



# **South Bend Community School Corporation**

## **2022-23 Calendar**

This calendar is subject to change during the school year.  
The official calendar is updated continuously on the SBCSC website: [www.sb.school/calendar](http://www.sb.school/calendar).



Dear Families,

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year. I'm thrilled to be in my fourth year serving you as Superintendent and want to thank you for your support of our mission: Together with our South Bend community, we will provide equitable, inclusive, and just schools so that all students achieve academic and personal success.

Each child deserves educational excellence within a safe, supportive and caring community in which they are welcomed wholeheartedly and feel a sense of belonging.

We pride ourselves on our outstanding teachers, staff, and administrators: ones who make it their life's work to support and advance our students' skills and competencies across all subject areas while engaging in social-emotional learning. Thank you for entrusting us with your child's education. I'm grateful that you've chosen South Bend Schools.

Because of your support and the spirit of our learners, we continue to grow and develop programs and offerings for learners of any ability, putting our graduates ahead of the rest. Whether your student chooses to take advantage of earning college credits or an Associate Degree in their high school years, pursuing a trade skill and securing a career before graduating, choosing a nursing pathway, immersing themselves in the arts, or completing their International Baccalaureate Diploma, we're ready to support them from day one.

Remember, we cannot do any of this without you. I look forward to seeing you and your students at the many plays, games, recitals, and events.

Thank you for all you do for our children and future; thank you for your support of South Bend Schools.

Sincerely,

  
C. Todd Cummings, Ph.D.  
Superintendent of Schools

## Board of School Trustees Meetings

Meetings are held on the first and third Mondays of the month (unless otherwise noted) at 5:30 p.m.

Meetings take place on the third floor of the Administration Building and schools throughout the district.

Meetings are broadcast on WETL 91.7 FM and are streamed on the district YouTube channel.

Call 393-6000 to confirm dates and locations.

## Board of School Trustees



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## Public Participation at Board Meetings

### Hearing of Visitors: Action Agenda Items

Visitors requesting to address the Board on action agenda items (items that will be voted on) are requested to sign the registration sheet prior to the meeting. A time limit of three minutes shall be enforced for persons wishing to speak. It is requested that names and addresses be stated at the beginning of such comments. Individuals may speak only once during this section.

### Hearing of Visitors: Other Items

Anyone wishing to address the Board on general topics is invited to do so under this item which is held at the conclusion of all other business. A time limit of three minutes shall be enforced for persons wishing to speak or make a presentation. It is requested that names and addresses be stated at the beginning of such comments. Individuals may speak only once during this section.

# AUGUST 2022

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School Board Meeting,  
5:30 p.m.

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Elementary and Middle  
Schools  
Walk-in School Registration  
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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Elementary and Middle  
Schools  
Walk-in School Registration  
1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

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Riley High School  
Back-to-School Night,  
6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

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New Teacher  
Orientation

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Back-to-School Bash  
Brown Community Learning  
Center  
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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Teachers Report to Work  
School Board Meeting,  
5:30 p.m.

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Teacher Work Day

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First Day of School for all  
Students

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# 2022-23 School Year Calendar

## Significant Dates and Holidays

- August 12: New teacher orientation
- August 15: Teachers report to work
- August 16: Teacher work day
- August 17: First day of school
- September 5: Labor Day; schools/offices closed
- October 19: Teacher Record Day; schools closed
- October 20-21: Fall Break; schools closed
- October 27: Parent & Teacher Conferences; eLearning day
- November 8: Election Day; eLearning day; teachers do not report
- November 23-25: Thanksgiving Break; schools closed
- November 24-25: Thanksgiving Break; schools/offices closed
- December 21: Last day of first semester
- December 22: Teacher Record Day; schools closed
- December 23-January 8: Winter Break; schools closed
- December 23-26: Winter Break; schools/offices closed
- December 30-January 2: Administrative offices closed
- January 9: First day of second semester
- January 16: MLK Day; schools/offices closed
- February 20: Presidents' Day; schools/offices closed
- March 17: Teacher Record Day; schools closed
- March 23: Parent & Teacher Conferences; eLearning day
- April 1-9: Spring Break; schools closed
- April 7: Good Friday; offices closed
- May 29: Memorial Day; schools/offices closed
- June 2: Last day of school for students
- June 5: Last day of school for teachers
- June 8, 9, 10: High School Graduations (**subject to change**)
- June 19: Juneteenth; schools/offices closed



**2022 Teacher of the Year**  
Kathleen Avery  
Madison STEAM Academy



**2022 Teacher of the Year Runner-up**  
Pamela Hirschler  
Swanson Traditional School

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[www.sb.school/calendar](http://www.sb.school/calendar).

Please check with your school to verify days off.

Para información en español, por favor llame al Departamento Bilingüe al 574-393-6014.

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Q1	August 17 - October 18	44 Days
Q2	October 24 - December 21	40 Days
Q3	January 9 - March 16	47 Days
Q4	March 20 - June 2	49 Days



# SEPTEMBER 2022

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THURSDAY

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Labor Day; schools and  
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School Board Meeting  
5:30 p.m.  
First day for Pre-K, SNAP, &  
Marquette Montessori Pre-K-  
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Warren, Wilson

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School Board Meeting  
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## Pre-K

Preschool is now offered in the district at the following locations: Swanson Traditional School, Muessel Elementary, Marshall Traditional, Clay International Academy, Studebaker, Lincoln Elementary, and Nuner Fine Arts Academy.

Students must turn age 4 before August 1, 2022, to qualify for Pre-K. These early childhood programs provide a safe, developmentally appropriate, nurturing environment that promotes a love of learning, positive self-image, and social, emotional, intellectual, and physical growth.



# ELEMENTARY MAGNET PROGRAMS

## Clay International Academy

52900 Lily Rd., 46637 | 574-393-4300

**International Studies Magnet for Grades K-8**

Clay International Academy is in year four of the Candidacy Phase for **International Baccalaureate (IB)** Authorization for both Primary Years Programme (PYP), grades K-5, and Middle Years Programme (MYP), grades 6-8. Teachers are currently developing and delivering curricula in accordance with the IB Standards and Practices on the journey toward authorization. The curriculum in grades K-5 focuses on the holistic development of each inquiring scholar. Students learn how to take control of their learning while teachers collaborate to deepen their comprehension and increase their confidence and self-motivation. The curriculum for grades 6-8 provides academic challenges that encourage scholars to understand and embrace the connections between subject areas and the world. Using global contexts, students develop an understanding of their common humanity and shared view of the world through developmentally appropriate explorations of identities and relationships, personal and cultural identity, scientific and technical innovation, and globalization and sustainability.

