

# Profile

# Bainbridge High School

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## Our Community

Bainbridge Island is a beautiful 28 square mile island located just eight miles across Puget Sound from Seattle. Approximately 24,000 people call Bainbridge Island home. The island community places a very high value on the quality of the public school system. Community support for our school is evident in the long history of funding through consistent passage of school tax measures, a very successful Bainbridge Schools Foundation and the significant presence of school volunteers on a daily basis.

## Our School

**Bainbridge High School Mission Statement:** Inspiring all members of our school community to value learning, think critically and creatively, practice integrity, and act as compassionate citizens.

Bainbridge High School is the district's only comprehensive high school serving approximately 1,350 students in grades 9-12. Students at Bainbridge High School have access to a challenging college preparatory curriculum that is augmented by a rich and diverse array of elective classes. Our range of course offerings and co-curricular programs exceeds the options available at virtually any other public school our size. Last year 143 (40%) of our seniors were designated *Washington Honors Award* winners, an award that distinguished them in the top 10% of all graduating seniors in the state.

### BHS Composite

On-Time Graduation Rate	93%
5 yr. Cohort Extended Graduation Rate	97%
Special Education Population	5.5%
Free or Reduced Lunch Population	6.4%
Class of 2017 to a 4-year school	80%
Class of 2017 to a 2-year school	13%

### Student Ethnicity

African American	.3%
Asian American	3.7%
Hispanic	8.0%
Multi-Racial	9.3%
Native American	.7%
White	78.0%

### BHS Certificated Staff

Classroom Teachers	70
Administrators	4
Average Years of Teacher Experience	13

Staff with National Board Certification	16
% of Teachers with at least a Master's Degree	84

# Graduation Requirements

One-half credit is awarded for successful completion of a semester long course. Students must earn a total of 24 credits to graduate. Most students carry a full course load consisting of six classes in both the fall and spring semesters. See course distribution below:

Subject Area	Years	Subject Area	Years
English	4	Physical Education/Health	2
Mathematics	3	Career Education	1
Science	3	Fine & Performing Arts	1
Social Studies	3	Electives	7
<b>Total Credits Required</b>			<b>24</b>

**Honors Courses:** Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Humanities. While there are not specific Honors classes in 9th and 10th Grade English or American Studies (11th Grade US History and American Literature block class), students can earn an Honors designation by demonstrating exceptional work.

**AP Courses:** Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, Computer Principles, Computer Science, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, U.S. Government, Economics, European History, Psychology, English Literature, Spanish, and Studio Art. Students in AP courses are required to take the AP Exam.

**Running Start:** A statewide program offering juniors and seniors the opportunity to take classes at local community colleges. Students earn both high school and community college credit for these courses. These courses carry "RS" at the beginning of the course title on the student's transcript.

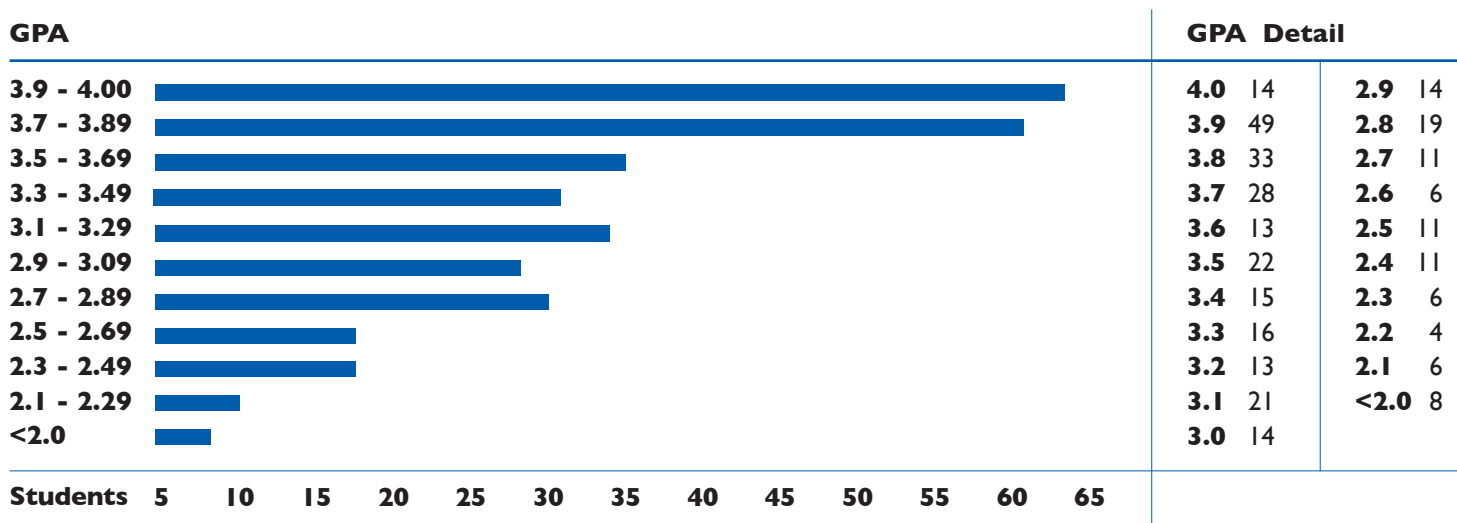
**Alternative School Classes:** Course codes that end in the letter "E" indicate a class taken at the school district's alternative school (Eagle Harbor High School).

