 - Authorization for sites containing schools

File generated by <https://zr.planning.nyc.gov> on 5/30/2026

117-251 - Authorization for sites containing schools

LAST AMENDED

11/12/2025

For #zoning lots# containing #schools#, the City Planning Commission may authorize the modification of any #bulk# regulation, other than #floor area ratio#, provided that the conditions in paragraph (a) and the findings in paragraph (b) are met.

(a) Conditions

Where maximum height limitations apply, modifications to maximum #building# height limits shall not exceed 30 feet.

(b) Findings

The Commission shall find that:

- (1) such #bulk# modifications are the minimum extent necessary to reasonably accommodate the #school# and #buildings or other structures# on the #zoning lot#;
- (2) the proposed modification does not impair the essential character of the surrounding area; and
- (3) the proposed modification will not unduly obstruct access to light and air to surrounding #streets# or properties.