



BRYANT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ANNUAL REPORT

2022-2023

2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR





ABOUT OUR DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN

Our Plan for Success, the strategic plan for Bryant Public Schools, establishes the goals to guide the school district. The plan focuses on four areas: social and emotional learning; teaching and learning; facilities and systems; and personnel.

Data to measure plan progress comes from the yearly climate survey, administered each spring. The Strategic Plan was extended an additional year to reflect the impact of Covid. The final year of data will be collected for 2022-23 and reported in the 2023-24 school year.

To learn more, visit the website: bryantschools.org/page/strategic-plan.

VISION

Bryant Public Schools will be the state's premier provider of educational services.

MISSION

Bryant Public Schools will create opportunities for academic and personal success to ensure all students are future ready.

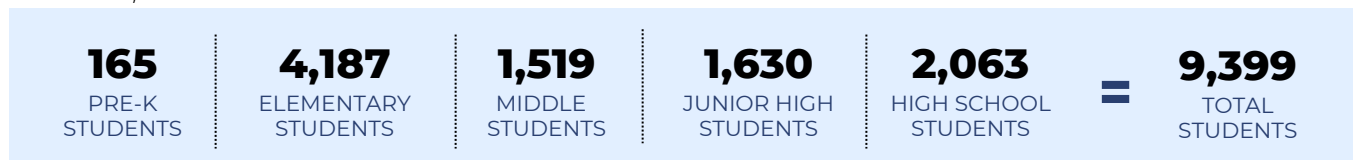
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SCHOOL SAFETY TEAM ARMED PRESENCE ON EACH SCHOOL CAMPUS

- 1 > DISTRICT SECURITY COORDINATOR
- 9 > SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS
- 9 > COMMISSIONED SCHOOL SECURITY OFFICERS

OCTOBER 1, 2021



BOARD OF EDUCATION



2021 Calendar Year

TRAINING HOURS

Kim Billingsley	10
Scott Walsh	6.5
Ben Lewellen	9
Sandra Porter	9
Tyler Nelson	8
Craig Leone	31.5
Patrice Muldrow	9.5
Nelly Valentin	0*

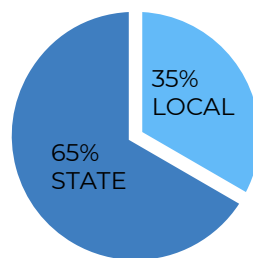


Sandra Porter retired after 15 years of board service. Nelly Valentin was appointed to fill the vacant Zone 3 position in June 2022.

*Board members have until the end of the year following their election/appointment to complete 6 hours of required training.

FINANCIALS

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS TAX REVENUE & FOUNDATION FUNDING

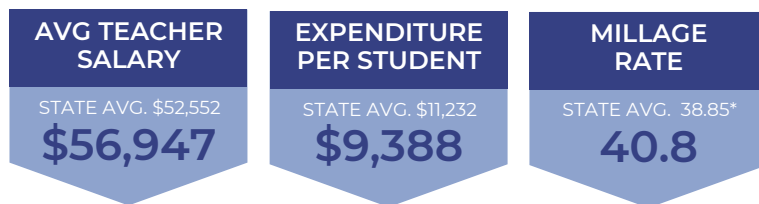


2020-21 PER STUDENT FUNDING AMOUNT (PER STATE LAW)	\$7,182
AMOUNT RAISED THROUGH LOCAL TAXES	\$2,539
STATE PARTICIPATION	\$4,643