*Sixteen Bainbridge High School classroom teachers have achieved the rigorous professional standard of National Board Certification.*

## Grades and Class Rank Policy

All grades, by state mandate, are not weighted. All courses, except those denoted with a "P," "W," or an "NC" are calculated into a student's cumulative GPA. Bainbridge High School does not provide class rank. The grade distribution chart provided below helps to put the highly competitive nature of our school into better perspective.

### Cumulative GPA Distribution Class of 2018



# BHS Testing Information

## PSAT

Class of	# Tested	Mean Scores	
2017	275	Reading/Writing	571
		Math	569
2018	298	Reading/Writing	577
		Math	569
2019	252	Reading/Writing	587
		Math	587

*Last year, BHS students took 955 AP examinations. 74% of the exam scores were level 3 or above.*

## SAT

Class of	Mean Scores	
2016	Critical Reading	589
	Math	598
	Writing	563
2017	EBRW*	628
	Math	628
2018	EBRW*	620
	Math	619

\* Evidence Based Reading and Writing formerly known as Critical Reading.

## ACT

Class of	# Tested	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
2016	123	25.9	26.6	27.3	25.5	26.5
2017	102	26.5	26.7	27.6	25.6	26.7
2018	110	26.3	26.3	27.4	24.9	26.4

## AP Exams

Class of	# Tested	Tests Taken	AP Scores 3 & above	% Scoring 3 & above
2016	395	839	611	73%
2017	419	951	619	73%
2018	439	955	706	74%

## 2018 AP Awards

<b>AP Scholar</b>	Granted to students who receive scores of 3 or higher on three or more AP Exams	73
<b>AP Scholar w/Honor</b>	Granted to students who receive an average of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams	39
<b>AP Scholar w/Distinction</b>	Granted to students who receive an average of at least 3.5 on all AP Exams taken and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams	48
<b>National AP Scholar</b>	Granted to students in the United States who receive an average of at least 4 on all AP Exams taken and scores of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams	3

# University and College Enrollment 2015-2018

Last year 93% of Bainbridge High School graduates had plans to continue their education, 80% at a four-year institution and 13% at a two-year institution. Of the college-bound population 50% went to out-of-state schools. Students from the last four graduating classes have attended over 230 different colleges and universities across the nation and internationally.

## Public Universities, Community Colleges & Academies

### Four-Year Schools

Arizona State University  
Ball State University  
Boise State University  
California Polytechnic State University  
California State University, East Bay  
Central Washington University  
College of Charleston  
Colorado School of Mines  
Colorado State University  
Eastern Washington University  
Florida State University  
Indiana University  
James Madison University  
Maine Maritime University  
Miami University, Ohio  
Montana State University  
Northern Arizona University  
Oregon State University  
Pennsylvania State University  
Portland State University  
Purdue University  
San Diego State University  
Southern Oregon University  
Texas A & M University  
The California Maritime Academy  
The Evergreen State College  
University of Arizona  
University of Arkansas  
University of California, Berkeley  
University of California, Davis  
University of California, Los Angeles  
University of California, San Diego  
University of California, Santa Barbara  
University of California, Santa Cruz  
University of Colorado  
University of Connecticut  
University of Hawaii  
University of Idaho  
University of Iowa  
University of Kentucky  
University of Maryland  
University of Michigan  
University of Montana  
University of Nevada  
University of New Mexico  
University of North Dakota  
University of Oregon

