

Welcome to Buffalo High School

8th Grade Parent Night

Class of 2027





BHS MISSION STATEMENT

Agency

Growth

Connections



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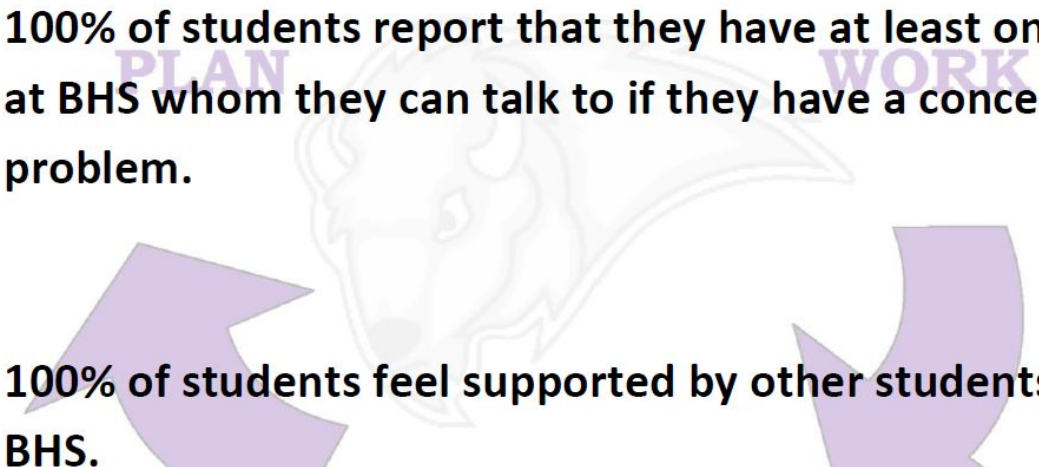
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Be Driven

Be Proud

Be Leaders

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REFLECT

BHS and National Results

89% of our students say they have an adult they can talk to if they have a concern or a problem.

54% Nationally

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79% of our students say they feel supported by other students at BHS.

33% Nationally

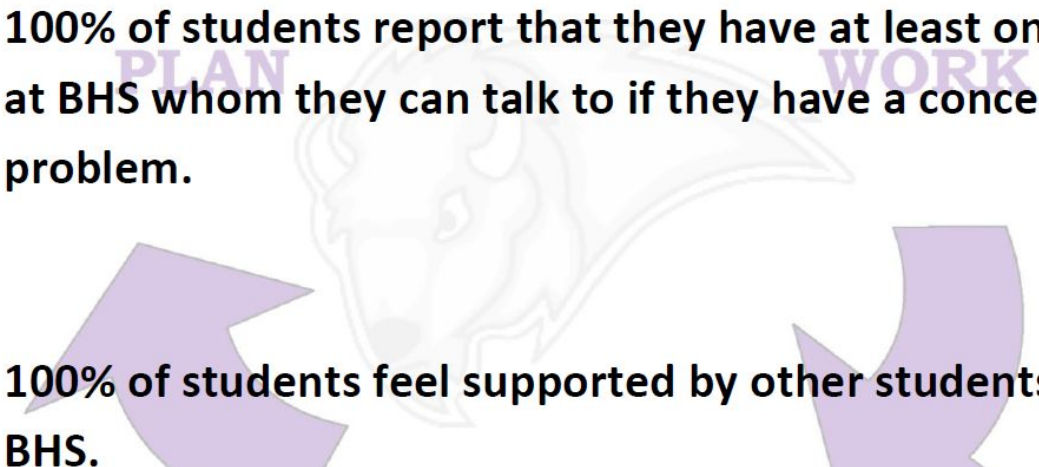
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“Success at Buffalo High School”

A photograph of Buffalo High School, a large brick building with a central entrance labeled "BUFFALO HIGH SCHOOL". The school is surrounded by a green lawn, trees, and a paved walkway. Two tall flagpoles are visible on the right side of the image, one with the American flag and the other with a blue flag. The sky is clear and blue.

The place to Dream, Believe and Achieve

Buffalo High
School will be
changing
schedules in
2023-24

Priorities:

Smaller class sizes

Student choice

Planned interventions

BHS Daily Schedule 2023-2024

*Draft

5 Periods 3 Trimesters

Time	Monday/Friday	Tues/Wed/Thurs	4-Lunches
8:50 - 9:52	1st Period	1st Period	62 min
9:52 - 9:57	Passing Time	Passing Time	
9:57 - 10:27	*ADVISORY	*BASE	30 min
10:27 - 10:32	Passing Time	Passing Time	
10:32 - 11:33	2nd Period	2nd Period	61 min
11:33 - 11:39	Passing Time	Passing Time	
11:39 - 1:13 (30 min duty free lunch for staff)	3rd Period + Lunch	3rd Period + Lunch	<div>Student Lunch</div> <div>Start Class</div> <div>A: 11:33 - 11:58 12:03</div> <div>B: 11:58 - 12:23 12:28</div> <div>C: 12:23 - 12:48 12:53</div> <div>D: 12:48 - 1:13 1:18</div>
1:13 - 1:18	Passing Time	Passing Time	
1:18 - 2:19	4th Period	4th Period	61 min
2:19 - 2:24	Passing Time	Passing Time	
2:24 - 3:25	5th Period	5th Period	61 min

Advisory and BASE

(Bison Academic Support and Enrichment)

- **Advisory (Mon & Fri):**

- Grade-level and mixed alpha by counselor
- Balanced: Lessons focused on college/career readiness, academic support and planning, social/emotional literacy

- **BASE (Tues-Thurs):**

- Students need to select choices at the beginning of each week
 - Homework help
 - Test make-up
 - *Struggling in class**
 - *Advisor connect**
 - *Enrichment*