## Harrison Elementary School

3302 W. Western Ave., 46619 | 574-393-3000

**Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion Magnet for Grades K-1**

Harrison's **Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion Magnet** allows students to experience a 50:50 Spanish/English program that promotes bilingualism, biculturalism, and biliteracy. Students learn through bilingual instruction and bicultural experiences that prepare them to be constructive members of their communities, productive participants in the global economy, and engaged global citizens. This Spanish/English dual immersion program offers native Spanish speakers and native English speakers the opportunity to develop and maintain their first language while gaining communication and literacy skills in a second language. Students will continue their language immersion as they progress from grade to grade.

## Kennedy Academy

609 N. Olive St., 46628 | 574-393-3100

**STEAM-Based Curriculum for Grades K-5**

Kennedy Academy provides a stimulating educational environment where students participate in both guided and self-directed exploration across subject areas with an emphasis on **STEAM-based curriculum** that combines the following: Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics. The Academy also houses the district's newly remodeled planetarium, one of 400 in the country.

## Madison STEAM Academy

832 N. Lafayette Blvd., 46610 | 574-393-3200

**Hands-on Integrated Curriculum for Grades K-5**

Students learn through a rich, **hands-on, integrated curriculum**, extensive field trip opportunities, and a wide variety of after-school programs including Engineering is Elementary, Robotics, Project Lead the Way, Coding, and Drums Alive. Proximity to Leeper Park allows students to explore and observe nature through an expansive school garden, outdoor amphitheater, and lavender labyrinth.



# OCTOBER 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3	4	5 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	6	7	8
9	10 Columbus Day Indigenous Peoples' Day	11	12 PSAT/NMSQT Primary Testing Day	13	14	15
16	17 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	18 End of first quarter	19 Teacher Record Day- No school for students	20 Fall Break; schools closed	21 Fall Break; schools closed	22
23	24	25 PSAT/NMSQT Alternate Testing Day	26	27 Parent & Teacher Conferences/ eLearning day	28	29
30	31 Halloween					



# ELEMENTARY MAGNET PROGRAMS

## Marquette Montessori Academy

1818 Bergan St., 46628 | 574-393-2400

**Child-Centered Curriculum for Age 3-Grade 6**

The **child-centered curriculum** is designed for young learners from age three to grade six. Students develop and grow through independent learning and exploration in a diverse, intellectual community that instills peace, grace, courtesy, and respect. At Marquette, scholars develop higher-order thinking and leadership skills. By using the Indiana Academic Standards as a springboard for the implementation of the Montessori Method within its classrooms, the program is specially designed to support academic excellence and student success.

## Marshall Traditional School

1433 Byron Dr., 46614 | 574-393-3300

**Back to Basics Curriculum for Grades K-5**

Marshall Traditional School is a place where students grow intellectually, socially and emotionally. Students experience academic, social and emotional growth in a **back-to-basics environment**. Marshall places a strong emphasis on high academic standards, student responsibility, and active parental involvement. Students are supported and educated in a welcoming and nurturing environment. Marshall Traditional families are asked to volunteer at the school at least three hours a year.

## McKinley Elementary School

228 N. Greenlawn Ave., 46617 | 574-393-3300

**Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion Program for Grades K-1**

The **Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion Program** offers native Spanish speakers and native English speakers an engaging opportunity to maintain and develop their first language while acquiring native-like communication and literacy skills in a second language. Through a 50:50 Spanish/English model, teachers practice language separation to support language development goals. Teachers in the program integrate multicultural content to promote the development of global competence. Students will continue their language immersion as they progress from grade to grade.

## Nuner Fine Arts Academy

2716 Pleasant St., 46615 | 574-393-2600

**Arts-Integrated Instruction for Grades K-5**

Nuner educates the whole child through the power of the arts. The curriculum is designed to benefit language development, sharpen motor skills and broaden the mind while growing in knowledge. An education in the arts leads to strong reading proficiency, increased math abilities and higher intelligence scores. At Nuner, **arts-integrated instruction** provides the framework for critical thinking, accommodates a wide range of learning styles and fosters self-esteem. Students celebrate the expression of meaning through a variety of artistic forms.

## Swanson Traditional School

17677 Parker Dr., 46635 | 574-393-3600

**Back to Basics Curriculum for Grades K-5**

Swanson's curriculum provides students with opportunities for academic, social, and emotional growth in a highly structured, back-to-basics learning environment. The educational program places a strong emphasis on high academic standards, student responsibility, appropriate conduct and active parental involvement.

**To learn more about all of our magnet programs or to apply online, visit [sb.school/magnets](https://sb.school/magnets)**



# NOVEMBER 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6 Daylight Saving Time ends	7 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	8 Election Day; eLearning Day; teachers do not report	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	22	23 Thanksgiving Break schools closed	24 Thanksgiving Day; schools & offices closed	25 Thanksgiving Break; schools & offices closed	26
27	28 ILEARN Biology End-of- Course Assessment	29 ILEARN Biology End-of- Course Assessment	30 ILEARN Biology End-of- Course Assessment			



# MIDDLE SCHOOL MAGNET PROGRAMS

## Clay International Academy

52900 Lily Rd., 46637 | 574-393-4300

**International Baccalaureate Curriculum for Grades K-8**

Clay International Academy is in year four of the Candidacy Phase for International Baccalaureate (IB) Authorization for the Middle Years Programme (MYP), grades 6-8. Teachers are currently developing and delivering curricula in accordance with the IB Standards and Practices on the journey toward authorization. The curriculum provides academic challenges that encourage scholars to understand and embrace the connections between subject areas and the world. Using global contexts, students develop an understanding of their common humanity and shared view of the world through developmentally appropriate explorations of identities and relationships, personal and cultural identity, scientific and technical innovation, and globalization and sustainability.

## Dickinson Fine Arts Academy

4404 Elwood Ave., 46628 | 574-393-3900

**Fine Arts and STEAM Curriculum for Grades 6-8**

Dickinson offers many opportunities for students to expand their learning beyond the traditional school day curriculum. Core content classes utilize gender-based instruction, as do related arts classes, where possible. In addition to expanded Fine Arts classes and integrated STEAM activities during the school day, students have access to the After-School Arts Adventure program where classes in Fine Arts, Academic Arts, and Physical Arts meet in 4-8 week sessions.

