BERKELEY CENTER FOR THE ARTS



The Berkeley Center for the Arts continued to establish itself as one of the premier arts programs in the southeast with another stellar year on the local, regional, and national stage. The Visual Arts program dominated the Coastal Carolina Fair with a bevy of awards, including Exchange Club Winner, Judges Award Winner, and several first place ribbons. Three students from the Strings program made All County Orchestra this year, while Wind & Percussion had six students earn All-State honors and twenty-nine students earned All- Region honors. The Dance program took home hardware at several competitions this year, including the Charleston Jewish Foundation Holocaust Creative Arts Competition, where they took home 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place honors. The Drama Department participated in the International Thespian competition at Winthrop University, earning a superior rating along the way, and nabbed the lead role in Charleston Stage's production of The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night. Student productions included Little Shop of Horrors and Clue. The Creative Writing program earned its sixth National Gold Award, as part of the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards, and a trip to Carnegie Hall in New York City. Students were published in several literary journals, and will feature writers at the Piccolo Spoleto Arts Festival this spring, as well as the prestigious University of Iowa Young Writer's Studio in June. Voice students completed a record breaking year, taking home 1st prize at the Lander Choral Festival in Greenville and didn't stop there. In Atlanta, Georgia, participating in the WorldStrides Heritage Festival, the Chamber Choir received a superior rating and 1st place overall. Several students gualified for Nationals while competing at the National Association of Teacher of Singing Student Auditions at Townson University in Maryland, and another was accepted into the renowned Washington National Opera Summer Institute for a performance at the Kennedy Center in Washington, DC. A record 11 Voice students took home All-State Chorus honors.

ATHLETICS



Goose Creek Athletics had a very successful year with several varsity teams making the playoffs. Girls Basketball repeated once again as Region 7 5A Champions. They went on to win their 3rd State Championship. Coach Tim Baldwin was also named coach of the year for USA Today, the Lowcountry, Region 7 5A, and the High School Sports Report. GCH had 2 wrestling State qualifiers with Israel Schultz winning a State Championship. Several cheerleaders were privileged with being selected to cheer in the All American Half-Time Show for the Citrus Bowl in Orlando, Florida. Fifteen GCHS student athletes signed with colleges to continue their playing careers at the next level. Goose Creek student athletes excelled not only on the field, but in the classroom as well with several athletes earning academic scholarships. Our Athletic Director, Mr. Chris Buchholz was recognized and named Region 7 5A Athletic Director of the Year.

REPORT TO PARENTS GOOSE CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

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GCHS School Improvement Council



GATOR PRIDE

*Goose Creek High School's DECA Club competed and placed in the top 10 in 11 events at the State Competition.

*The Beta Club won 22 awards at the State Convention, including a 1st place finish in the group talent competition. They also earned a Gold Key Award for increasing participation by 10 percent.





*BCA Dance Students swept the competition with their original dances at several local dance competitions.

*BCA Creative Writing students were published in several publications and received numerous awards including the Scholastic Art and Writing National Gold Key Award.

*Black History Quiz Bowl Team won 1st Place in the State Championship.

*Service Learning students continued their laundry service to increase student attendance.

SCHOOL REPORT CARD CAREER PATHWAYS





College and Career Readiness o

Diploma earners who are college OR career ready School-level results used for accountability rating. 64.30% (263 / 409)

School Four-Year Cohort Graduation Rate

| | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| School | 82.70 | 79.30 | 75.00 | 76.40 |
| District | 83.80 | 81.70 | 83.50 | 83.80 |
| State | 80.30 | 82.60 | 84.60 | 81.00 |



| Academy Cluster of Study Major Location | Location | |
|--|------------------------------|--|
| Arts, Audio-Visual Technology, Advanced Placement ALL | | |
| Band ALL | ALL | |
| Choral Music BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS | BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS, PSH SHS | |
| Creative Writing BHS, GCH, HHS, THS | | |
| Dance GCH | | |
| Academy of Arts Drama and Dramatics/ Theater Arts BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS THS | | |
| and Dual Credit BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS | , THS | |
| Humanities English ALL | | |
| Graphic Communications GCH, HHS | | |
| International Baccalaureate BHS | | |
| Journalism and Mass Communication BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS | , SHS, THS | |
| Media Technology GCH, HHS, SHS, | | |
| Stringed Instruments Music BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS Visual Arts ALL | , PSH, SHS | |
| Visual Arts ALL Voice GCH | | |
| Voice GCH Wind and Percussion Studies GCH | | |
| Wind and Percussion Studies OCH World (Foreign) Language ALL | | |
| | | |
| Education and Training Teaching and Training ALL | | |
| Business Management and Business Information Management ALL | | |
| General Management BHS, CBH, CHS, HHS, | | |
| Finance Accounting BHS, CHS, CBH, GCH | THS | |
| Academy of Banking Services CBH GCH | | |
| Business Business Finance BHS, CHS | | |
| and Hospitality and Tourism Culinary Arts SHS | | |
| Hospitality and Management Operations GCH, HHS, PSH | | |
| Information Technology Programming and Software Development GCH, SHS | | |
| Systems Web and Digital Communications CBH, SHS, THS | | |
| Networking Systems PSH Marketing Marketing Communications CBH | | |
| Marketing Marketing Communications CBH Marketing Management CBH, GCH | | |
| Education and Training Early Childhood Education GCH, THS | | |
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| Academy Administration | BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS, SHS, THS | |
| of Health Science Biomedical Sciences (Project Lead the Way) CBH, SHS | | |
| Health Sciences, Emergency Medical Services CBH | | |
| Human and Public Health Informatics PSH | | |
| Services Health Science BHS, CHS, CBH, GCH THS | HHS, SHS, | |
| Medical Science and Research HHS, SHS, THS | | |
| Sports Medicine BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS | , PSH, SHS | |
| Human Services ALL | | |
| Early Childhood Education GCH, THS | | |
| Family and Consumer Sciences HHS | | |
| Law, Public Safety, Corrections Emergency and Fire Management Services GCH Law Enforcement Services CHS, CBH | | |
| and Security Law Enforcement Services CHS, CBH Law and Legal Services BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS | elle | |
| Law and Legal Services BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS Military Science ALL | , ana | |
| Agriculture, Food, and Natural Environmental & Natural Resource | | |
| Resources Management CBH, CHS, THS | | |
| Academy Architecture and Construction Building Construction Cluster BHS, CHS, THS | | |
| Manufacturing Mechatronics Integrated Technologies GCH, PSH | | |
| Welding Technology BHS, CBH, GCH | | |
| Engineering Science, Technology, Clean Energy GCH | | |
| Manufacturing, Math | | |
| and Industrial Engineering and Math Technologies Pre-Engineering (Project Lead the Way) BHS, CBH, GCH, HHS THS | , PSH, SHS, | |
| Science ALL | | |
| Transportation, Distribution Automotive Technology BHS, HHS, SHS, THS | | |

Goose Creek High School is helping all students develop the world class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the South Carolina Graduate through student-centered career academies supported by our professional learning community. The mission of GCHS Career Academies is to employ integrated learning communities to amplify the strengths of all students, combining academic challenge, career exploration, community partnerships, and relevant experiences to empower students to enter college, the work place, or the military with confidence in their ability to succeed. GCHS Career Academies provide the foundation for rigorous academics with project-based experiences along with fostering partnerships with stakeholders that will prepare students for their life after high school.