LEGAL BALANCE W/ CATEGORICAL FUNDS 9/2022 **\$10,667M**

TRANSFER TO BUILDING FUND 8/2022 **\$3M**

*Source: DESE Annual Statical Report, 2019-20 school year

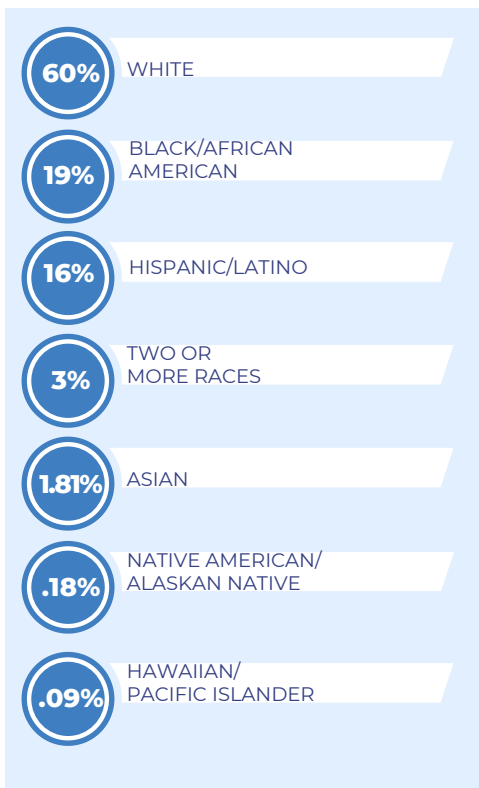


\$4,066 SOFT DRINK REVENUE 2021-22



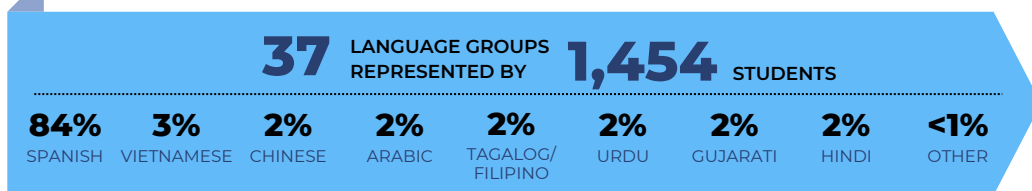
SERVING STUDENTS

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS



*ALL MEALS WERE FREE FOR THE 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

894 STUDENTS QUALIFIED FOR ESOL PROGRAM ON OCT 1, 2021



PARENT CENTER

SCHOOL SUPPLIES, FOOD CLOTHING, OTHER SERVICES

1,054 **441**

FAMILIES SERVED

TRUANCY REFERRALS

HORNET HEALTH CENTER

PATIENTS SERVED



CHILD FIND

Evaluation for any child ages 3-21 suspected of having a medical or learning disability is available through the Child Find process.

Contact the Special Education office at 847-5660.

EARLY CHILDHOOD

SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES PROVIDED

90 STUDENTS

DYSLEXIA

RECEIVING INTERVENTION SERVICES

230 STUDENTS

MCKINNEY VENTO

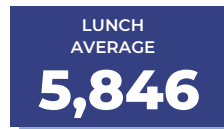
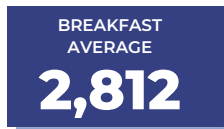
STUDENTS MEETING REQUIREMENTS OF MCKINNEY-VENTO HOMELESS ACT

79 STUDENTS

FOOD SERVICE

ALL MEALS WERE FREE FOR THE 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

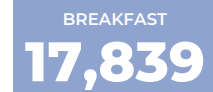
DAILY MEAL SERVICE



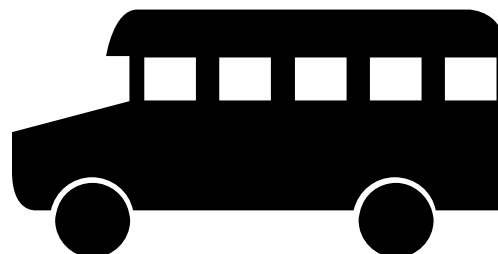
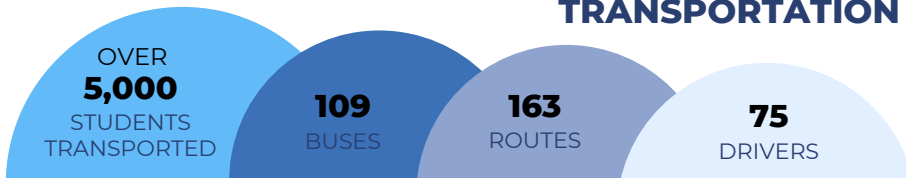
FOOD BOXES DISTRIBUTED



SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM 2022 MEALS SERVED



TRANSPORTATION





CREATING OPPORTUNITIES

REPORTED FROM 20-21 DATA

ACADEMICS

CLASS OF 2022

651
GRADUATES

24
BILITERACY AWARDS

OVER
\$22M
SCHOLARSHIPS

2
NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS

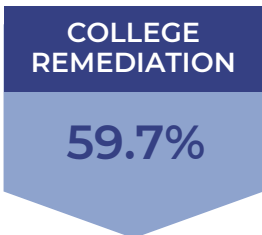
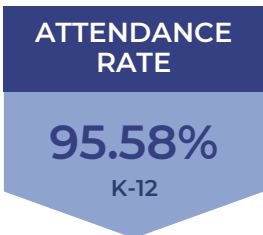
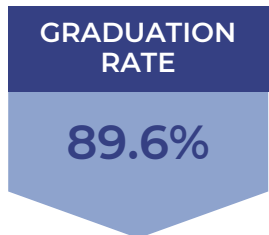
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GOVERNOR'S DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARS

ACT 20.27 DISTRICT
19.32 STATE

EXTRA CURRICULAR

STATE/CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 2021-22 State Championships: Lady Hornet 4 x 400 team; Discus; 2021 Bryant Hornet Football; Women's Wrestling
- State RunnerUps: BMS Cheer, E-Sports Rocket League
- Conference Championships: 9th Grade Boys Basketball team; Hornet and Lady Hornet Track & Field; 9th Grade Football; Lady Hornet Softball



ADVANCED PLACEMENT

645 STUDENTS **24** COURSES
1,364 EXAMS TAKEN **58%** SCORED 3 OR BETTER

CONCURRENT CREDIT

282 STUDENTS **13** COURSES
2,367 CREDIT HOURS EARNED

1:1 iPADS FOR ALL SECONDARY STUDENTS



SALINE COUNTY CAREER & TECHNICAL CAMPUS

BHS STUDENTS ENROLLED **157**
CERTIFICATIONS EARNED **151**

GOOD THINGS

- Six schools received a Capturing Kids' Hearts National Showcase Schools award: CES, DES, HCES, PES, SES, & HFES.
- DESE recognized Bryant's Alternative Education Program for its positive student outcomes.
- BHS earned the College Board AP® Computer Science Female Diversity Award.
- SPES earned an OEP award for high growth scores in English Language Arts.
- BeMS was recognized for high math growth scores by OEP.
- ADG Readers' Choice Awards: BEST PUBLIC MIDDLE SCHOOL: BMS & BEST PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL: BHS.
- Hornet Media earned a National Broadcast Excellence Award.
- BEMS students earned 13 gold, 9 silver, and 2 bronze medals at Special Olympics.
- HFES Archery took 2nd at state, with the top girl and boy shooters.
- BHS won the 7A Central Quiz Bowl Regional and placed 2nd at state.
- BMS 7th grade Quiz Bowl team qualified for the 7A State Tournament.
- DES represented Bryant at the 5th grade Regional Quiz Bowl tournament.
- BHS Chess team won 2nd place at the state tournament.
- Three BJHS teams competed at the VEX Robotics World Championship, after taking top place in the state tournament.
- The JROTC air rifle team topped the field at the Newport Invitational, placing first in the Sporter Team overall.
- BJHS journalism earned a total of 97 individual and group awards at state competitions.
- The Legacy of Bryant won 2nd place and state runner-up in class 7A marching contest.
- BHS had 43 members make 1st All Region Band.
- Indoor Percussion, Winterguard and Legacy Winterguard swept their classifications and divisions in class competition.
- BJHS 8th and 9th grade Honors Band and Symphonic Band received 1st Division Ratings at Region 1 assessment.
- BHS choirs earned Sweepstakes Awards, Academic Achievement Awards, and 3 "Best in Class" state titles!
- BMS 7th grade choir scored excellent in performance and superior in sight reading.
- The BHS Volleyball team has earned the USMC/AVCA Team Academic Award.



CELEBRATING OUR TEAM

OUR STAFF

689
CERTIFIED

440
CLASSIFIED

36%
BACHELORS
DEGREE

54%
MASTERS
DEGREE

10%
ADVANCED
DEGREE

29
NATIONAL
BOARD
CERTIFIED

AWARDS & HONORS

- Salem's **Donaven Sims** was named the 2022 AAESP Elementary Principal of the Year.
- **Dondre Harris** was the recipient of the 2022 AAESP Award for Service Above and Beyond.
- ESOL Coordinator **Dawn Shinn** was awarded the 2021 ESOL Coordinator of the Year from ARKTESOL.
- BHS teacher **Brenda Qualls** was one of five finalists for Arkansas Computer Science Educator of the Year.
- Amanda Black, BHS paraprofessional, was named Virtual Arkansas Facilitator of the Year 2021-2022.
- **Tanner Oglesby** was named a quarterfinalist for the 2023 Music Educator Award.
- Aaron Hardin, BMS art teacher, was honored as Arkansan of the Day for painting traffic signal boxes.
- Coach **Mike Lee** was awarded the ArkHSAD State Award of Merit.
- Coach **Leigh Ann Back** was awarded the Joe Reese Award from the Arkansas Coaches Hall of Fame.
- Hornet Head Coach **Buck James** received the 2020-2021 Lowell Manning Award.
- Coach **Quad Sanders** was the 2021 Broyles Award winner for Outstanding Assistant High School Coach.
- Dawson Co-op recognized bus driver **Angela Pittman** for going above and beyond to keep students safe.
- Kelli Dockery, HCES counselor, served as President Elect for the Arkansas School Counselors Association.
- Megan Callaway, SES paraprofessional, received the Parsons Barnett Scholarship to become a teacher.