## Jackson Middle School

5001 S. Miami Rd., 46614 | 574-393-4500

**Project Lead The Way Curriculum for Grades 6-8**

Jackson's Project Lead The Way (PLTW) Magnet engages students in hands-on activities, projects, and problems that are reflective of real-world challenges. This approach empowers students to learn essential, in-demand skills validated by the world's leading companies while also providing an invaluable connection between what the students are learning in the classroom today and how it applies to the paths they will take in the future.

## Jefferson Traditional School

528 S. Eddy St., 46617 | 574-393-4100

**Traditional Curriculum for Grades 6-8**

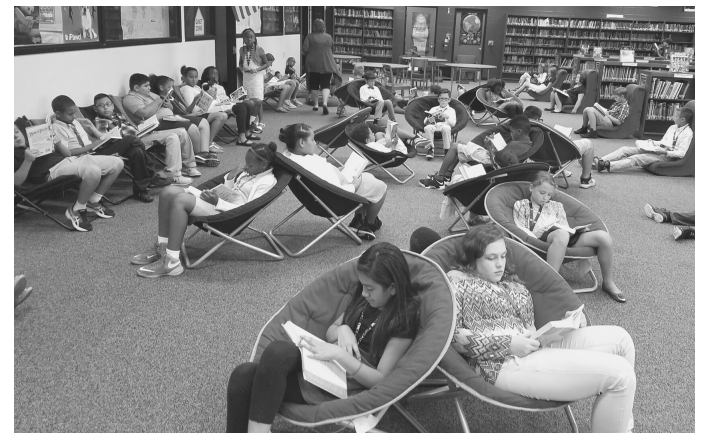
Jefferson's Traditional School program provides students the opportunity for academic, social and emotional growth in a highly structured back-to-basics learning environment. A strong emphasis is placed on high academic standards, student responsibility, and active parental involvement.

## LaSalle Academy

2701 W. Elwood Ave., 46628 | 574-393-4700

**High Ability Curriculum for Grades 6-8**

This high ability magnet sets academic challenges well beyond those required by the Indiana Academic Standards. LaSalle offers a rigorous, comprehensive academic program in all subject areas distinguished by the application of technology and infusion of math and science throughout the curriculum. Students receive hands-on instruction in the Creative Learning Studio and carry out independent research. The curriculum also offers students the opportunity to earn advanced high school credits through accelerated mathematics and Spanish courses.





# DECEMBER 2022

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End of second quarter

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Teacher Record Day;  
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Winter Break; schools &  
offices closed

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Christmas Eve

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Christmas Day

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Winter Break; schools  
& offices closed

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Winter Break; schools  
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Winter Break; schools  
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Winter Break; schools  
closed

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Winter Break; schools  
closed

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New Year's Eve



# HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS



## INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

574-393-5300

Adams High School 808 S. Twyckenham Dr. South Bend, IN 46615

The Adams High School magnet focuses on problems and issues that cut across national boundaries and emphasizes the connectedness of ecological, cultural, economic, political and technological systems. Adams is an authorized **International Baccalaureate Diploma Program** school. This is a rigorous course of study that will provide students with the intellectual, social, and critical perspectives necessary to succeed in colleges and universities, both in the United States and abroad. The IB program emphasizes critical thinking skills, intercultural understanding, and exposure to different points of view. The aim of all International Baccalaureate (IB) programs is to develop internationally minded people who, recognizing their common humanity and shared guardianship of the planet, help to create a better and more peaceful world.



## VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS AND AP CAPSTONE

574-393-4900

Clay High School 1931 Darden Rd. South Bend, IN 46637

Clay High School offers a comprehensive, quality program in the visual and performing arts that includes four visual and **performing arts** strands with specific areas of study including the following:

- music
- art
- theater
- dance
- band
- choral
- orchestra
- composition
- media arts
- graphic arts
- theater arts
- acting
- technical theater
- literary arts
- performance composition and much more.

Clay High School also offers the **AP Capstone program**. AP Capstone™ is a diploma program from the College Board. It's based on two year long AP courses: AP Seminar and AP Research. Rather than teaching subject-specific content, these courses develop students' skills in research, analysis, evidence-based arguments, collaboration, writing and presenting. The AP Capstone magnet program builds the skills of critical inquiry essential for success in college and in life. Students integrate, synthesize, and make cross-curricular connections, plan and conduct a study or investigation, and propose solutions to real-world problems. Students may earn either the AP Capstone Diploma™ or the AP Seminar and Research Certificate™.



# JANUARY 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 New Year's Day	2 Winter Break; schools & offices closed	3 Winter Break; schools closed	4 Winter Break; schools closed	5 Winter Break; schools closed	6 Winter Break; schools closed	7
8	9 First day of second semester  WIDA Access Testing	10 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.  WIDA Access Testing	11  WIDA Access Testing	12  WIDA Access Testing	13  WIDA Access Testing	14
15	16 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day; schools & offices closed	17  WIDA Access Testing	18  WIDA Access Testing	19  WIDA Access Testing	20  WIDA Access Testing	21
22	23 School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.  WIDA Access Testing	24  WIDA Access Testing	25  WIDA Access Testing	26  WIDA Access Testing	27  WIDA Access Testing	28
29	30  WIDA Access Testing	31  WIDA Access Testing				





## COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

574-393-5100

Riley High School 1902 S. Fellows St. South Bend, IN 46613

Riley students choose either the **computer science** or the **engineering pathway**. They are challenged by focused, hands-on, standards-driven courses that prepare them for future endeavors that require high-tech skills and knowledge. Students in grades 9 - 11 from all districts may enroll. If you are interested in learning more, schedule a visit by calling 574-393-5100.

The Riley magnet is nationally certified as an **Innovation High School** through **Project Lead the Way (PLTW)**. The PLTW certification enables students to earn up to 13 college credits and multiple scholarship opportunities only awarded to PLTW graduates. Riley students create, design, build, discover, collaborate with peers and engineers, and solve problems while applying what they learn in math and science.



## ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

574-393-3500

Rise Up Academy 740 N. Eddy St. South Bend, IN 46617

At Rise Up Academy, students can explore **alternative pathways** toward a high school diploma. The curriculum, open to over-aged or under-credited students, engages them through **project-based instruction**. Through increased access to desirable social roles, community and parental participation, and mentorship, students learn within a flexible academic and vocationally-oriented curriculum.

