

Bowling Green Independent Schools



The Bowling Green Independent School District has provided public education for students in the Bowling Green community since the first school building was built in 1882. The Board of Education was organized in 1893 and the second oldest high school in the Commonwealth, Bowling Green High School was founded in 1908. The tradition and accomplishments of current students, generations of alumni, and employees provide evidence of the District's motto, *Excellence Is Worth The Effort*.

ENROLLMENT

4,200 Students PreK - 12th Grade

57% Students Qualify for Free or Reduced Lunch

45% Minority Students

12% Limited English Proficiency

49+ Home Languages



Bowling Green High School CLASS OF 2016

302 Graduates

\$7.8 Million in Scholarship Offers

72 Honor Graduates (3.6+ GPA)

43 Different Post-Secondary Institutions

3 Branches of the Military



RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- BGHS is home to four 2017 National Merit Semifinalists: Anna Bachmann, Logan Bowen, Owen Harkins, and Karen Smith.
- Twenty-one 7th grade students from BGJHS earned state or grand recognition based on their 2016 ACT scores and the national percentile rankings for high school juniors and seniors.
- Ron Skillern, social studies teacher at BGHS is the 2017 Kentucky Teacher of the Year, Gina Crabtree of McNeill Elementary is the 2016 Counselor of the Year and Michele McCloughan of T. C. Cherry Elementary, is a Semifinalist for the 2016 Kentucky Elementary Teacher of the Year.
- In 2015-16, BGHS athletic teams won ten regional championships, and the KHSAA 5A Football State Championship.

SCHOOLS IN THE DISTRICT

Bowling Green High School

Grades 9-12
William King, Principal
1801 Rockingham Lane
(270) 746-2300

Bowling Green Junior High

Grades 6-8
Cynthia West, Principal
900 Campbell Lane
(270) 746-2290

The Academy at 11th Street

Alternative Placement Grades 6-12
Marisa Duarte, Director
877 East 11th Street
(270) 746-2321

T. C. Cherry Elementary

Preschool - 5th Grade
Kory Twyman, Principal
1001 Liberty Avenue
(270) 746-2230

Dishman McGinnis Elementary

Preschool - 5th Grade
Michael Wix, Principal
375 Glen Lily Road
(270) 746-2250

W. R. McNeill Elementary

Kindergarten - 5th Grade
Kelli Brooks, Principal
1800 Creason Drive
(270) 746-2260

Parker-Bennett-Curry Elementary

Preschool - 5th Grade
Delvagus Jackson, Principal
165 Webb Drive
(270) 746-2270

Potter Gray Elementary

Kindergarten - 5th Grade
Byron Darnall, Principal
610 Wakefield Drive
(270) 746-2280

BGISD Academic Opportunities

Elementary Schools

Art

Computer Technology

General Music

The Leader In Me

Lighthouse Leadership Team

4th & 5th Grade Strings Music Program

Extra-Curricular

4-H Club

Academic Team

Beta Club

Chess Club

Choir

Junior Optimist Club

Lego Robotics Team

Odyssey of the Mind

Student Technology Leadership Team

Bowling Green Junior High

Advanced Courses:

Pre-Algebra

English

Science

Courses for High School Credit:

Algebra I

Algebra II Pre-AP

Biology Pre-AP

Geometry

Geometry Pre-AP

Spanish I

Related Arts:

Art

Band

Choir

Computers

Journalism (print, photo, broadcast, & online)

JROTC

Music & Dance

Practical Living

Robotics

Strings

Bowling Green High School

Advanced Placement Courses:

AP Biology

AP Calculus AB

AP Calculus BC

AP Chemistry

AP Computer Science

AP English Language and Composition

AP English Literature and Composition

AP Environmental Science

AP European History

AP French Language

AP German Language

AP Government and Political Science

AP Human Geography

AP Music Theory

AP Physics C

AP Psychology

AP Spanish Language

AP Statistics

AP Studio Art

AP United States History

AP World History

Career & Technical Education:

Automotive Technology

Business

Carpentry

Communications

Family & Consumer Science

Health Science

JROTC

Fine Arts:

A Cappella Choir

Band

Basic Design / Draw

Choir

Orchestra

Painting / Sculpting

Performing Arts

Studio Art

PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

- A legal birth certification
- A Kentucky certificate of immunization
- Proof of a preventative health care examination conducted within one year prior to initial entry into the school program and another preventative health care examination within one year prior to entry into the 6th grade
- Proof of an eye examination by an optometrist or ophthalmologist, documented on the Kentucky School Eye Exam Form
- Proof of a dental screening or examination by a dentist, dental hygienist, physician, registered nurse, advanced registered nurse practitioner or physician assistant, documented on the Kentucky Dental Screening Form (This form must be presented to the school no later than January 1 of the first year that a 5- or 6-year-old child is enrolled.)
- Proof of residency in the Bowling Green City School District.

The Bowling Green Independent School District provides equal educational and employment opportunities.

NON-RESIDENT APPLICATION PROCESS

Families living in Bowling Green/Warren County but outside the boundaries of the Bowling Green City School District may apply for their children to attend Bowling Green Schools as tuition-paying non-resident students. An agreement between Warren County Public Schools and Bowling Green City Schools allows per child state funding to transfer from the district of residence to the district of enrollment. For the 2015-16 school year, up to 730 Warren County resident students may attend Bowling Green Schools, and pay an annual tuition of \$419.00 per child. No new non-resident students may be admitted to Bowling Green City Schools during the 2016-17 school year.

Families wishing to enroll for the 2017-18 school year must apply by April 15, 2017. Up to 690 non-resident students will be admitted through the agreement.

To view a map of the school district or learn more about the non-resident application process, please visit the district website at www.bgreen.kyschools.us.