



SCHOOL PROFILE 2023-2024

BRANDYWINE HIGH SCHOOL, WILMINGTON, DE
HOME OF THE BULLDOGS!

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COMMUNITY

Brandywine High School is a comprehensive public high school located in the northern suburbs of Wilmington, Delaware which services students and families from the surrounding suburban neighborhoods as well as from the City of Wilmington. Our students span all socioeconomic, racial, and ethnic backgrounds which creates a community of diverse learners. While no longer a Title I school, approximately 47% of our students are eligible for the Federal Free or Reduced Lunch Program.

SCHOOL

The Brandywine High School year consists of 4 marking periods of approximately 9 weeks each. Each day divides into four 90 minute classes on an A/B Block Schedule. All courses are worth one credit with the exception of Health, Driver's Education, and transfer credits which can be worth partial credits. Total Enrollment: 941

CURRICULUM

Brandywine High School is proud to offer a diverse curriculum to meet all of our students' graduation and post secondary needs. We proudly offer College Prep, Honors, AP, & Dual Enrollment courses for our students. BHS also shares articulated agreements with some local colleges which allow students to take advantage of early college courses at a reduced rate. Below is a table of the breakdown of the courses and levels offered.

SUBJECT	HONORS	AP	DUAL ENROLLMENT
ENGLISH	4	4	0
MATH	5	3	1
SCIENCE	4	5	0
SOCIAL STUDIES	3	5	2
WORLD LANGUAGE	7	2	0
CTE	0	2	1
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	4	1	0

- In the 2022-2023 school year, 185 students took AP Exams
- A total of 366 exams were taken in 23 Subjects
- 65% of the exams taken earned a score of 3 or higher
- AP School Honor Roll - Silver Recognition

DEMOGRAPHICS

RACE	NUMBER OF STUDENTS	PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT BODY
HISPANIC OR LATINO OF ANY RACE	105	11%
AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKA NATIVE	8	0.8%
ASIAN	25	2.6%
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	363	38.1%
HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	0	0%
WHITE	404	42.4%
TWO OR MORE RACES	47	4.9%

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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) - AVID helps make sure there are equal opportunities for students from diverse and underrepresented groups to graduate from college. This research-based system helps students who have a 2.0-3.5 GPA and want to take higher-level courses and to go college. Students work on organization, study skills, and critical thinking skills. They get academic help from peers and college tutors and participate in enrichment and motivational activities. Students feel empowered to become successful leaders and role models in their school.

AP Capstone - Students take AP Seminar and AP Research classes to complement their other AP courses. Students who earn a 3 or higher on the exams for these two courses and four other AP courses of their choice receive an AP Capstone Diploma. This honor is regarded as a top distinction by the College Board. In the United States, only 2,000 high schools offer the AP Capstone Diploma Program.

GRADING

A	4.0	90-100
B	3.0	80-89
C	2.0	70-79
D	1.0	60-69
F	0.0	50-59

Brandywine High School also offers certain courses for credit where students can earn an O (Outstanding), S (Satisfactory), or U (Unsatisfactory). O,S,U grading does not impact GPA.

GPA & RANK

GPA is calculated on a 4.0 scale. GPA's are weighted at 0.5 for all Honors courses and 1.0 for all AP and Dual Enrollment courses.

Brandywine School District will continue to offer exact rank for students graduating through the class of 2025. However, BSD has decided that rank is no longer an effective way to evaluate our students, so rank will no longer be provided for students graduating in 2026 and beyond.

CLASS OF 2023 GRADE DISTRIBUTION

Below are the cumulative weighted GPAs for the Class of 2023 upon graduation:

- 32 earned a 4.0 or greater
- 24 earned a 3.5-3.99
- 34 earned 3.0-3.49
- 22 earned 2.5-2.99
- 52 earned 2.0-2.49
- 50 earned less than a 2.0

CLASS OF 2023 GRADUATION OUTCOMES:

- 4 Year College 53.3%
- 2 Year College 14.8%
- Military 2.2%
- Trade School 11.5%
- Workforce 8.8%
- Other 1.7%
- Unknown 7.7%

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