Rise Up offers students the academic and employability skills needed for higher education and the workforce. Instruction within small classes gives students the responsibility to harness their own learning style and allows them to reach their goals.

Through CTE courses, community outreach, and other curricula, Rise Up students are college and workforce ready when they receive their diplomas.



## MEDICAL AND ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

574-393-5500

Washington High School. 4747 W. Washington St. South Bend, IN 46619

Washington's dual-credit program prepares students for post-secondary education and professional licensure and/or certification for careers in specific **medical and health related fields**. Students in 8th and 9th grades from all districts may apply. The **Health Sciences Magnet** offers students the opportunity to participate in one of the most dynamic growth industries in the United States. Students receive broad-based preparation for careers in healthcare and scientific research through one of two program pathways as they pursue either a Core 40, Academic, or Technical Honors Diploma: Early College Program Partnered with Ivy Tech Community College, this is hands-on training and a rigorous course of study. This dual credit rich program leads to a health care specialist technical certificate. Students completing the program will sit for the NCHSE (National Health Science Assessment) exam and industry certification exams in EKG, patient care, or pharmacy technician.

With the **Project Lead the Way Biomedical Science Program**, students investigate the roles of biomedical professionals as they study the concepts of human medicine, physiology, genetics, microbiology, and public health. Students earn dual credit through the Project Lead The Way sequence and course study in anatomy and physiology while completing this nationally recognized program.



# FEBRUARY 2023

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## PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION

### Pre-K

**Preschool** is now offered in the district! Students must turn age 4 **before August 1, 2022**, to qualify for Pre-K. These early childhood programs provide a safe, developmentally appropriate, nurturing environment that promotes a love of learning, positive self-image, and social, emotional, intellectual, and physical growth.

Enrollment includes a physical examination and required immunizations including:

- 3 Hepatitis B
- 4DTaP
- 3 Polio
- 1 Varicella (Chickenpox),
- 1 Measles, Mumps, and Rubella
- 2 Hepatitis A

A vision assessment/exam is required, along with a student emergency contact form and a dental exam. A work survey must also be completed by each family.

### Kindergarten

In order to be eligible for **kindergarten** in the state of Indiana, your child must be five (5) years of age on or before August 1st. Children born between August 2nd and September 1st can apply for an eligibility waiver.

*Waiver guidelines may be obtained by contacting the Office of Curriculum and Instruction at 393-6039.*

**Birth Record:** The following records are required for enrollment:

- Birth certificate, baptismal certificate, or other official proof of birth
- Two proofs of residency (regular state ID, driver's license, rental lease, mortgage receipt, etc.)

**School Forms:** The following forms are required for enrollment:

- Registration form
- Health history
- Physical examination
- Dental examination
- Vision examination
- Emergency card
- Home Language Survey
- Migrant Work Survey

By law, your child needs the following immunizations:

- Polio
- Diphtheria
- Pertussis
- Tetanus (DPT)
- Mumps
- Measles
- Rubella
- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Varicella (a parental written report of a child's history of chickenpox is acceptable).

**Safety:** For his/her own protection, your child should know:

• His/her full name • Address • Telephone number • The names of family members • If your child walks to school, please be sure you have taught him/her the correct route between home and school, using sidewalks and crossing streets at corners. Your child should use this route every day. In the city, crossing guards are at some street corners.

**Transportation:** Kindergarten children will be assigned to attend an elementary school (grades K-5) based on their home address. Transportation will be provided both to and from school for those kindergarten children who live outside the walkable area for their elementary school or for students who attend an elementary school because of a transfer option.

## BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

**Bright Beginnings** and **Kaleidoscope** are self-supported programs funded by parental fees, which are charged biweekly. SBCSC provides an in-kind contribution through the provision of school facilities.

### Bright Beginnings

Time: 7:00 AM-9:00 AM

Days: Monday-Friday

Location: Clay International Academy

### Kaleidoscope

Time: 2:30 PM-6:00 PM

Days: Monday-Friday

Locations: Swanson, Marshall, and Kennedy.

Pick-up: Parents/guardians **MUST** pick up students by 6:00 PM.

### Reasons to choose Bright Beginnings and Kaleidoscope

- All children are cared for in a safe and nurturing environment that includes activities such as STEM, reading time, creative thinking, and physical movement, including yoga and more.
- Staff is trained and certified in several areas of health and safety. Ongoing training is required for all staff.
- All children are treated with respect.
- Social and academic growth and development are encouraged and supported.
- Intentional interactions with staff, students and parents create and foster a growth mindset environment.

Our goal is to create a stable environment that is inviting, comfortable, orderly, and manageable by the children. This includes active play, dramatic play, science, crafts, construction and other developmentally appropriate activities.

Bright Beginnings and Kaleidoscope are in session if/when school is in session. They are not available on 2-hour delay days or school holidays.

More information is available by contacting Jennifer Joyce, the Director of Before and After School Programs at [jjoyce@sb.school](mailto:jjoyce@sb.school) or 574-393-6054. Additional after-school programs hosted by the Boys and Girls Club of St. Joseph County are available at additional South Bend Schools. The Boys and Girls Club may be reached at 574-232-2048. As of this printing, the host schools for the Boys and Girls Club include Monroe, Nuner, Darden, Lincoln, Mussel and Marquette.

## SPECIAL EDUCATION

The South Bend Community School Corporation offers a continuum of services appropriate to meet the individual needs of each student. We believe that all students can learn and the path to excellence is different for each student. This is particularly true of the students with disabilities. Special education programming provides the support these students need to access their free and appropriate public education, and reach their full potential. Students with disabilities receive services through the Special Education Department in accordance with state and federal mandates. Students who qualify will have an Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) developed which determines educational services in the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE). Services are offered for preschool through 12th grade and, in some cases, to age 22. Find out more at [www.sped.sb.school](http://www.sped.sb.school) or call 574-393-6119.



