

BRIDGEWATER RARITAN

HIGH SCHOOL

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Community and School

Bridgewater-Raritan High School is located in the scenic, rolling hills of Somerset County in Central New Jersey, 35 miles southwest of New York City and 55 miles northeast of Philadelphia. The district includes the Township of Bridgewater and the Borough of Raritan with a combined total population of approximately 54,000. Many residents work as entrepreneurs or professionals or are employed by local corporations. Our Pre K-12 school system includes seven primary schools (K-4), two intermediate schools (5-6), one middle school (7-8), and one high school (9-12), serving approximately 8000 students.

Bridgewater-Raritan, a picturesque, campus-style high school, is accredited by the New Jersey Department of Education and is a member of the College Entrance Examination Board as well as the National and New Jersey Associations for College Admission Counseling. Bridgewater Raritan High School, with a total enrollment of 2668 students, is recognized annually for its achievements in athletic, performing art, and academic endeavors.

Curriculum

The academic program at Bridgewater-Raritan High School has a long tradition of excellence designed to prepare students for both college and the workplace. A variety of academic and extracurricular options provide a challenging environment aimed at helping students reach their full potential. Bridgewater-Raritan High School maintains articulation agreements with local colleges where students have the opportunity to earn college credits prior to graduation. Coursework is designed to progress within program concentrations and course sequences to build on content and skill. This design allows for varied levels of learning to meet individual student needs. The program of studies offers 29 Advanced Placement courses and a wide range of academic electives taught on three levels of instructional rigor (Standard, Academic, Honors, AP). Bridgewater-Raritan High School is consistently ranked among the top high schools in New Jersey.

For the 2024-2025 school year, Advanced Placement enrollment and Dual Enrollment courses have been expanded, along with Option 2 opportunities, such as service learning projects and independent study courses. Also, students are no longer permitted to enroll in online courses that satisfy graduation requirements including physical education, health, and other courses to accelerate.

The professional staff has an average of 13 years of service to the district with 76% having earned an advanced degree (MA, MS, PhD, EdD). The district is committed to the professional development of its teaching staff to enhance instructional strategies using best practices and maintain a relevant and progressive approach to student learning.

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- Ms. Tracee Cobbs, Asst. Principal
- Mr. Adam Leaman, Asst. Principal
- Mr. Damian Storey, Asst. Principal

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- Ms. Sapphire Toussaint

Course Offerings 2024-2025 School Year

Career Concentrations

This is multi-year coherent course progressions that provide opportunities for students to design an educational program aligned with their college and career interests. The program culminates in a capstone project. Career Concentrations are currently offered for: Business, Computer Science, Engineering & Robotics, Visual Arts, Music.

Academic Achievement Certification

Students complete designated elective coursework in the following areas: Computer Technology, Accounting Technology, Business Administration, Office Technology. Upon completion, a certificate is awarded and is suitable for college and business entrance portfolios.

Dual Enrollment

Students have the opportunity to earn college credit while enrolled in high school. BRHS has partnered with Farleigh Dickinson University, Raritan Valley Community College, Rutgers University, Seton Hall University and The College of New Jersey. Courses are available in English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and the Visual Performing Arts.

English

AP Language & Composition AP Literature & Composition English Lang. & Lit. I (H) (A) English Lang. & Lit. II (H) (A) English Lang. & Lit. III* (H) (A) English Lang. & Lit. IV* (H) (A) American Film Study Comprehensive Creative Writing* Intro to Creative Writing Intro to Screenwriting Journalism Kid Literacy Lyrical Poetry **SAT Preparation** Speech Sports Journalism Stephen King & American Horror

Mathematics

AP Calculus AB AP Calculus BC * **AP** Computer Science AP Computer Science Principles AP Probability & Statistics Advanced Math: Differential Equa-Advanced Math: Topics in Eng. (H)** Advanced Math: Unified Calc III* (H)** Advanced Topics in Comp. Sci* (H)** Algebra II (H) (A) Geometry (H) (A) Precalculus (H) (A) Algebra I (A) Algebra III/Trigonometry (A) Calculus (A) Probability & Statistics* (A) Computer Science I Computer Science II Cybersecurity I Cybersecurity II Data Science Precalculus* **SAT Preparation**

