

ACADEMICS

- Professional Learning Communities
- Middle & High Parent Nights
- SAT/ACT Prep
- End of Course, SC Ready & SC PASS Tutoring/Blitz
- Year-long Intervention
- Progress Learning
- Common Planning - MS Teachers
- Departmental Planning - HS
- Cross-Curricular Committees – HS
- Common Assessments
- Yearlong Data Analysis to drive Instruction

INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS

- ✓ Annual Career Day
- ✓ Career Activities
- ✓ Work-Based Opportunities
- ✓ Field Studies/Trips
- ✓ After-school Tutorials
- ✓ SAT/ACT Assistance Program
- ✓ Athletic Tutoring
- ✓ MAPPS
- ✓ MUSC Heath/Wellness Initiatives
- ✓ Mentoring

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Lakekia J. Lewis	Lucinda Johnson
Hafessah Blakey	Crystal Lett
Corine Boyd	Lakekia Lewis
Tenia Mack (HS SGA)	Whatinia Mack
Sammie Gordan	Dr. Andrea Matthews
Leroy Harley	Mayor Patsy Rhett
Mildred M. Richardson	

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- School Improvement Council
- Beta Zeta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Annual Scholarship
- Student Shadowing
- Athletic & JROTC Service Learning Projects
- Grade Level Parent Nights
- Participation in Annual Harvest Festival
- Participation in Annual Candlelight Parade

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Bethune-Bowman Middle/High

2025-2026 Annual Report to the Parents



Vision: Bethune-Bowman Middle/High...a place where students are loved, nurtured, educated and prepared for success in this global society.

Mrs. Lakekia J. Lewis, Principal
Mr. Sammie Gordan, Assistant Principal
Mrs. Frasquita R. Davis, Assistant Principal

Principal's Message



The administration, faculty and staff of Bethune-Bowman Middle/High School present our 2025-2026 Annual Report to parents and the Mohawk community. This report summarizes our standardized test scores, mission, goals, and accomplishments for this academic school year.

Our doors are always open to our community. We welcome you to visit our school, and we encourage your involvement for the success of our school and students.

Mission Statement

The mission of Orangeburg County School District, the catalyst of innovation and excellence, is to ensure all students discover and develop their person, purpose and platform through high-quality educational experiences distinguished by:

- a culture of collaboration, equity and inclusion
- a creative learning environment with inspiring opportunities
- a commitment to nurture the academic, physical, social and emotional well-being of all.

Fast Facts

Grade Levels: 6-12
Student Enrollment: 342
Number of Certified Staff: 18
Advanced Degrees: 76%
Accredited: Yes

2025 & 2024 SC Ready Results % Passing

2025 Gr.	ELA	Math	2024 Gr.	ELA	Math
6	20.9	16.3	6	22.4	4
7	23.5	4.0	7	22.4	6
8	36.2	8.5	8	21.8	7.3

2025 & 2023 PASS Results- % Passing

2025 Gr.	Sci.	2024 Gr.	Sci.
6	16.3	6	NA

2023-2025 EOCEP RESULTS

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>
Alg. I	57.1	52.5	79.6
Bio.	37.9	34.4	28.6
Eng II	80	63.6	77.6
US His.	38.2	23.4	11.5

<u>SAT RESULTS</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
ERW	*	393	428
ER Math	*	389	397
ER Writing	*	*	825

***2023 & 2022 scores not reported due to only 4 students tested both years.**

<u>ACT Results</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
ELA	11.7	11.7	11.2
Math	13.6	14.3	14.1
Reading	13.4	15.4	13.8
Science	14.5	14.2	15.1
Composite	13.5	14.4	13.7

2025-2026 GOALS

- Increase student achievement in core areas as measured by national and state standardized tests (SC Ready and SC PASS)—Increase Student Learning/Teaching
- Increase passing rate for students taking the EOCEP test.
- Increase the percentage of students meeting the college readiness benchmarks on the ACT.
- Increase Reading Levels
- Increase Teacher/Administrator Quality
- Increase parental and community involvement

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- High School Maintained an Average Report Card Rating
- JROTC Designated Honor Unit with Distinction
- Active PTA
- Active Athletic Booster Club
- Annual Hall of Fame Honoring Alumni Athletes
- 6 out of 7 BBMHS Students Earned 1st Place in the District Master of the Mechanics Secondary Writing Contest. The 7th student earned 3rd place.
- Bethune-Bowman Varsity Boys Basketball are Region 7A Champs & Lower State Champions
- Bethune-Bowman Girls Varsity Basketball Teams made to 3rd Round Playoffs