The IBM P-TECH Model
Reinventing High School, Meeting the Nation’s Need for Tech Skills

Gaining momentum: P-TECH grades 9 to 14 schools prep grads for high-skill careers

America’s growing skills gap
By 2018, there will be 14 million new tech jobs for those with associate’s degrees. But many young adults not only lack the skills to succeed in these jobs, they don’t graduate college.

27 P-TECH schools around the nation
New York P-TECH schools (including 6 in New York City)
Chicago P-TECH schools
Connecticut P-TECH school
10 more New York P-TECH schools in 2015 (31 statewide, 37 nationwide)

New York State plans to triple the number of P-TECH model schools by 2016.

IBM’s online playbook (www.ptech.com) guides public-private partnerships to establish innovative schools that equip graduates with the academic and workplace skills to succeed in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) fields.