

## ACADEMICS

- High School Graduation Rate: 79.6
- Reading Renaissance
- Renaissance Place (Math/Reading)
- PLATO
- USA Test Prep
- Departmental Parent Nights
- Kaplan SAT Prep
- Internet Access
- Riverdeep
- Year-long Remediation
- Year-long Enrichment
- Common Planning - MS Teachers
- Departmental Planning - HS
- Cross-Curricular Committees – HS
- MAP Testing
- Voyager

## INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS

- ✓ Character Education (school-wide)
- ✓ Kuder-Richardson
- ✓ Career Activities
- ✓ Job Shadowing
- ✓ Homework Center
- ✓ SAT/ACT Assistance Program
- ✓ Athletic Tutoring
- ✓ Workforce Investment Act (WIA)
- ✓ MAPPS
- ✓ 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Center – MS
- ✓ Consortium for the Arts
- ✓ Project Teen LEAD
- ✓ Claflin University Saturday Academy
- ✓ High Schools That Work/Making Middle Grades Work
- ✓ Male Mentoring Program

## SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Parrie Hook	Lakekia Lewis
Ardelia Coward	Yvonne Lewis
John Felks	Tonya Ayers
Marian Berry	Frankie Williams
Darrell Elliott	Lisa Logan
Ophelia Crum	Desirae Hook
Alexander Govan	

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- BBMHS PTSA
- School Improvement Council
- Participation Junior Leadership
- Student Shadowing
- Cooperative Education with Local Businesses
- Service Learning Projects
- La Charm Club
- Les Madames Club
- Mt. Zion Baptist Church
- New Covenant UME Church
- Community-Based Parent/Teacher Conference Day
- Beta Zeta Omega of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Adoption

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## **Bethune-Bowman Middle/High**

### **2010-2011 SACS/CASI Annual Report**



*“Excellence by  
CHOICE...  
Not by Chance”*

**Mrs. Parrie L. Hook, Principal**  
**Mrs. Lakekia Lewis, Assistant Principal**

## Principal's Message



We, the administration, faculty, and staff of Bethune-Bowman Middle/High School present our 2010-2011 Annual Report to the parents and the Mohawk community. This report summarizes the test scores

of all standardized tests, our mission statement, our school goals, the innovative programs which were implemented, and the accomplishments we made during the 2009-2010 academic school year. We welcome you to visit our school, and we encourage your involvement to help bring about changes necessary for growth and productivity.

## Mission Statement

The mission of Bethune-Bowman Middle/High School is to partner with students, parents and community to create an active learning environment that develops productive global citizens in a technological society.

## Fast Facts

Grade Levels: 6-12  
 Student Enrollment: 346  
 Number of Certified Staff: 35  
 Number of Support Staff: 21  
 Average Years of Experience: 15  
 Advanced Degrees: 51.5  
 Sacs/CASI Accredited: Yes  
 Met Adequate Yearly Progress: Yes  
 National Board Certified Teachers: 2

### ACT Results 2010

English	14.3
Math	17.1
Reading	14.6
Science	16.7
Composite	15.9

## 2009 PASS RESULTS

Grade 6	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	70.3	71.7	70.3	64	79.6
District	56.7	58.8	58.9	54.2	74.6
School	65.6	57.1	67.9	67.9	78.6
Grade 7	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	70.1	68.7	69.4	71.1	60.2
District	55.4	46.9	58.2	51.3	42.7
School	48	41.2	54.9	52.9	47.1
Grade 8	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	68.2	67.5	62.7	62.3	69.6
District	56.4	52.9	40.8	41.7	52.5
School	43.8	48.9	35.6	50	36.4

## 2010 PASS RESULTS

Grade 6	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	71.9	72.2	70.3	60.9	79.4
District	60.3	61.2	56.3	55.0	70
School	71.2	61.7	70.0	61.3	75.9
Grade 7	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	69.7	69.2	67.0	73.4	62
District	57.6	56.5	49.3	60.9	45
School	45.3	48.2	51.8	44.6	51.8
Grade 8	Writing	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies
State	71.9	63.7	63.4	67.7	68.8
District	54.9	46.3	44.4	54.2	43.8
School	56.8	44.4	28.9	47.6	62.5

SAT RESULTS			HSAP RESULTS		
	2009	2010		2009	2010
VERBAL	406	402	ELA	94.5	92.5
MATH	443	452	MATH	90.9	81.1
COMPOSITE	849	857	1ST ATTEMPT (Passing Both Parts)	89.1	79.2

## 2010-2011 GOALS

- Increase student achievement in core areas as measured by national and state standardized tests
- Incorporate rigor in all content areas
- Align curriculum and assessment with SC Curriculum Standards
- Provide on-going, embedded staff development
- Increase parental and community involvement



## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- Palmetto Gold School 2006, 2007, 2008, & 2009
- SC Dept. of Educ. And OCS D5 Recognition for Sustained Academic Improvement on the 2008-2009 School Report Card
- State Department of Education Magna Cum Laude Award for High Improvement on ACT
- Only High School Featured on ETV's Showcase of Palmetto Gold and Silver Award Recipients
- Mrs. Amy Vartenisian – BBMHS 2010-2011 Teacher of the Year
- Two (2) BBMHS students enrolled in International Baccalaureate Program (OW High)
- Three (3) BBMHS students enrolled in Academic Magnet Program (Clark Middle)
- Congressional Page 2009-2010 - Tekeisha King
- One of the Nation's Best High Schools by U.S. News and World Report: 2007-08; 2008-09; 2009-10
- High Flying School 2009-10; 2010-11
- Red Carpet School 2009-10; 2010-11