



Charter Schools Management/Support

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Broward County Public Schools

To find out your child's school placement opportunities, please contact the District's Demographics & Student Assignments Department Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM at (754) 321-2480.

Questions you might want to ask any school you are considering for your child:

- Is the principal certified? Is there a full time principal or is the principal shared among multiple school sites?
- Are the teachers Highly Qualified? Are the teachers ESOL endorsed? Are they able to provide ESE services to students? Is there an on site guidance counselor? What is the average experience of the teaching staff?
- What electives/specials does your school offer? Where do the students go for PE/recess, art, music or any other non-academic class?
- How many hours per day is the media center open?
- What is the school's grade? If the school is too small to receive a grade, how many points did the school get towards a grade?
- What type of transportation is available for students who don't live within walking distance?
- Do parents have to sign a volunteer contract in order for their child to attend the school? What happens if the parent can't fulfill the parent contract?
- How long has the school been open?
- What fees will you be required to pay?

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Broward County Public Schools

6th

Largest Public School System in the Nation

2nd

Largest Public School System in Florida

1st

Fully Accredited School System in Florida Since 1962

181

Different Languages Spoken by BCPS Students

236

Schools, Centers and Technical Colleges

OUR VISION: Educating today's students to succeed in tomorrow's world.

OUR MISSION: Broward County Public Schools is committed to educating all students to reach their highest potential.



Number of Schools

Elementary	136
Middle	38
High	33
Combination	7
Centers	19
Colleges	3
Total	236
Charter Schools	99
Grand Total	335

Includes elementary, middle and high virtual schools.

Source: Demographics & Student Assignments



BCPS serves over 35.8 million breakfast, lunch, supper and snack meals each year.

Source: Nutritional Education and Training

2016/17 Enrollment



Pre-K	5,731
K - 5	97,264
6 - 8	47,147
9 - 12	70,404
Centers	5,194
Charter Schools	45,365
Total	271,105

(Benchmark Day Count - 9/12/16) Includes elementary, middle and high virtual schools.

Source: Demographics & Student Assignments

Personnel

Total instructional staff	14,640
Clerical, support staff, etc.	10,362
Administrators	1,389
Total number of permanent employees (above groups combined)	26,391
Total number of Substitute/Temporary	6,508
Total employees	32,899

(As of 7/7/16) Source: Compensation and HR Information Systems

Career, Technical, Adult & Community Education



Approximately 175,000 adult students are served each year at BCPS Technical Colleges, and Adult and Community Schools.

Source: Career, Technical, Adult & Community Education



BCPS has the largest debate program in the nation with over **12,000** elementary, middle and high school students actively competing in debate.

Average Pupil Expenditure

Basic K-12	\$6,176
ESOL	\$6,490
ESE	\$10,219
Career Ed 9-12	\$5,605

(As of school year ending June 30, 2016)

Source: Accounting & Financial Reporting Department



BCPS is the 1st Florida school district to partner with code.org to offer computer science in **all BCPS high schools**.

2016/17 Student Racial/ Ethnic Distribution

White	51.3%	138,954
Black	40.4%	109,427
Asian	3.8%	10,169
Native American or Native Alaskan	0.9%	2,383
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.2%	523
Multiracial	3.6%	9,649
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Ethnically Hispanic	32.9%	89,073
Non Ethnically Hispanic	67.1%	182,032

Source: Demographics & Student Assignments

*Due to rounding, numbers may not total 100 percent.

BCPS serves a diverse student population. Students are from 208 different countries and speak 181 different languages.

Source: Bilingual/ESOL Department



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2016/17 School Grades Breakdown



Elementary and middle schools

A	29
B	42
C	69
D	26
F	5

High schools

A	7
B	7
C	15
D	1
F	1

Combination schools

A	1
B	0
C	4
D	2
F	2

Combination schools include grades K-8 or 6-12.

BCPS centers and colleges do not receive letter grades from the state.

Source: Student Assessment & Research



BCPS school buses travel more than **16 million** miles annually.

Source: Transportation Operations

2016 Public Charter School Grades

Elementary and middle schools

A	19
B	8
C	14
D	6
F	4

High schools

A	1
B	1
C	3
D	1
F	0

Combination schools

A	5
B	5
C	6
D	3
F	0

Combination schools include grades K-8 and 6-12.

Source: Student Assessment & Research

