

BROWNSBURG HIGH SCHOOL

Course Catalog

Business:

Accounting Fundamentals
Advanced Accounting
Admin & Office Management (DECA)
Marketing CC/ITMKTG DC*
Business Law & Ethics*
Introduction to Computer Science
Computer Science Applications, AP*
Computer Science Principles, AP*
Computer Science: Cybersecurity
Digital Marketing
Entrepreneurship & New Ventures
Principles of Bus. Management IT DC*
Cooperative Education Internship
WBL- Capstone Internship
Career Exploration Internship

English:

Adv. Eng. CC/IT Eng. 111/215 DC*
English 9-12
Pre AP English 9, 10
English Lang & Comp AP*
English Lit & Comp. AP*
Ethnic Literature
Film Literature
PCC: Speech
Student Publications: Newspaper
Student Publications: Yearbook
Adv. Speech & Communication 101 DC*

FACS:

Human Development & Wellness
Advanced Child Development
Advanced Textiles
Principles of Fashion & Textiles
Culinary Arts
Principles of Culinary Arts & Hospitality
Nutrition

Visual Arts:

Advanced 2-Dim & 3-Dim Art
Art History, AP*
Ceramics 1, 2
Digital Design 1, 2
Drawing 1, 2
Introduction to 2D Art
Printmaking
Introduction to 3D Art
Painting 1, 2
Photography 1, 2
Sculpture 1, 2
Studio Art (2D Design/Drawing/Photo), AP*
Studio Art (3D Design), AP*
TV & Video Production 1, 2, 3
A/V Production Essentials
Advanced TV & Video Production
Live Events Production
Principles of Broadcasting
Mass Media Production

Health & PE:

Advanced Physical Fitness
Advanced Athletic Development
Health & Wellness Education
Physical Education I, II
Team Sports
Personal Fitness

Multi-Disciplinary Courses:

Cadet Teaching Internship

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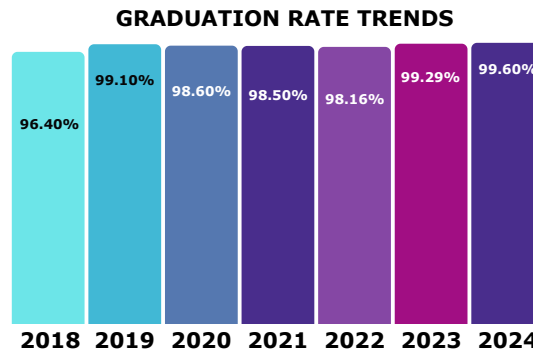
Principal: Tom Balitewicz
Associate Principal: Stacey Lingelbaugh



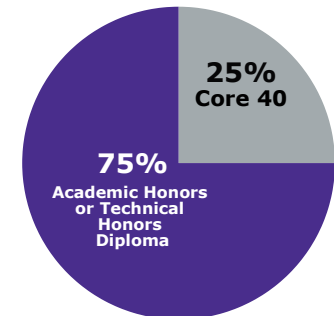
SCHOOL CORPORATION & COMMUNITY

Brownsburg is located in northeast Hendricks County, approximately ten miles northwest of metropolitan Indianapolis. In the 2020 census, the two townships which comprise the Brownsburg Community School Corporation, Brown and Lincoln, had a combined population of 49,089. The population of the Town of Brownsburg was 28,973. The school system is administered by an appointed superintendent under the direction of an elected five-member board of education. There are eight K-5 elementary schools, two middle schools (grades 6-8), one comprehensive high school, and an alternative high school. The total enrollment of Brownsburg Community Schools is 10,638. The 2024-25 high school enrollment is 3,225 students. The racial breakdown of BHS is 58% Caucasian, 22% African American, 9% Hispanic, 5% Multi-Racial, and 4% Asian. For the 2024-25 school year, BHS has a 31% free/reduced lunch population.

GRADUATION INFORMATION



2024 DIPLOMA-TYPE BREAKDOWN



CURRICULUM

The school day is composed of seven class periods. Students must be enrolled in at least six credit-generating classes per semester. Brownsburg High School offers a wide range of academic and nonacademic disciplines. Students may earn college credits through a variety of dual credit opportunities offered by Indiana University, Ball State University, Vincennes University, and Ivy Tech Community College. Students may enroll in 25 different College Board Advanced Placement Program courses that BHS has to offer. Students may also attend our career and technical education program through Area 31 to gain industry certification.

REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

For an Indiana Core 40 Diploma, students must earn a minimum of 43 total credits including: 8 English, 6 Math, 6 Science, 6 Social Studies, 2 PE, 1 Health and 11 elective credits. For an Indiana Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma, students must earn a minimum of 47 total credits including: All Core 40 credits plus 2 additional math credits, 6-8 world language credits, 2 additional fine arts credits, and AP or Dual Credit requirements.