# MARCH 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 SAT Testing	2 SAT Testing	3 SAT Testing	4
5	6 IREAD Grade 3  School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	7 IREAD Grade 3	8 IREAD Grade 3	9 IREAD Grade 3	10 IREAD Grade 3	11
12  Daylight Saving Time Begins	13 IREAD Grade 3	14 IREAD Grade 3	15 IREAD Grade 3	16 IREAD Grade 3  End of third quarter	17 IREAD Grade 3  Teacher Record Day; schools closed	18
19	20  School Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	21	22	23 Parent & Teacher Conferences/ eLearning day	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



# CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

*Hundreds of students in South Bend schools have discovered that traditional college is not the only pathway to career success.*

With SBCSC's **Career and Technical Education Program**, selection and registration begin sophomore year when students plan their junior year schedules with guidance counselors. Beginning junior year, CTE students attend class for half the day at their home high school, then are bussed to another location for the other half of the day. Training and instruction take place at one of the area high schools, Ivy Tech Community College, or another specialized location. Transportation is provided by SBCSC so students can make the most of these career training opportunities. SBCSC has partnered with local colleges and universities, businesses, and community organizations to ensure that the programs offered meet the academic and technical skills required for students to be successful and ready for the workforce upon graduating. If students decide that college is the direction they wish to pursue, any dual credits earned while in high school will put them a step ahead, both financially and academically.

CTE students have the option of earning dual credits, which means they will have both high school and college credits upon graduating. This gives them a head start on a college degree. Students can also earn industry certifications in specific fields, which position them to enter a given profession with a proven record of achievement. All SBCSC high school students are eligible to participate in all CTE programs offered at the four district high schools, regardless of their "home" high school.

For more information contact [cte@sb.school](mailto:cte@sb.school) or call 574-393-6167.

## CTE FIELDS

- Architectural Drafting and Design
- Audio and Video Production
- Automotive Technology
- Aviation Flight and Operations
- Construction Technology
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice
- Culinary Arts
- Dental Careers
- Early Childhood Education
- Emergency Medical Services
- Entrepreneurship
- Fire and Rescue
- Graphic Design
- Health Science Education
- Human and Social Services
- Logistics & Supply Chain Management
- PC and Network Support
- Precision Machine Technology
- Sports and Entertainment
- Marketing
- Welding Technology

## IVY ACADEMY: FREE COLLEGE CREDITS OR ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN HIGH SCHOOL

With the **IVY Academy** program, high school students finish ready to enter the workforce or earn their bachelor's degree a step ahead. Students can transfer their Ivy Tech degree to a four-year university with only two years of study remaining. Alternatively, students can earn a technical certificate in general education (Indiana College Core), which is equal to the first year of college.

**If these things are important to you, consider Ivy Academy:**

- Small class sizes
- Individual mentoring
- Exclusive events and activities
- Taking advantage of the college credit you have already earned
- Transferability to a four-year college



## ADULT EDUCATION



**The Adult Education (AED)** mission is to strengthen our community by inspiring lifelong learning and career advancement. Adult Education empowers adults to further their education and meet their career goals. Classes and trainings are offered at a variety of convenient times and locations.

AED services are available to St. Joseph County residents, ages 16 and up. All classes are free and open to both high school graduates and non-graduates in the following areas:

- High School Equivalency (HSE) preparation
  - classes and testing at our center
  - Testing offered year-round
- English Language Learner (ELL) classes that provide opportunities for interested individuals who wish to improve their English skills in reading, writing, speaking and listening, while learning about American culture.
- Refresher classes for placement exams, such as Accuplacer or ASVAB.
- Trainings and certifications in a variety of virtual and in-person settings for regional, in-demand industries, such as:
  - Certified Medical Administrative Assistant (CMAA)
  - Quickbooks
  - CNC Machining
  - Logistics and Welding

HSE & ELL classes are held in combination with a HighScope early childhood program. In addition to taking classes, adult students interact with their children through Parent and Child Together (PACT) learning activities. Children from 6 months to kindergarten are welcome with their parent(s).

AD ED also has a full-time career coach who works with each student for career pathway support.

Contact SBCSC AD ED:  
3206 Sugar Maple Court, South Bend, IN 46628  
574-393-5801  
[aduled@sb.school](mailto:aduled@sb.school)

# APRIL 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3 Spring Break; schools closed  I AM Testing	4 Spring Break; schools closed  I AM Testing	5 Spring Break; schools closed  I AM Testing	6 Spring Break; schools closed  I AM Testing	7 Spring Break; schools closed Good Friday; offices closed I AM Testing	8
9 Easter Sunday	10   I AM Testing	11   I AM Testing	12  SAT Testing Make-up  I AM Testing	13  SAT Testing Make-up  I AM Testing	14  SAT Testing Make-up  I AM Testing	15
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## SOUTH BEND EDUCATION FOUNDATION

**The South Bend Education Foundation** raises funds to bridge the gap between public and private funding for South Bend Schools. Our major programs include:

- Naming/Sponsorship opportunities for academic and enrichment programs.
- Establishment of a Teacher Development Endowment to support continuing education.
- Funding the Mentoring Program.
- Recruiting companies to join our Business Partner Program so they may invest their time, treasure and talent.
- Annually awarding over \$30,000 in grants to teachers, principals and staff members.
- Assisting with sponsorships/donations to help underwrite high school graduation.

### **How can you support South Bend Schools?**

- Visit our website and donate today to the program of your choice.
- Mail your donation to: P.O. Box 119 South Bend, IN 46624.
- Contact our office about joining our Business Partner Program.
- Purchase "Major Saver Cards" in the spring from your school or online.
- Visit [edfo.org](http://edfo.org) and sign up to be a mentor or volunteer.
- Call 574-393-6113 or [edfo@sbcsd.k12.in.us](mailto:edfo@sbcsd.k12.in.us) for details

## SOUTH BEND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

### **The South Bend Alumni Association**

The Alumni Association believes in the value of a strong public education system. We support the opportunity for all children to achieve their full potential in school and believe that strong co-curricular and extra-curricular activities can be a formative part of their education. These supplemental activities are vital to keeping students connected to school, helping them to develop leadership and teamwork skills, building positive peer groups, and improving time management and study habits.

Our mission is to fund co-curricular and extracurricular activities in the South Bend Schools, focusing on those activities which are not tax funded and to instill awareness of student service in the community. We also reward scholarships and recognize individuals who have distinguished themselves in their personal and/or professional lives.

### **The South Bend Alumni Association has three major initiatives:**

We provide Co-Ex grants to support co/extra-curricular activities at South Bend schools. Each group engages in community service, which encourages civic-minded individuals to use their talents in our community. We award scholarships for college-bound graduates of South Bend high schools.

We host the South Bend Community Hall of Fame dinner to honor extraordinary individuals who have brought distinction to themselves and/or our city and are giving back to the community.

We also enable South Bend School Alumni to stay connected by assisting with class reunions and alumni community events.

Our offices are located at 215 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., South Bend, IN 46601.

