



River Bluff High School

Palmetto's Finest An EL Education School

Established 2013
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THIS IS WHO WE ARE



Demographics

Asian 6.94%
 African American 9.53%
 Hispanic/Latino 6.89%
 Two or More Races 3.56%
 White 72.74%

25.6% eligible for free and reduced lunch
 6.7% with disabilities
 34.8% enrolled in Advancement Placement or
 Dual Enrollment program

2,166 Students

134 Teachers

90 Support Staff

7 School Counselors

6 Leadership Team

Work hard. Get smart.
 Do good.

CREW

- Creating Relationships, Exploring Within
- Encourages community members to become crew, not passengers
- Promotes shared understandings
- Relationship building among students and teachers
- Character development
- Academic progress monitoring
- Small group of students who meet daily and are active participants



EL Education
 Design Principles

- Primacy of Self-Discovery
- The Having of Wonderful Ideas
- The Responsibility for Learning
- Empathy and Caring
- Success and Failure
- Collaboration and Competition
- Diversity and Inclusion
- The Natural World
- Solitude and Reflection
- Service and Compassion



Flexible Modular
 Scheduling

- Flexible Modular Scheduling is a form of scheduling where time benefits both students and teachers. Time serves the students
- Its purpose is to create a learning environment to foster student management of time and evoke self-directed learning and independent decision making
- The learning is student centered and personal attention is provided to each student through relevant connections to their individual needs through collaborative learning commons



River Bluff High School serves students in grades 9 – 12 and offers students from around the district an educational experience in two Centers for Advanced Study: Media Arts, Design and Production and Law and Global Policy Development. River Bluff High School is accredited by Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, South Carolina Department of Education, and AdvancED, and has an Excellent rating on the SCDE School Report Card.



Features a curriculum built around case studies involving policy development at the state and national level on issues impacting social and economic conditions.



Offers three areas of emphasis: Music Technology and Recording, Television and Film Production, Digital Photography. An emphasis will be placed on the relationship between the fine arts, technology, and business.



RBHS Achievements

Dr. Luke Clamp - 2019 NASSP National Principal of the Year
River Bluff High School - 2019 Palmetto's Finest Award
2019 Palmetto Silver Award

Academics:

The Center for Law and Global Policy Development - 2020 We The People State Championship
The Tributary Yearbook - The 2019/2020 yearbook received a "Superior" rating
Sara Smith earned CSWA certification "Solidworks Associate" in her Mechanical Design class
Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA) -fifteen HOSA State Conference Winners
"Swamp Bots" - Robotics Club - advanced to the State Finals
Center for Media Arts, Design and Production - three Center Photography were selected to the Arts Field Jr. art competition, 100% Passage rate for students taking the AP Photography exam, two Photography students won honors in the Lexington County Soil & Water Conservation District's Nature Photo Contest
Academic World Quest - At the South Carolina Academic World Quest, first place and advanced to the national competition.
Science Olympiad - Second place at the state competition
Personal Finance - Wise Financial Ambassador winner, 1 of 4 students chosen in the country
Latin - the Latin 4 Honors class, translated the Latin text on M.C. Escher's emblemata for the Columbia Museum of Art's most recent exhibition on his works
DECA -State Competition - 17 - 1st place wins; 14-2nd Place wins; 8-3rd Place wins; 5 - 4th Place wins; 2- 5th Place wins
Gator Gameday Sports Network -Gator Gameday is a student-operated live sports broadcasting network covering several River Bluff High School sports throughout each season. Its impact this year during the pandemic was vital, and the future looks even brighter.

Arts:

Thirteen students selected for the South Carolina Music Educators Association All-State Chorus
Chamber Singers performed for the South Carolina Music Educators Association Conference and the South Carolina American Choral Directors Association Conference
River Bluff Dance Company and Junior Company - numerous awards in several competitions, including being named a WGI World Finalist
River Bluff "Gator Band" - twenty-one students were named to SC Band Directors Association All-Region and/or All-State Orchestra - SCMEA Fall Virtual Solo & Ensemble - seven superior ratings for student solos and ensembles, three excellent ratings for student solos and ensemble. SCMEA All-Region Orchestra - five students selected to participate

Athletics:

Men's Basketball - State Champions
Myles Jenkins: Region 5 5A All-Region Selection, Region 5 5A Region Player of the Year, 5A Pre-Season Top 5 Player, 5A All-State Selection
SCBCA North/South All-Star Game Selection, SCBCA North/South All-Star Team South MVP, WLTX Player of the Week
Malachi Reeves: Region 5 5A All-Region Selection, SCBCA North/South All-Star Game selection, WLTX Player of the Week
Archery - Savana Wolfe - State Champion
Women's Tennis - Region Champions, Lower State Runner-Up
Volleyball - Lower State Runner-Up
Wrestling - Region champs, Lower State Runner-Up
River Bluff earned status as a NATA Safe Sport School
Dr. George Wham, Certified Athletic Trainer, was selected for the Mid-Atlantic Athletic Trainers Association Hall of Fame
RBHS Bowling Team - Both coed teams, finished 3rd in their division

The RBHS School Improvement Council issues this Infographic per South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress on various goals and objectives, the SIC work, and other accomplishments during the 2020-2021 school year.



RBHS School Improvement Council (SIC) 2020-2021
Emily Welsh, Co-Chair
Nicole Yarborough, Co-Chair

Margaret Anne Gaffney, Macy McCoy, Chip Payne, Bob Grant, Talinnian Byrd, Kathy Maness, Maria Giugliano, Arnold Jiang, Denise Quickel, Jennifer Burkholder, Dawn Wetherley, Rebecca West, Carmen Cordero, Greta Long, Ashvi Patel, Caden Smith, Charlie West, Allison Nord, Mike Burgess, Julie Vandiver, Keith Brayman, Britt Poole, Carol Lynn Nute, Shirley Waldy, Horst Daichendt, Patricia Shahbahrani-Gates, Britt Poole, Barry Raines, Troy Fite, Nada Elmahdi, Nadia Ahmed, Michael Sweat, Margaret Roddey, Faith Holladay, Emilie He, Samuel Brandes, Kyler Blöse

RBHS SIC 2020-2021 Goals

- To support and encourage families and community members to be strong partners in our students' learning
- To engage in data-based conversations linked to school improvement goals that support EL Education