Science

AP Biology **AP** Chemistry **AP** Environmental Science

AP Physics 1

AP Physics 2 AP Physics C Biology (H) (A) Chemistry (H) (A) Introduction to Engineering (H) Genetics (H) Microbiology (H) Organic & Biochemistry* (H) Physics (H) (A) Conceptual Physics (A) Earth & Space (A) Environmental Science (A) Marine Biology (A) Medical Physiology Physics (A) Oceanography/Meteorology (A) Exercise Physiology Forensic Science General Anatomy & Physiology Human Anatomy & Physiology Medical Laboratory Oceanography/Meteorology

Social Studies

AP European History AP Government & Politics AP US History I AP US History II AP Psychology AP Seminar AP Research AP World Civilizations II Abnormal Psychology (Sem)(H) ** Social Psychology* (Sem) (H)** Global Studies (A) US History I (H) (A) US History II (H) (A) World Civilizations II (H) (A) American Law Civics **Economics Today Human Development** Pop Culture: Twentieth Century Sociology Women's Studies

MultiLingual Education

AP Chinese Lang. & Lit. AP French Language AP German Language AP Italian Language AP Latin-Vergil AP Spanish Language Chinese (H) (A)

French (H) (A) German (H) (A) Italian (H) (A) Latin (H) (A) Spanish (H) (A) ESL I ESL II ESL III ESL IV

Fine Arts

AP Studio Art AP Drawing AP Art History Advanced Studio Art (H)Visual Arts Capstone (H) Art I, II, II, IV Art History Art History Studio Art Journaling Art for Meditation & Relaxation Art & Science Ceramics I, II, III, IV Character Design Cultural Ceramics Design Digital Fine Arts I, II Digital Photography Drawing & Sketching Open Studio Sculpture Visual & Performing Arts Capstone Watercolor Painting

Performing Arts

AP Music Theory Concert Orchestra (H) Select Treble Choir (H) Symphonic Choir (H) Symphonic Orchestra (H) Performing Arts Capstone (H) Wind Ensemble (H) **Concert Band** Concert Orchestra **Digital Music Composition** Intro to Guitar Intermediate Guitar II, III Guitar Ensemble Mixed Choir Music Workshop Musical Theatre Workshop String Orchestra Symphonic Band

Technical Theater Prod. & Design Theater Arts I Thater Arts II **Theater Company**

Business

AP Macroeconomics **AP** Microeconomics Academic Internship Accounting I, II* (H) App Development **Business/Criminal Law** Career Exploration Computer Applications Computer Repair and Tech I, II Desktop Publishing & Multimedia Entrepreneurship & Business Financial Planning International Business Intro to Business Intro to Marketing—Social Media Leadership & Philanthropy Photo Editing & Web Design Photo Editing for Business Notetaking & Study Skills Programming for Business I, II

Technology

Audio & Music Engineering CAD I,II **CNC** Production **Engineering Computer Graphics** Programming for Business I Programming for Business II Film & Video Edit I, II, III, IV Film & Video Editing Seminar (H) Intro to Electronics Intro to Engineering Design Robotics (A) Wood Design & Fab I, II, III

Family & Consumer Sci.

Baking & Pastry Arts I Cooking Across America Culinary Nutrition - Honors Design & Sewing Technique Family & Consumer Sciences Fashion & Creative Design Home & Interior Design Intro to Culinary Arts International Foods Sewing Concepts Today's Living

Graduation Requirements: Class of 2025

Bridgewater-Raritan Regional High School requires students to earn a minimum of 120 credits and achieve a passing score on a standardized assessment as determined by the New Jersey Department of Education. Core requirements are as follows:

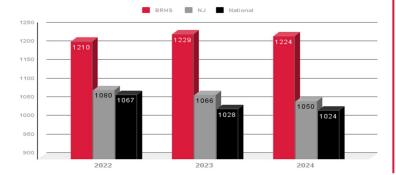
English Lang. & Lit.	20 credits	4 years
World History	5 credits	1 year
US History	10 credits	2 years
Mathematics	15 credits	3 years
Science	15 credits	3 years
World Language	5 credits	1 year
Visual & Performing Arts	5 credits	1 year
21 st Century Life & Careers	5 credits	1 year
Technological Literacy	Infused	
Financial Literacy	2.5 credits	1/2 year
Physical Education/Health	5 credits for each y	ear of enrollment