If you would like to get involved, donate, or learn more about SBAA, please visit [southbendalumni.com](http://southbendalumni.com) or contact Kris Arizmendi Choinacky, Executive Director, at [kchoinacky@sb.school](mailto:kchoinacky@sb.school).

## BILINGUAL SERVICES AND MIGRANT EDUCATION

**The Bilingual Services and Migrant Education Department** supports the Corporation's mission in assuring equal educational access for English Learners (ELs), immigrant, refugee, migrant, and bilingual students and their families.

We recognize that all stakeholders (students, parents, educators, community members, etc.) share the responsibility of ensuring that our students develop linguistic, cognitive, and academic skills to become competitive citizens of a global society.

We strive to ensure that all students are provided with the opportunity to participate in academically challenging programs that respect and build upon the unique cultural and linguistic attributes they bring to the learning community.

To these ends, the Bilingual Services Department provides the following services for students:

### **English Language Development Program:**

English Learners (ELs) receive intensive English language development instruction by certified teachers trained to meet the unique needs of EL students. The program uses instructional methods based on educational theory and pedagogy to assist students in obtaining English language proficiency while meeting rigorous, grade-level academic standards.

### **Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion Magnets:**

The Spanish/English Maritza Robles Dual Language Immersion magnet is at McKinley Elementary and Harrison Elementary. Both programs are a 50:50 model whereby 50% of classroom instruction is taught in English and 50% in the target language. The three goals of the DLI magnet are academic excellence, bilingualism/biliteracy, and sociocultural competency.

### **Migrant Regional Service Center Region 1/Migrant Education Program:**

This program promotes and provides quality academic and support services to migrant students within Region 1. We partner with multiple stakeholders to ensure that migrant students have access to quality opportunities to ensure academic success. Services offered include summer school programs, tutors, online reading programs, college/career exploration, and other support services.

WIDA ACCESS 2.0: Begins January 9, 2023 and ends February 24, 2023.

Contact Bilingual Services at 574-393-6014.

Questions? Email [bilingualservices@sb.school](mailto:bilingualservices@sb.school).

# MAY 2023

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

1 School Board Meeting  
5:30 p.m.

ILEARN Grades 3-8  
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ILEARN Biology ECA  
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Cinco de Mayo  
ILEARN Grades 3-8  
ILEARN Biology ECA  
I AM Testing

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ILEARN Grades 3-8  
ILEARN Biology ECA  
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Mother's Day

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School Board Meeting  
5:30 p.m.  
  
ILEARN Biology ECA

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ILEARN Biology ECA

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ILEARN Biology ECA

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IREAD Grade 3

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Last day for Pre-K and  
SNAP  
IREAD Grade 3

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Memorial Day; schools  
and offices closed  
  
IREAD Grade 3

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IREAD Grade 3

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IREAD Grade 3



# SCHOOL DIRECTORY AND SUPPORT FACILITIES

## HIGH SCHOOLS

(Grades 9-12, 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.)

Adams High School  
James Seitz, Principal  
808 S. Twykenham Dr. 46615  
(o) 393.5300 (f) 283.7704

Clay High School  
Kemilyn Schrieber, Principal  
19131 Darden Rd. 46637  
(o) 393.4900 (f) 243.7000

Riley High School  
Shawn Henderson, Principal  
1902 S. Fellows St. 46613  
(o) 393.5100 (f) 283.8405

Rise Up Academy  
Francois Bayingana, Principal  
740 N. Eddy St. 46617  
(o) 393.3500 (f) 283.8783

Washington High School  
Kenard Robinson, Principal  
4747 W. Washington St. 46619  
(o) 393.5500 (f) 283.7205

## MIDDLE SCHOOLS

(Grades 6-8, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.)

Dickinson Fine Arts Academy  
Thomas Sims, Principal  
4404 Elwood Ave. 46628  
(o) 393.3900 (f) 283.7633

Edison Middle School  
Kelley Malec, Principal  
2701 Eisenhower Dr. 46615  
(o) 393.4400 (f) 283.8903

Jackson Middle School  
Niesha Phillips, Principal  
5001 S. Miami Rd. 46614  
(o) 393.4500 (f) 231.5605

Jefferson Traditional School  
Chiquita Adams, Principal  
528 S. Eddy St. 46617  
(o) 393.4100 (f) 283.8373

LaSalle Academy  
Jeff Hemmerlein, Principal  
2701 W. Elwood Ave. 46628  
(o) 393.4700 (f) 283.7513

## K-8 MAGNET SCHOOL

(Grades K-8, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.)

Clay International Academy  
Dr. Nicole Garcia, Principal  
52900 Lily Rd. 46637  
(o) 393.4300 (f) 393.4369

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

(Grades K-5, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.)

Darden Elementary School  
Patricia Karban, Principal  
18645 Janet St. 46637  
(o)393.2900 (f) 243.7338

Kennedy Academy  
William Waskom, Principal  
609. N. Olive St. 46628  
(o) 393.3100 (f) 283.7441

Lincoln Elementary School  
Tracy Strieder, Principal  
1425 E. Calvert St.46613  
(o) 393.2300 (f) 283.8963

Madison STEAM Academy  
Amanda Chionacky, Principal  
832 N. Lafayette Blvd. 46601  
(o) 393.3200 (f) 283.8328

Marquette Montessori Academy  
Matthew Emery, Principal  
1818 Bergan St. 46628  
(o) 393.2400 (f) 231.8373

Marshall Traditional School  
Kathy Sanders, Principal  
1433 Byron Dr. 46614  
(o) 393.4200 (f) 393.4290

McKinley Elementary School  
Jesus Pedraza, Principal  
228 N. Greenlawn Ave. 46617  
(o) 393.3300 (f) 283.8573

Monroe Elementary School  
Brian Harris, Principal  
312 E. Donmoyer Ave. 46614  
(o) 393.2500 (f) 231.5834

Muessel Elementary School  
Hughes Valmond, Principal  
1021 Blaine Ave. 46616  
(o) 393.3400 (f) 283.7803

Nuner Fine Arts Academy  
Sybil Snyder, Principal  
2716 Pleasant St. 46615  
(o) 393.2600 (f) 283.7853

Swanson Traditional School  
Amy Troyer, Principal  
17677 Parker Dr. 46635  
(o) 393.2700 (f) 393.2798

South Bend Virtual School  
Mansour Eid, Principal  
740 North Eddy St.  
South Bend, IN 46617  
(o) 393-3540

## SOUTH BEND EMPOWERMENT ZONE SCHOOLS

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

(Grades K-5, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.)