DUAL CREDIT COURSE DATA

Brownsburg High School offers 21 different dual credit courses in seven different academic disciplines. BHS Students have the opportunity to earn high school and college credit while taking courses from Indiana University, Ball State University, Vincennes University, and Ivy Tech Community College.

Mathematics:

Advanced Math, CC/IT Math 111 DC*
 Advanced Math, CC/IT Math 102 DC*
 Advanced Math, CC/BSU Math 161 DC*
 Algebra I, II
 Algebra II, Honors
 Calculus AB or BC, AP*
 Finite Mathematics
 Geometry, Honors
 Pre-Calculus/Trig
 Pre-Calculus/Trig Honors for AB or BC*
 Statistics, AP*

Performing Arts:

Advanced Chorus, by Levels (Madrigals)
 Adv. Concert Band, by Levels
 (Wind Ensemble/Percussion)
 Beginning Chorus, By Levels
 Dance Performance
 Freshman, Intermediate Orchestra
 Intermediate Chorus, Various Levels
 Freshman, Intermediate Concert Band
 Music Theory or Music Theory, AP*
 Piano & Keyboarding
 Symphony Orchestra
 Theater Arts, Advanced Theater Arts
 Technical Theater, Advanced Technical Arts

Project Lead the Way:

Biomedical Innovations
 Civil Engineering & Architecture*
 Digital Electronics*
 Engineering Design & Development
 Human Body Systems
 Intro to Engineering & Design*
 Medical Interventions
 Principles of Biomed Science
 Principles of Engineering*

Science:

Advanced Science, CC/VU Anatomy/Biology
 111/112L DC*
 Adv. Science Topics- Astronomy, Earth
 Systems, Forensics, Oceanography, Zoology
 Anatomy & Physiology
 Biology I, Honors
 Biology, AP*
 Chemistry I
 Pre AP Chemistry I, Honors
 Chemistry, AP*
 Environmental Science, AP*
 Integrated Chemistry-Physics
 Physics I
 Pre AP Physics I, Honors
 Physics C, Mechanics, AP*
 Advanced Science CC/IT Chem 101 DC*

Social Studies:

Advanced SS, CCVU HIST 139/140 DC*
 Economics
 Geog. & History World
 Human Geography, AP*
 Indiana Studies
 Ethnic Studies
 Microeconomics DC*, AP*
 Psychology or Psychology AP*
 Sociology
 US Government
 US Government & Politics, AP*
 US History or US History, AP*
 World History & Civilization
 World History, AP*

World Language:

Adv. French CC/VU FREN 201/203 DC*
 Adv. German CC/IT GRMN 201/203 DC*
 Adv. Spanish CC/VU SPAN 201/203 DC*
 French I-III
 French Language, AP*
 German I-III
 German Language, AP*
 Spanish I-III
 Spanish Language, AP*
 English as a New Language

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSE DATA

Brownsburg High School offers 25 different Advanced Placement courses in six different academic disciplines. The total number of Advanced Placement Scholars in 2024 totaled 214, including with an average AP score of 3.84. Advanced Placement Courses and Dual Credit courses are "grade weighted" at BHS.

2024 AP Exams	Number of Scholars	Average Score
AP Scholar	94	3.31
AP Scholar w/ Honor	44	3.71
AP Scholar w/ Distinction	76	4.11

POST-SECONDARY DATA (TEAM 2024)

A follow-up survey is conducted each fall to check on our graduates

4 Year College 66.9%	2 Year College 9.6%
Career/Tech/Apprenticeship 6.1%	Military 2.9%

2024-2025 BHS TEAM ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS AND COUNSELORS 317-852-2258

COHORT	Assistant Principal	Counselor
TEAM 2025	Will Mahan x1620	Christopher Douglas (A-J), x1602 Lori Mehrrens (K-Z), x1603
TEAM 2026	Dee Dowler x1920	Rachel Griffin (A-K), x1902 Jason Patterson (L-Z), x1903
TEAM 2027	Dale Sharpe x1720	Sarah Mahan (A-K), x1703 Seth Ragsdale (L-Z), x1702
TEAM 2028	Eric Mattingly x1820	Madison Carrabine (A-K), x1802 Megan Mayo (L-Z), x1803
BHS Director of Guidance	Brett Comer, x1607	
College/Career Counselor	Joni Martin, x1916	

GRADE CALCULATION

Grades are calculated on a four-point scale. All AP and Dual Credit courses will receive a grade weight of 1 full point.

*** = Grade Weighted Course (1 full point increase)**

DC = Dual Credit

AP = College Board, Advanced Placement



The school year is divided into two semesters, each divided into two nine-week grading periods. Each grading period is worth 40% of the final semester grade (Q1 = 40%, Q2 = 40%) and the final exam for each semester is worth the remaining 20%. Students are in school a total of 180 days per year.