

Buena Regional High School

School Profile 2024-2025

School Code: 310154



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Community

Buena Regional High School is located in a rural, agricultural community with residents from Buena Borough, which includes Buena, Landisville and Minotola; Buena Vista which includes Collings Lakes, East Vineland, Milmay, Newtonville and Richland; and sending districts from Estell Manor and Weymouth. The student body, which is made up of approximately 500 students, is culturally diverse with a population that is 55% Caucasian, 31% Hispanic, 12% African American and 2% Asian. Sixty-three percent of the study body receives free or reduced lunch.

Innovative Programs

- Aviation Program- A partnership with Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. Students can study to earn their private pilots license.
- Peer Leadership program provides an opportunity for 12th grade students to mentor 9th grade students.
- Buena Games promotes kindness, positive behaviors and school spirit.
- Various cultural clubs that promote diversity and unity.
- Teen Center- School based mental health and wellness center provides counseling services, academic services and recreation opportunities.
- Students have exposure to international travel with trips to South American and Europe including Costa Rica, Guatemala, France, United Kingdom, Italy, Spain, Greece and more.
- Thrively- Students can access their unique potential via strenghts assessments

Student Involvement

- Student Clubs include: Academic Team, Art Club, Baking Club, Choir, Color Guard, Dance Team, Drama Club, Future Farmers of America (FFA), Gay Straight Alliance (GSA), Interact Club, Makerspace Club, Stand Up and Rebel, Yearbook Club.
- Varsity Athletics include: Football, Soccer, Tennis, Cheerleading, Field Hockey, Cross Country, Wrestling, Basketball, Indoor Track, Swimming, Baseball, Softball, Track, Golf.
- Student leadership opportunities include: Principal's Student Advisory Council, Student Government Organization, Class Governments, National Honor Society, & Student Ambassadors.
- Peer Tutoring Program
- School Store run by Business students.
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters Mentoring Program.
- State Seal of Biliteracy- Students have the opportunity to earn a state seal of biliteracy in their junior or senior year.

Curriculum

Our curriculum is an open, comprehensive curriculum and is organized on a full-year, nine period schedule. The regular school day consists of eight class periods, forty minutes each. All full-year courses are worth 5 credits, semester courses are worth 2.5 credits, and quarter courses are worth 1.25 credits. Students may earn a maximum of 40 credits per year.

AP Course Offerings	Honors Course Offerings	Dual Credit
Art & Design 2D Art & Design 3D Drawing Biology Calculus Chemistry Computer Science European History Literature & Composition Language & Composition US History I US History II Psychology Statistics <i>33 students took 72 AP exams in 13 different AP Courses</i>	Algebra II Pre Calculus Biology Chemistry Anatomy and Physiology Constitutional Law & Ethics Intro to Social Sciences Geometry US History I US History II World Cultures Holocaust & Genocide Studies Physics Spanish III, IV, V Italian World Conflicts Women’s History	Biology Calculus Chemistry Computer Science European History Literature & Composition Language & Composition US History I US History II European History Psychology Statistics Spanish III and IV Anatomy and Physiology Intro to Graphic Arts
These courses earn 1 bonus GPA point	These courses earn .5 bonus GPA points	Affiliates: Rowan College, Atlantic Cape Community College, Stockton University

2023 SAT Mean Scores	2023 AP Highlights	Grading Scale
Reading & Writing- 539 Math- 496	- AP Computer Science - All students scored above State and National Average with a 3 or higher and were eligible to earn college credit 100 % of students scored a 3 or higher in the following exams- AP English Literature Composition, Spanish Language, Statistics, 2D Art, 3D Art and Drawing	A 100-90 B 89-80 C 79-70 D 69-60 F Below 60