National Merit Award Scholars

	2022	2023	2024
Finalists	14	10	12
Semi Finalists	14	10	12
Commended	43	52	37

SAT Mean Scores

		22 Math		23 Math		24 Math
BRHS	602	608	611	618	612	612
NJ	543	537	538	528	519	531
National	529	538	520	508	505	519



Grading Scale

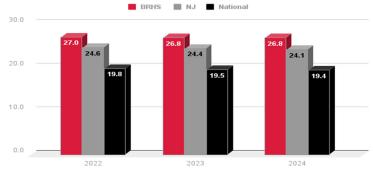
Letter Grades	Numerical Equivalent	Grade Points Academic	Grade Points Honors	Grade Points AP
A+	97—100	4.33	5.00	5.33
Α	92—96	4.00	4.67	5.00
A-	90—91	3.67	4.34	4.67
B+	87—89	3.33	4.00	4.33
В	82—86	3.00	3.67	4.00
B-	80—81	2.67	3.34	3.67
C+	77—79	2.33	3.00	3.33
С	72—76	2.00	2.67	3.00
C-	70—71	1.67	2.34	2.67
D+	68—69	1.33	2.00	2.33
D	66—67	1.00	1.67	2.00
D-	65	0.67	1.34	1.67

ACT Subject Mean Scores

	2022	2023	2024
English	27.4	26.8	27.0
Math	27.2	27.0	27.0
Reading	26.9	26.8	26.8
Science	26.3	25.9	25.7
STEM	27.0	26.7	26.6

ACT Composite Scores

	2022	2023	2024
BRHS	27	26.8	26.8
NJ	24.6	24.4	24.1
National	19.8	19.5	19.4



Seal of Biliteracy 2024

Total 80 Students

Chinese	5 students	Italian	4 students	Russian	1 students
French	19 students	Latin	12 students	Spanish	32 students
Hindi	3 students	Polish	2 students	Tamil	2 students

Advanced Placement

AP Scholars



	2022	2023	2024
Scholars	64	105	84
Scholars w/ Honors	45	76	80
Scholars w/ Distinctions	146	160	191
AP Capstone	-	2	9
AP Seminar & Research	-	3	1

AP Stats

2022	2023	2024
602 Students	689 Students	622 Students
1366 Exams	1665 Exams	1679 Exams
90% Scoring 3 or better	92% Scoring 3 or better	94% Scoring 3 or better

AP Test Results 2024 91% Total Score 3 or above

Art History	67%	Italian Language	60%
Biology	95%	Latin-Virgil	88%
Calculus AB	88%	Macroeconomics	92%
Calculus BC	92%	Microeconomics	90%
Chemistry	94%	Music Theory	83%
Chinese Lang. & Lit.	80%	Physics 1	87%
Computer Science	93%	Physics 2	100%
Comp. Sci. Principles	99%	Physics C EM	68%
Drawing	100%	Physics C Mech	100%
English Lang. & Comp.	97%	Precalculus	100%
English Lit & Comp	97%	Probability & Statistics	84%
Environmental Science	82%	Psychology	82%
European History	83%	Research	100%
French Language	86%	Seminar	100%
German Language	0%	Spanish Language	92%
Comp. Gov & Pol	100%	U.S. Gov & Pol	93%
Human Geography	100%	US History	99%

Matriculation Report 2022–2024

American University Appalachian State University Arizona State University-Tempe Aviation Institute of Maintenance-Hasbrouck Heights Babson College Barnard College **Baylor University** Belmont Abbey College Belmont University **Beloit College** Bentley University Bloomfield College of Montclair State University **Boston College** Boston University Brandeis University Brookdale Community College **Brown University** Bryn Mawr College **Bucknell University CUNY Kingsborough Community** College California Institute of Technology Cape Cod Community College Carnegie Mellon University
Case Western Reserve University Cedar Crest College Christine Valmy Int'l School of Esthetics & Cosmetology Clemson University Coastal Carolina University Colgate University College of Charleston Columbia University Community College of Philadelphia Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science & Art Cornell University County College of Morris Culinary Institute of America DeSales University Dickinson College Drew University Drexel University Duke University Earlham College East Carolina University East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania Elizabethtown College Elon University Emerson College Emory University Endicott College Fairfield University Fairleigh Dickinson University-Florham Campus Fairleigh Dickinson University-Metropolitan Campus
Fashion Institute of Technology Felician University Florida Atlantic University Florida Institute of Technology Florida Int'l University