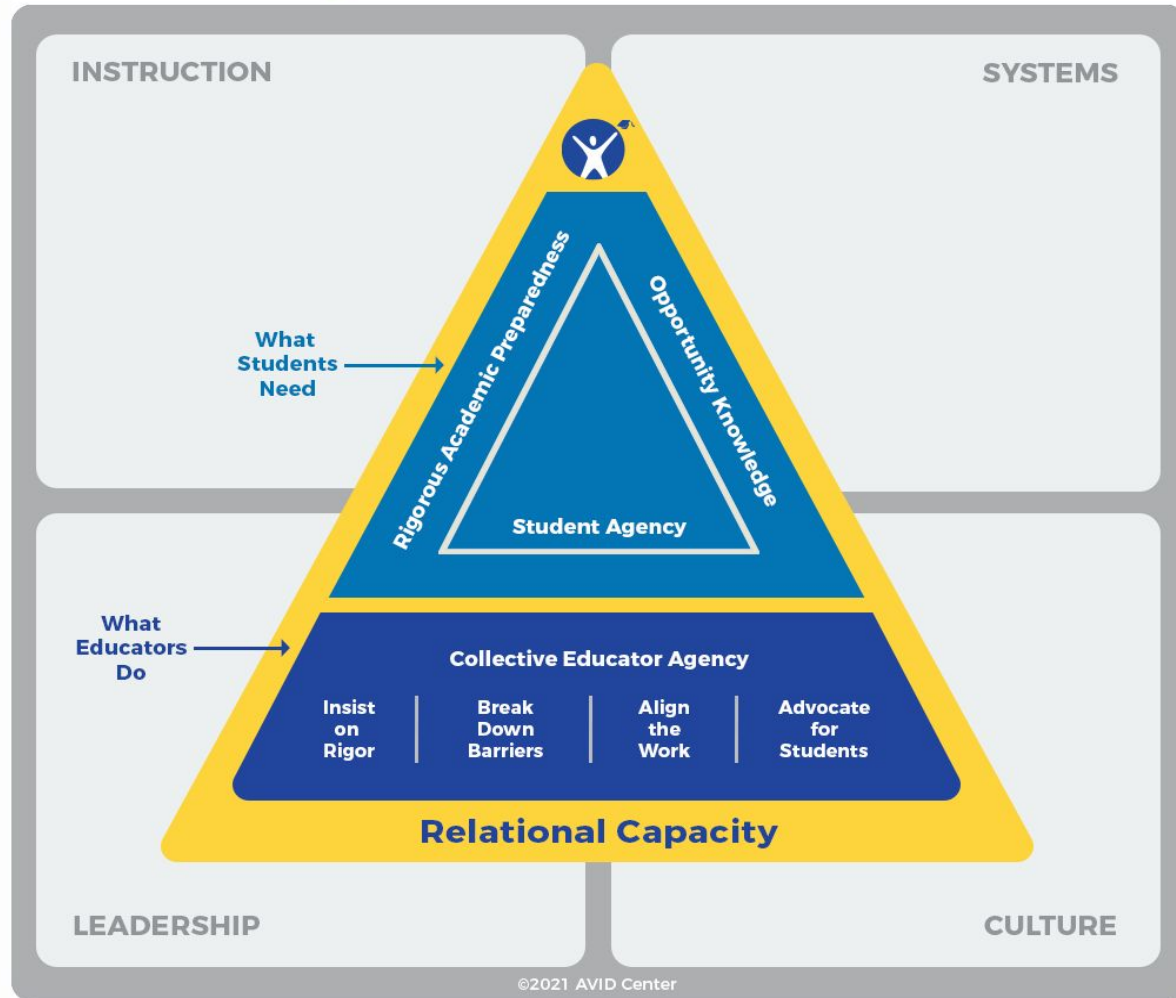
AVID & ISD 877

AVID's mission is to close the opportunity gap by preparing all students for college and career readiness and success in a global society.

(BHS/BHM Goal #3)

*100% of our BHS students will be career and college ready upon graduation.

AVID College & Career Readiness Framework



Opportunities available at BHS

BHS Student Services Website

BHS Registration page 2023-24



BHS 23-24 REGISTRATION GUIDE

PHOTOS BY TATANKA YEARBOOK STAFF



BE LEADERS



BE DRIVEN



**BE ONE,
BE BISON.**



BE KIND



BE PROUD

The Minnesota Transfer Curriculum at BHS



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
Driven to DiscoverSM



North Hennepin
Community College



ANOKA-RAMSEY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE
CAMBRIDGE • COON RAPIDS



CLC
CENTRAL
LAKES COLLEGE



College Credits Earned at BHS

- 2014-15: 456 Students - 2429 Credits - \$810,985 savings
- 2019-20: 712 Students - 4038 Credits - \$1,125,759 savings **
- 2020-21: 773 Students - 4761 Credits - \$1,381,685 savings
- 2021-22: 750 Students - 4439 Credits - \$1,210,018 savings
- 2022-23: 828 Students - 4746 Credits - \$1,425,434 savings



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Breakout Sessions

- **Counselors: 7:30-8:00 p.m.**

- Mark Jones (A-F)
 - PAC
- Shanlee Maher (G-K)
 - North Lecture Hall
- Christina Cox (L-Rn)
 - F101
- Jennifer Blair (Ro-Z)
 - South Lecture Hall

- **Info Sessions: 8:00 p.m.**

- AVID Programming
 - Ms. Melissa Bertsch
 - Dance Room
- Quest Families
 - Mr. Rob Nosbush
 - F102

BUFFALO STRONG WEEK

FEBRUARY 6-10, 2023

Connecting through a Caring Community



BUFFALO STRONG

Buffalo Strong and
BHS RAVE Week

February 6-10