University of Pittsburgh  
University of Texas, Austin  
University of Utah  
University of Vermont  
University of Virginia  
University of Washington  
University of Wisconsin  
University of Wyoming  
Utah State University  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Washington State University  
Weber State University  
Western Washington University

### Two-Year Schools

American Musical & Dramatic Academy  
Bellevue College  
Central Oregon C.C.  
Edmonds C.C.  
Olympic College  
Orange Coast C.C.  
Pierce College  
San Diego Mesa College  
Santa Barbara City College  
Santa Monica College  
Seattle Central College  
Snow College  
South Seattle C.C.  
Whatcom C.C.  
Yakima Valley C. C.

### International Schools

American University of Paris  
Columbia University International  
Jagiellonian University  
McGill University  
Quest University, Canada  
Royal Holloway University of London  
University of British Columbia  
University of Glasgow  
University of St. Andrews  
University of Toronto  
University of Victoria  
University of Warwick

### Service Academies

U.S. Air Force Academy  
U.S. Coast Guard Academy  
U.S. Merchant Marine Academy  
U.S. Military Academy  
U.S. Naval Academy

## Private Colleges & Universities

Academy of Art University  
Allegheny College  
American University  
Amherst College  
Art Institute of Seattle  
Bard College  
Bates College  
Belmont College  
Bennington College  
Bentley University  
Biola University  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Bowdoin College  
Brandeis University  
Brigham Young University  
Brown University  
Bryn Mawr College  
Butler University  
California Institute of the Arts  
California Lutheran University  
Carleton College  
Carroll College  
Case Western Reserve  
Chapman University  
Claremont McKenna College  
Clark University  
Colby College  
College of Wooster  
Colorado College  
Columbia College, Chicago  
Concordia University  
Cornell University  
Cornish College of the Arts  
Creighton University  
Dartmouth College  
DePaul University  
Elon University  
Emerson College  
Emory & Henry College  
Fairfield University  
George Washington University  
Georgetown University  
Gonzaga University  
Harvard University  
Harvey Mudd College  
Hollins University  
Ithaca College  
Kalamazoo College  
Kenyon College  
Knox College  
Lafayette College  
Lawrence University  
Lehigh University  
Lewis & Clark College  
Linfield College  
Loyola Marymount University  
Loyola University, Chicago  
Macalester College  
Manhattan College  
Marist College  
Marquette University  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Meredith College  
Middlebury College  
Mills College  
Missouri Valley College  
Mount Holyoke College  
Northeastern University  
Oberlin College  
Occidental College  
Ohio Wesleyan University  
Olin College of Engineering  
Pace University  
Pacific Lutheran University  
Pacific University  
Pitzer College  
Pomona College  
Reed College  
Regis University  
Rhode Island School of Design  
Rice University  
Rollins College  
Saint Martin's University  
Saint Mary's College, California  
Saint Mary's College, Indiana

Samford University  
Santa Clara University  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago  
Scripps College  
Seattle Pacific University  
Seattle University  
Skidmore College  
Smith College  
St. Olaf College  
Stanford University  
Stevens Institute of Technology  
Texas Christian University  
The New School  
Trinity University  
Tufts University  
Tulane University  
University of the Arts  
University of Denver  
University of Hartford  
University of Jamestown  
University of La Verne  
University of New England  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Portland  
University of Puget Sound  
University of Redlands  
University of Richmond  
University of Rochester  
University of San Francisco  
University of Southern California  
Vassar College  
Villanova University  
Walla Walla University  
Washington College  
Washington University, St. Louis  
Wellesley College  
Wesleyan University  
Westmont College  
Whitman College  
Whitworth University  
Willamette University  
Williams College  
Woodbury University

*A study of first year student performance at the University of Washington confirms that BHS students leave high school well prepared for college level academics. The average GPA for BHS graduates in their first year at the U of W is 3.36. The average GPA for all U of W freshman during the same period was 3.12.*