Georgia Southern University Gettysburg College Grove City College
Guilford Technical Community College Harvard University High Point University Hofstra University Indiana University of Pennsylvania-Main Campus Indiana University-Bloomington Innovate Salon Academy - South Plainfield Ithaca College James Madison University Johns Hopkins University Johnson & Wales University-Providence Kean University King's College Kutztown University of Pennsylvania Lafayette College Lees-McRae College Lehigh University Liberty University Lincoln Technical Institute-South Plainfield Lincoln Technical Institute-Union Louisiana State University & Agricultural & Mechanical College Loyola Marymount University Loyola University Maryland Lynn University Macalester College Marist College Marywood University Massachusetts Institute of Technology McDaniel College Mercer County Community College Messiah University Miami Dade College - North Campus Michigan State University Middlesex College Misericordia University Monmouth University Montclair State University Moore College of Art & Design Moravian University Morehouse College Morgan State University Muhlenberg College Nazareth University New Jersey Institute of Technology New York University North Carolina State University Northeastern University Northwestern University Norwich University Oberlin College Occidental College Ohio State University Pace University Penn State University Piedmont University Princeton University Providence College Purdue University Fort Wayne Quinnipiac University

Georgetown University

Campus

Georgia Institute of Technology-Main

Ramapo College of New Jersey Raritan Valley Community College Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Rhode Island College Rhodes College Rice University Rider University Ringling College of Art & Design Roanoke College Rochester Institute of Technology Roger Williams University Rowan College of South Jersey-Gloucester Campus Rowan University Rutgers University-Camden Rutgers University-New Brunswick Rutgers University-Newark SUNY College at Oswego SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry SUNY Maritime College Sacred Heart University Saint Joseph's University Saint Leo University Salisbury University San Diego State University Santa Clara University Savannah College of Art & Design School of Visual Arts Scottsdale Community College Seton Hall University Southern Methodist University St Bonaventure University St. Joseph's University - New York Stevens Institute of Technology Stockton University Stony Brook University Susquehanna University Swarthmore College Syracuse University Tallahassee Community College Taylor University Temple University Texas A & M University-College Sta-Texas Christian University Texas Tech University The Catholic University of America The College of New Jersey The George Washington University The New School The University of Alabama The University of Tampa The University of Tennessee-Knoxville The University of Texas at Austin Towson University Tri-County Technical College Tufts University UCNJ Union College of Union County, NJ United States Air Force Academy United States Coast Guard Academy United States Military Academy Universal Technical Institute - Bloomfield Universite de Rennes I, II University at Albany, SUNY University of Arizona University of California-Berkeley

University of California-Irvine University of California-Los Angeles University of California-Santa Barbara University of Central Florida University of Chicago University of Colorado Boulder University of Connecticut University of Delaware University of Florida University of Georgia University of Hartford University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign University of Kentucky University of Mary Washington University of Maryland-Baltimore County University of Maryland-College Park University of Mass-Amherst University of Miami University of Michigan-Ann Arbor University of Minnesota-Twin Cities University of Mississippi University of New Hampshire-Main Campus University of New Haven University of North Carolina Wilming-University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill University of Pennsylvania University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus University of Rhode Island University of Rochester University of Scranton University of South Carolina-Columbia University of South Florida-Main Campus University of Southern California University of St Andrews University of Toronto University of Vermont University of Virginia-Main Campus University of Washington-Seattle Campus University of Waterloo University of Wisconsin-Madison University of the Sciences Ursinus College Utah State University Valencia College Villanova University Virginia Tech Wake Forest University Washington University in St Louis Wentworth Institute of Technology West Chester University of Pennsylvania West Virginia University Wheaton College - Massachusetts Widener University Wilkes University William Paterson University of New Jersey Williams College Worcester Polytechnic Institute Worcester State University Yale University Class of 2024

Class of 2022

Florida State University

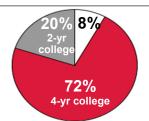
Fordham University

Full Sail University

Furman University

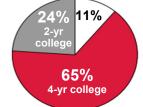
Gannon University

Higher Education 89% of 679 Seniors



Class of 2023

Higher Education 92% of 656 Seniors



Higher Education 92% of 707 Seniors

