

Burlington High School PROFILE

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At a Glance 2023-2024

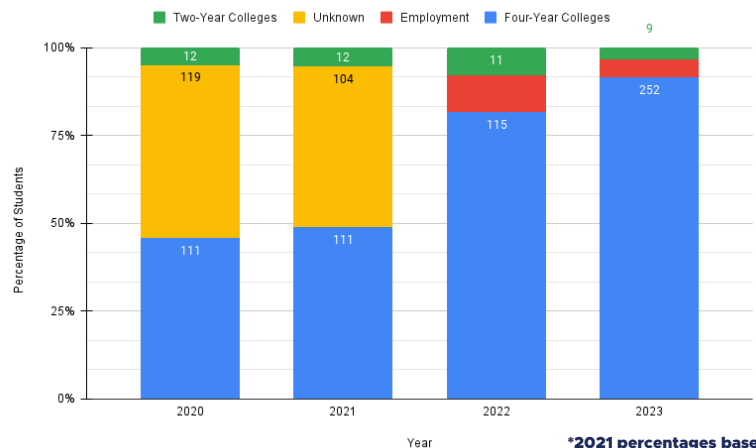
Graduation Requirements 24 Credits*

4 credits English	2 credits world language
3 credits math	1.5 credits physical ed
3 credits social studies	0.5 credit health
3 credits science	1 credit fine art

10 hours of community service per year
Students complete a Personal Learning Portfolio (PLP)

*Class of 2024 needs 23.75 due to impacts of COVID

Post-Secondary Plans



*2021 percentages based on percentage collected.

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1045 Students

38
Languages Spoken

37%
Students of Color



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Significant Impacts 2020 - Present

In August 2020 the Class of 2024 was welcomed to the campus of Burlington High School for orientation. At the end of their first day of school it was announced that there was extensive PCB contamination in the air throughout the shared campus of Burlington High School and Burlington Technical Center, forcing the Burlington School District to shutter the entire campus to in-person learning.

Students engaged exclusively in remote learning four days a week during September and October 2020. From November 2020 - February 2021 students added a fifth in-person day at the district's feeder school Edmunds Elementary and Middle School complex. In March of 2021 students began attending school in a renovated Macy's department store located in downtown Burlington. Though the building continues to evolve into a more visually and functional traditional school, learning in a converted space comes with many challenges. i.e. classrooms without fully encapsulated walls and being one of only three buildings in the state of Vermont with an (frequently dysfunctional) escalator.

All students have access to free lunch, city transportation services, athletics, extracurricular activities, and school counseling services. The greater Burlington community is supportive of the transition and challenges that have accompanied student life after the Covid-19 pandemic and construction of a new high school building (tentatively scheduled to reopen in 2026). The graduating class of 2024 will be the first cohort of Seahorses to complete high school entirely in our downtown location.

Class Ranking	Decile Scale
Top 10%	4.052 - 4.333
Top 20%	3.930 - 4.051
Top 30%	3.775 - 3.929
Top 40%	3.547- 3.774
Top 50%	3.234 - 3.546
Top 60%	2.797 - 3.233
Top 70%	2.429 - 2.796
Top 80%	1.911 - 2.428
Top 90%	1.518 - 1.910
Top 100%	0.00 - 1.517

- Burlington High School reports rank by decile to post-secondary institutions.
- Burlington High School classes are not weighted.
- Burlington High School does not report discipline infractions on post-secondary applications.

Based on 2022-2023 School Year

- BHS offered 12 Advanced Placement classes (305 seats)
- 13 students spent their senior year enrolled in Early College
- 128 college classes were completed through the VT Dual Enrollment program
- 68 students participated in programming at Burlington Technical Center and 14 at the Center for Technology Essex
- 19 students engaged in virtual learning using 41 seats through a partnership with Vermont Virtual Learning Collaborative (VTVLC)
- 42 students participated in Burlington City and Lake, an intensive semester where the city is used as their classroom and curriculum.