TEACHER OF THE YEAR
Amber Leaton

U.S. History & Leadership
Bryant High School

2023 Arkansas Teacher of the Year
Semi-Finalist

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEE
OF THE YEAR
Frank Stracener

Paraprofessional
Bethel Middle School



TEACHERS OF THE YEAR



CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES THE YEAR



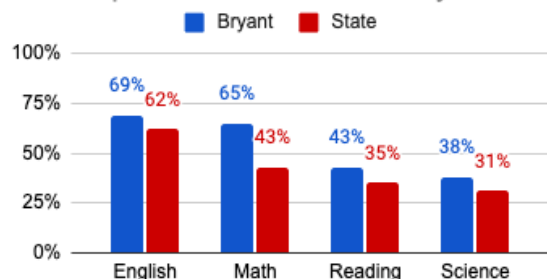


ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

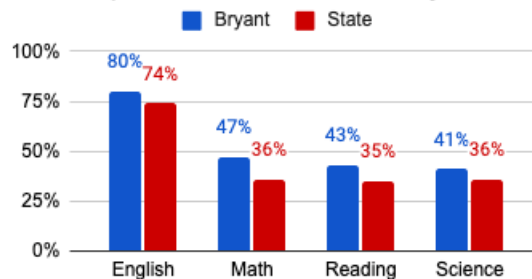
The ACT Aspire end-of-year summative assessment is used to assess Arkansas public school students in grades 3-10. Each student participates in English, Math, Reading, and Science.

Graphs indicate the percentage of Bryant students scoring ready and exceeding as compared to state scores. Our students performed above the state averages in all subject areas. We are proud of our teachers and students!

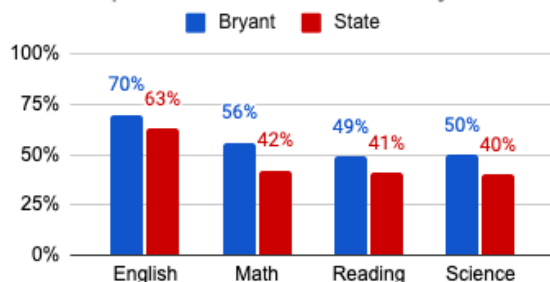
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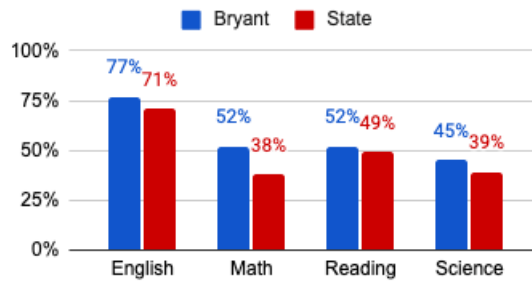
ACT Aspire 7th Grade Proficiency Scores



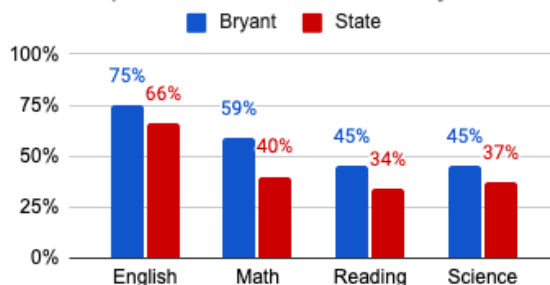
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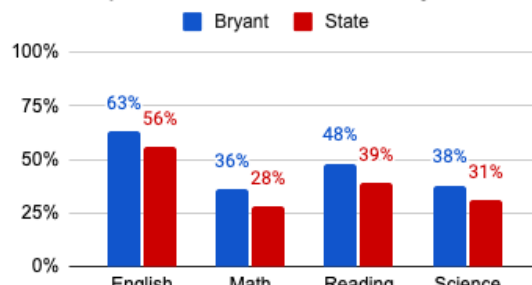
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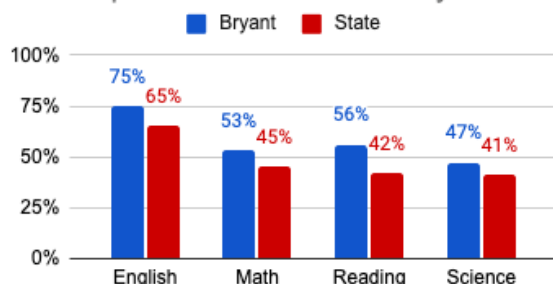
ACT Aspire 5th Grade Proficiency Scores



ACT Aspire 9th Grade Proficiency Scores



ACT Aspire 6th Grade Proficiency Scores



ACT Aspire 10th Grade Proficiency Scores