Coquillard Elementary School  
Laura Krieger, Principal  
1245 N. Sheridan Ave. 46628  
(o) 393.2000 (f) 283.8613

Harrison Elementary School  
Karla Lee, Principal  
3302 W Western Ave. 46619  
(O) 393.3000 (f) 283.7303

Warren Elementary School  
Dr. Libby Wilson, Principal  
55400 Quince Rd 46619  
(o) 393-2800 (f) 283.7953

Wilson Elementary School  
Samantha Smith, Principal  
56660 Oak Rd 46619  
(o) 393.3700 (f) 283.7407

### MIDDLE SCHOOL

(Grades 6-8, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.)

Navarre Middle School  
Melanie Hackett, Principal  
4702 W. Ford St. 46619  
(o) 393.4600 (f) 283.7351

### OTHER

Activate Health Clinic  
611 Lincoln Way East #1, 46601  
(o) 855.1090 (f) 855.4660

Bendix Building  
Adult Education  
Jennie Gorski, Supervisor  
3206 Sugar Maple Ct. 46628  
(o) 393.5801 (f) 283.7549

Costume Shop at LaSalle Academy  
2701 W. Elwood Ave, 46628  
(o) 393.4784 (f) 283.8396

Lafayette Building  
Head Start  
Kathy Guajardo, Director  
245 N. Lombardy Dr. 46619  
(o) 393.5864 (f)283.8108

SAMP (School Aged Mothers Program)  
Karen Patterson, Supervisor  
245 N. Lombardy Dr. 46619  
(o) 393.5850

## OTHER con't

Media and Tech Services  
At Edison Middle School (Door 5)  
2701 Eisenhower Dr. 46615  
Media Services, Al Wujcik, Jeff Kroger  
(o) 393.5975 (f) 283.8236  
Technology Services, Adam Bauer, Director  
(o)393.5970 (f)939.5998

Nursing Services  
Sue Cullen  
School Nurse Manager  
Beacon Health Ventures, Professional Services  
3355 Douglas Rd., Suite 100  
South Bend, IN 46635  
(o) 647.8661  
(f) 647.8762

Service Building  
Steve Miskin, Director  
420 S. Eddy St. 46617  
(o) 393.5900 (f) 283.8810

Textbook Warehouse  
420 S. Eddy St. 46617  
Adam Cannon, Textbook Supervisor  
(o) 393.5905 (f) 283.8804

Studebaker  
724 E. Dubail 46613  
Amanda Jackson, Principal  
(o) 393.6250 (f) 283.7603  
APPROVE 393.6279  
SNAP (Special Needs & Abilities, Preschool)  
(o) 393.6250  
YAS (Young Adult Services)  
(o) 393.6250

Transportation VMF  
3003 N. Bendix Dr. 46628  
(o) 393.7000 (f) 284.1416



# JUNE 2023

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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Start of LGBTQ+ Pride  
Month

IREAD Grade 3

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Last day of school for  
students

IREAD Grade 3

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Last day of school for  
teachers

IREAD Grade 3

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High School Graduations  
\*This date is tentative

IREAD Grade 3

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High School Graduations  
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High School Graduations  
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IREAD Grade 3

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Father's Day

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Juneteenth; schools &  
offices closed

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School Board Meeting  
5:30 p.m.

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## STATE MANDATED TESTING

Indiana students are required to participate in certain state testing programs.

### English Language Proficiency Assessments

The W-APT, WIDA Placement Test, is administered to all students for whom a language other than English is identified during the Home Language Survey process. The W-APT functions as a screener that is used for both initial assessment and English Language (EL) program placement of students who are identified as Limited English Proficient (LEP). This is administered upon enrollment. The WIDA ACCESS Annual Assessment is administered annually until the student attains a fluent score. The test window is January 9 – February 24, 2023.

### IREAD-3 (grade 3) March 6-17, 2023

Based on the Indiana Academic Standards, the Indiana Reading Evaluation and Determination (IREAD-3) Assessment is a summative assessment that measures foundational reading standards through grade 3. By rule of the Indiana State Board of Education, promotion decisions must consider a student's ability to pass the IREAD-3 assessment. The assessment window is March 6-17, 2023.

### ILEARN (grades 3-8, 10) April 17-May 12, 2023

ILEARN measures student achievement and growth in the subject areas of English/Language Arts, Mathematics, Science (Grades 4, 6 and HS\*), and Social Studies (Grade 5). ILEARN reports student achievement levels according to the Indiana Academic Standards that were adopted by the Indiana State Board of Education.

\* The high school science test is administered during students' Biology Course. The assessment window is April 17-May 12, 2023.



Scan the QR Code to view the dates for the SBCSC 2022-2023 Indiana assessment windows.

For updates and information about the mandated state testing programs, visit [www.doe.in.gov/assessment](http://www.doe.in.gov/assessment).

## SCHOOL MEALS AND TEXTBOOK INFORMATION

**The National School Lunch Program** is a federally funded program that assists schools and other agencies in providing nutritious meals to children at reasonable prices. The National School Lunch Program provides meals that contain one-third of the recommended dietary allowance of necessary nutrients.

**The Food and Nutrition Services Department** carefully plans all meals in accordance with the USDA standards for calories, saturated fat, vitamins and minerals.

### Allergies/Dietary Restrictions:

Students with food allergies or dietary restrictions will need a medical statement from a licensed physician before any changes are made to accommodate their dietary concerns.

### Direct Certification:

Households that are directly certified will receive notification in early August and DO NOT have to complete a curricular material application. However, if you were not notified, it is recommended that an application be completed. Please know that in order to maintain this benefit and secure it for the future, it is important that families fill out these forms.

### Breakfast Meals:

ALL schools receive breakfast meals at no charge.

### Lunch Meals:

All schools receive lunch meals at no charge as part of the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP).

### Meal/Textbook Applications:

All households are encouraged to complete the meal/textbook application in order to determine eligibility for free textbook assistance. The only exception would be those households that received a meal/textbook notification. Please go to the following website to complete the meal/textbook application: [family.titank12.com](http://family.titank12.com). Only complete one application per household.

The information provided on the meal/textbook application and other benefits applications may also be used for other state and federally funded school benefits.

For any assistance, contact the Food and Nutrition Services Department at 574- 393-6059.

