Component Districts

Amagansett UFSD Bay Shore UFSD Bayport-Blue Point UFSD Brentwood UFSD Bridgehampton UFSD Center Moriches UFSD Central Islip UFSD Comsewogue UFSD Connetquot CSD East Hampton UFSD East Islip UFSD East Moriches UFSD East Quoque UFSD Eastport-South Manor CSD Fire Island UFSD Fishers Island UFSD Greenport UFSD Hampton Bays UFSD Hauppauge UFSD Islip UFSD Little Flower UFSD Longwood CSD Mattituck-Cutchoque UFSD Middle Country CSD Miller Place UFSD Montauk UFSD

Mount Sinai UFSD New Suffolk Common SD Ovsterponds UFSD Patchoque-Medford UFSD Port Jefferson UFSD Ouoque UFSD Remsenburg-Speonk UFSD Riverhead CSD Rocky Point UFSD Sachem CSD Sag Harbor UFSD Sagaponack Common SD Sayville UFSD Shelter Island UFSD Shoreham-Wading River CSD South Country CSD Southampton UFSD Southold UFSD Springs UFSD Three Village CSD Tuckahoe Common SD Wainscott Common SD West Islip UFSD Westhampton Beach UFSD

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ESBOCES At a Glance



Educational Services That Transform Lives

Agency Mission

Eastern Suffolk BOCES, an inclusive educational cooperative of 51 Long Island school districts, provides regional leadership and advocacy, direct instruction, management, and support through quality, cost-effective instructional programs, and shared services. These programs and services maximize inclusive educational and career opportunities and equitable access for Long Island's diverse community promoting lifelong learning for both children and adults, to achieve excellence and enhance the operational effectiveness of the region.

The Organization

Eastern Suffolk BOCES is one of the largest BOCES in the state. Serving 51 school districts across an area nearly 1,000 square miles, Eastern Suffolk BOCES enrolls over 3,800 school age pupils, over 4,800 adult education students, and offers the most innovative and diverse array of BOCES programs in New York State.



Agency Beliefs

We believe that...

- Successful inclusive organizations create effective operational systems and enable diverse individuals to take responsibility for their actions, be accountable for the programs and services they deliver, and use all of their expertise and resources to meet the expectations of those they serve.
- Everyone has the right to a safe, healthy, caring, and inclusive environment which fosters equity and cultural proficiency, respect and high expectations, maximizes potential, motivates interest and enthusiasm, and encourages the sharing of ideas.
- We are a diverse inclusive community of reflective, lifelong learners, both children and adults.
- Our diverse community of children and adult learners is a valuable resource entitled to the high quality equitable instruction and services.
- Respect, inclusivity, honesty, trust, and integrity are essential in all of our interactions.
- The foundation of our organizational success is grounded in continuous evaluation, high standards, innovation, and effective communication through a lens of equity and inclusivity.
- The integrity, equity, and high standards of our educational programs are reflected in our student outcomes, and provide students with the skills they need to become responsible citizens and contributing members of the global society.
- Effective communication which provides space for all voices to be heard and accurate information to be exchanged, improves understanding, and enhances engagement of all stakeholders.
- Quality, equitable outcomes depend on the collective effort of a diverse, inclusive, well- developed, and motivated workforce that embraces the agency's mission and beliefs.

ESBOCES At a Glance

We believe that continuous evaluation, high standards, innovation, and effective communication are the foundation of organizational success.



Understanding BOCES

Boards of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) were created statewide to support and supplement local school districts. Each BOCES offers services that a single district could not provide as efficiently and economically on its own. Component school districts pay only for the services they elect to purchase, as well as a proportionate share of their BOCES Administrative Budget.

BOCES Governance

Eastern Suffolk BOCES is governed by a 15-member board elected by the boards of education of our component school districts. Board members serve for three-year terms which are staggered so that five seats open each year. An ESBOCES board member must reside within the boundaries of a component school district, need not be a member of a school board, and may not be an employee of a component school district.

The board is the official policy-making body of **ESBOCES**.

ESBOCES board members, like all school board members in New York State, serve on a volunteer basis and receive no pay for their services.

BOCES Funding

School districts that elect to utilize **Eastern Suffolk BOCES** programs or services are charged for those services. Each of the 51 component school districts pays an administrative charge to fund a share of the **ESBOCES** administrative costs.

Although ESBOCES does not receive State Aid, school districts that use ESBOCES services may receive aid for those services. BOCES Aid paid to component school districts typically generates a reimbursement rate of between 18% to 66% of the costs of ESBOCES services and programs used by the individual school districts. The costs of some ESBOCES services, such as special education and transportation, are partially reimbursed to individual school districts based on other specific aid formulas.

