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“It’s a communal effort. Everything works better when we do it together.”

Other area high schools ranking high on



the list include Bronx High School of Science at #2 and Townsend Harris High School at #3. Stuyvesant High School came in at #4.



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changing bubble wall. The environment was designed to provide a haven for children to retreat to when they need a moment to decompress.

The project was initiated and managed by Director of Exhibits, Renee Wasser-Warncke. “Having seen how popular the sensory kits are that we offer to families for use in the museum, we wanted to create a dedicated space to support visitors that may be feeling overwhelmed,” she said.

Dina Rosenthal, Executive Director of Staten Island Children’s Museum, expressed her enthusiasm about the new addition.

“We are thrilled to introduce this sensory space, which reflects our commitment to inclusivity and ensuring that every child’s museum experience is enjoyable,” she said. “Our goal is to create an environment where children of all abilities can explore, learn and have fun.”