### Payments:

Prepayments of meals are encouraged and can be made by cash/check at the student's school or online at: [family.titank12.com](http://family.titank12.com).

The Food and Nutrition Services Department is here to assist families in tough times, including those facing decreased income, layoffs, or changes in living circumstances. We are proud of our food safety record and the work our staff does to ensure compliance with federal, state, and local food safety and sanitation regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact the Food and Nutrition Services Department at 574-393-6060.



Scan the QR Code to go to the meal/textbook application site.

# JULY 2023

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School Board Meeting  
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IREAD Grade 3

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Independence Day

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# STUDENT SERVICES



**We treasure the cultural diversity in our community and believe it is our social and moral obligation to ensure that every child achieves success and well-being.**

Therefore the **Student Services Department** is focused on equity, diversity, and social-emotional development.

Through Student Services, parents can attend Family Literacy Nights, learn about and register for our MARVELous Summer Camps, enroll in 21st Century Scholars, and become further engaged in our district and community.

**Brown Community Learning Center (BCLC)**, located at 737 Beale Street, is a full-service, district-wide community center. The Center serves as a hub of educational, recreational, cultural, health, and civic partnerships, which optimize the conditions for learning for children and the community. Formerly Brown Intermediate School, Brown Community Learning Center serves as the home of the Family and Community Engagement (FaCE) program. Through the FaCE program, we offer various courses designed to increase families' opportunities to improve their health, professional skills, and economic well-being.



**Family and Community Engagement (FaCE)** is a revised initiative led by the South Bend Community School Corporation. FaCE provides necessary information to parents in a way that is engaging, relevant to our parents' needs, and centered around student empowerment. FaCE provides our parents with free school and community-based workshops designed to engage and empower parents, students, and the entire district family.

**The 21st Century Scholar Program** is a tuition assistance program for the state of Indiana. Eligible families with 7th or 8th-grade students can apply online or with their school counselors. The program offers high school assistance in the form of the Scholar Success Program. Upon completion of the program and maintaining satisfactory high school credentials, students can receive up to four years of tuition and other mandatory fees paid for at participating Indiana colleges or universities.

The deadline to apply is June 30th of the student's 8th-grade year. Families are encouraged to attend our district-wide, 21st Century Scholar Nights to learn more about the program, participate in various educational activities such as college and career fairs, as well as receive assistance with the application process.

To learn more about Student Services, scan the code!



# QUICKTIP

STUDENTS, STAFF, AND PARENTS HAVE A VOICE.  
PLEASE REPORT ISSUES AND CONCERNS.

## STUDENT AND STAFF SAFETY IS OUR FIRST PRIORITY.

**SchoolMessenger's Quick Tip** allows students, staff, and parents to have a way to report issues and concerns. Quick Tip allows school personnel to receive tips immediately. They then have the ability to respond to issues that might impact the school or individual students in a timely manner. The tips may range from peer pressure to depression, school safety or bullying. Users can identify which school receives the tip, select an appropriate topic from the dropdown list, write the message, and submit the tip. Tips may be submitted anonymously. The Quick Tip link is on all the school websites. Users may access Quick Tip directly at [quicktip.sb.school](http://quicktip.sb.school). "School Messenger Quick Tip" apps are also available for both iOS (App Store) and Android devices (Google Play). When launching the app for the first time, you will be prompted to enter the school district code: "sbcsd."



# SOCIAL MEDIA



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Instagram - @SouthBendCSC



Twitter - @SouthBendCSC



YouTube - South Bend Community School Corporation



Follow Dr. Cummings @Drtoddc

# COMMUNICATION TOOLS

## POWERSCHOOL PARENT & STUDENT PORTALS

Parents and students can log into PowerSchool's online portals to gain access to grades, assignments, attendance and schedules. Access IDs and passwords are only given to legal guardians at their child's school after their identity has been verified.

## PEACHJAR

The paper flyers we used to send home from various organizations are now posted on school websites and sent to parents electronically using Peachjar. This "go green" initiative is saving tons of paper each year.

## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Information including pick up times, bus numbers, and bus stop locations can be found using E-link at: <http://www.sbcsd.k12.in.us/elink>.

The movement of most school buses can be tracked using the My Stop app, which can be found at: <http://www.sbcsd.k12.in.us/mystop>. The initial username and password for both E-Link and My Stop is the student's ID number.



SBCSC Administration Directory





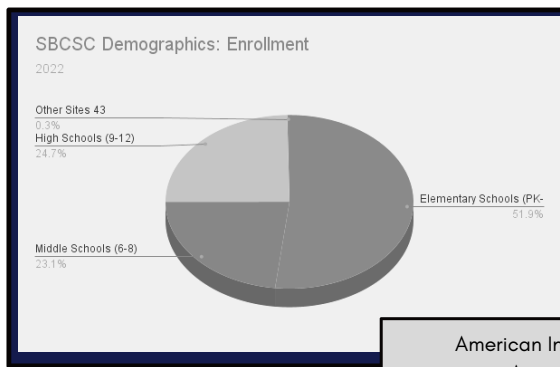
# OUR MISSION

**Together with our community, we create equitable, inclusive, and just schools to ensure all students achieve academic and personal success.**



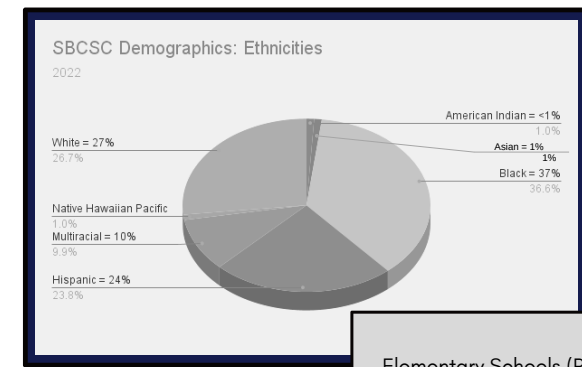
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## SBCSC Demographics: 2021-2022



American Indian = <1%  
Asian = 1%  
Black = 37%  
Hispanic = 24%  
Multiracial = 10%  
Native Hawaiian Pacific Island <1%  
White = 27%

Four Year Cohort Graduation Rate  
72.6%  
Students Receiving Free or Reduced  
Price Meals 61%  
Attendance Rate: 85.3%.



Elementary Schools (PK-5) 7,615  
Middle Schools (6-8) 3,395  
High Schools (9-12) 3,631  
Other Sites 43  
Total Enrollment 15,965



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