Statistics

Career Education Enrollment	1,750
Special Career Education Enrollment	49!
Special Education Enrollment	1,604
Adult Education Enrollment	4,819
Component School Districts	5
Component Enrollment	152,22
Square Miles	924
Employees	2,07
Regional Information Center Participating Districts	14
Regional Transportation Program Participating Districts	4
Educational Support Services Participating Districts	16
Management Services Participating Districts	10

Statistics above are based on the 2018-19 school year as of 6/30/19

Middle States Accreditation

Eastern Suffolk BOCES became the first intermediate educational agency to be accredited in 2000 by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. We have been reaccredited once since then, and during the 2017-18 school year, were awarded a second reaccreditation. The accreditation represents our organization's commitment to Strategic Planning and providing services that meet rigorous external standards. We are proud of this accomplishment and are willing to help other organizations grow and improve through this accreditation process. Please feel free to contact Eastern Suffolk BOCES for further information.

Educational Support Services

This department offers programs and services designed to enhance instruction and support the information and technology needs of school districts in our region. Support services include: Arts-in-Education/Exploratory Enrichment, Coaching/Professional Develop-

ment, Cultural Competence, Curriculum Development and Alignment, Educational Leadership and Support, Grant Writing, Instructional Technology through our Model Schools Program, NYS Standards and Assessments, Regional and Full Service Scoring, School Library System Support, Strategic Planning, Student Enrichment Programs, School Data Bank Services, and Third Party Assessment Service



Career, Technical & Adult Education Services

Workforce development, civic engagement, and a literate society: this is the work of the CTE Department. Through rigorous coursework, college dual enrollment and articulation agreements, and real-world experiences, students completing programs at the Eastern Long Island Academy of Applied Technology step into the world ready for college and careers.

Secondary Career and Technical Programs also include:

- STEM High School of Engineering and Applied Science
- In-District CTE/Academy Programs
- Special Career Education
- CDOS/Transition Services

Additional services:

- Adult Literacy Programs
- Adult Health and Vocational Programs
- Alternatives to Incarceration
- Incarcerated Education
- Workforce Development
- Supported Employment, Adaptive Driving and an Array of Services for Adults with Disabilities
- Regional Summer School

Regional Information Center Services

The Suffolk Regional Information Center (RIC) provides school districts with a wide array of technology tools and solutions. These highquality programs and services are designed to provide our districts with the most cost effective and efficient technologies available. Financial and District Services provides computer-based services and customer support for fiscal and administrative management software. Also offered are a Data Privacy and Security Core Service, secure email service, email archiving, and School Safety and Educational Climate (SSEC) reporting. The enhanced Virtual Learning Service provides opportunities for credit recovery, credit bearing, home-bound instruction, and blended courses/ content, in addition to a large variety of K-12 video conferencing opportunities. LAN/WAN/Network /Technical Infrastructure Management and Support Services provide internet access and fiber WAN services, hosted NOC management solutions, and security and surveillance services along with Google and Microsoft Office 365 implementation and maintenance support. Technology Acquisitions awards opportunities for the procurement of one-time and multi-year administrative and instructional hardware/ software options, and network printer projects. Student Data Services programs include Student Data Analysis, Reporting Requirements and Regulations Support, and Student Management Systems.



Special Education Services

This department offers a broad spectrum of services and programs to the region's most severely impaired, disabled, and "at risk" students. These programs and services are aligned with the New York State (NYS) Next Generation Learning Standards and use the NYS general and alternate assessments to evaluate student progress. Options include:

- Separate Setting Special Education Centers
- Integrated Special Education Centers
- Included Sites in Component Districts
- Itinerant Services
- Summer School Services
- Alternative High Schools
- ENL Programs

Department of Human Resources

Eastern Suffolk BOCES Department of Human Resources advances the region's pursuit of excellence by fostering expertise and best practices in the development of school districts' most valuable resources — high-performing staff and quality programs. Services and support available to school districts include:

- Compliance Training
- Civil Service Supervisory Training
- Regional Monthly Informational Meetings for School HR Professionals
- Shared District-Based HR Administrator CoSer
- Recruitment CoSer
- Regional Certification Office
- Employee Succession Program

Administrative Services

Shared Administrative Services are intended to promote cost effectiveness in school district management and allow local districts to utilize their limited resources for instructional purposes. Examples of these services are: Cooperative Bidding, Non-Public School Textbook Distribution, Regional Occupational Safety and Health, Regional Transportation, Shared Business Office Services, Food Services Management, Sale of Surplus Equipment Services, Public Relations, and Substitute Services/Absence Management.