



Sturgeon Bay High School

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Sturgeon Bay High School – 2016-17

SBHS is a traditional, public four-year high school. The current high school building, located on the northeast side of Sturgeon Bay, was opened in 1968 and remodeled with a large addition in 1993. The district serves the city of Sturgeon Bay (pop. 9,500) and a segment of property just north of the city along the Green Bay shoreline. Sturgeon Bay's tax base is comprised of residential, service and retail, health care, shipbuilding and repair work, tourism, and a variety of light industrial businesses. Sturgeon Bay is located in the center of Door County, a peninsula with the waters of Green Bay and Lake Michigan surrounding it. Green Bay, Wisconsin, is 43 miles to the southwest. In 2016-17, the school's free and reduced lunch rate was 29 percent.

Faculty and Staff

SBHS employs 27 teachers, 1 shared media specialist, 2 school counselors, 5 support staff, and 1 principal. A school resource officer serves at all levels and is housed on the SBHS campus.

2016-17 Enrollment	
Class	No. of Students
2020	100
2019	97
2018	94
2017	97
Total	388

Class of 2017 Plans	
4-year university	41%
Technical college	44%
Military	0%
Employment	4%
Other	11%

Class of 2017 ACT (102 students tested)		
Subject	Sturgeon Bay	State
English	20.9	19.7
Math	20.7	20.4
Reading	21.4	20.6
Science	21.1	20.9
Composite	21.2	20.5

Class of 2018 State-Mandated ACT (92 students tested)		
Subject	Sturgeon Bay	State
English	20.2	19.2
Math	21.2	20.0
Reading	21.1	20.1
Science	21.2	20.4
Composite	21.1	20.1

Curriculum

SBHS utilizes a modified four-block schedule. Students enroll in four to six courses and may earn up to 8 credits in a school year. The school year is structured around four 9-week quarters.

Graduation requirements. Students are required to earn a minimum of 26 credits including the following: English – 4, Social Science – 3, Mathematics – 3, Science – 3, Physical Education – 1.5, Health – 0.5, Personal Money Management – 0.5. Additional requirements include 40 hours of documented community service, a minimum cumulative GPA of 1.5 after eight semesters, and successful completion of the Wisconsin Civics Exam.

Common grade scale. All teachers at SBHS use a common grade scale: A = 90 – 100, B = 80 – 89, C = 70 – 79, D = 60 – 69, F = 0 – 59 (including delineations for plus and minus).

Advanced Placement courses. Students may select from face-to-face courses taught on site or online courses available through Wisconsin Virtual School. In 2016-17, 51 AP exams were taken. The average AP exam score was 3.88 including 17 students earning 5s, 17 students earning 4s, and 12 students earning 3s.

Transcribed credit offerings. UW – Green Bay dual-credit courses taught on-site by certified high school instructors include Human Biology 102 and Spanish 202. Other courses are available online. Northeast Wisconsin Technical College dual-credit courses taught on-site by certified high school instructors include Accounting Principles, Business Law, Child and Adolescent Development, College Math, English Composition I, Foundations of Business, Introduction to Psychology, Oral Communication, and Renewable Energy Technologies. Other courses are available online.

Youth Options. The district participates in Wisconsin's Youth Options initiative, which allows high school students to enroll in university or technical college courses with tuition paid by the district.

Accelerated/Honors courses. Accelerated versions of Algebra I and Geometry are offered each school year. Honors levels of English 9, English 10, American Literature, and British Literature are also offered each year.

2017-18 Course Offerings

Art Department

Basic Design
2D Introduction
2D Intermediate
3D Introduction
3D Intermediate
Introduction to Art History
Introduction to Photoshop
AP Studio Art Prep
AP Studio Art – Drawing³
AP Studio Art – 2D Design³
Yearbook

Business and Information Technology Department

Personal Money Management
Basic Business and Careers
Foundations of Business (NWTC)²³
Accounting Principles (NWTC)²³
Business Law (NWTC)²³
Entrepreneurship
International Business Management
Marketing

Computer Science Department

Computer Applications
Introduction to Computer Science
Advanced Microsoft Office
Computer Programming I
Web Design
Website Developer (NWTC)²³
Database Management System (NWTC)²³

English Department

Literacy Workshop
English 9
English 9 – Honors
English 10
English 10 – Honors
English 11
American Literature – Honors
British Literature – Honors
English 12
AP English Literature and Composition³
English Composition 1 (NWTC)²³
Oral Communication (NWTC)²³

Family and Consumer Education Department

Food and Nutrition
Food Service
Creative Foods
Clothing I and II
Child and Adolescent Development (NWTC)²³
Health Occupations
Theater Arts – Costume Design

Mathematics Department

Pre-Algebra
Basic Geometry and Statistics
Algebra I
Geometry
Geometry – Accelerated

Algebra II
College Math (NWTC)² (does not earn additional GPA quality points)
Trigonometry and Other Functions
Senior Trigonometry
Pre-Calculus
AP Calculus³
Probability and Statistics

Music Department

Concert Band
Wind Ensemble
Mixed Choir
Theater Arts – Music
Beginning Guitar

Physical Education Department

Fitness Foundations
Lifeguard Training
Lifetime Fitness
Physical Education Graduation Requirement Substitution Option
Recreational Sports
Strength and Conditioning
Swimming

Science Department

Earth Science
Biology
Astronomy
Ecology
Concepts of Chemistry
Concepts of Physics
Chemistry
AP Chemistry³
Physics
Biochemistry
Organic Chemistry
Human Biology 102 (UWGB)¹³

Social Science Department

World Cultures
Modern European History
U. S. History
20th Century Conflicts
AP U. S. History³
American Studies
Social Psychology
Introduction to Psychology (NWTC)²³
Social Issues and Current Events

Technology and Engineering Department

Around the House
Introduction to Technology Education
Metal Fabrication – Basic
Metal Fabrication – Advanced
Design and Build
Renewable Energy Technology (NWTC)²³
Theater Arts – Set Design
Wood Techniques – Introduction
Wood Techniques – Carpentry and Architectural Design
Home Construction Project

World Language Department

Spanish I, II, III
Spanish 202 (UWGB)¹

Non-Departmental Offerings

Service Learning
Mindful Art
Production Exploration
Personal Development
Independent Study Program
Work Experience
Online AP Courses³
Volunteering (Credit)
Volunteering (Hours)
Collaborative Classroom Experience
Community Volunteerism
Youth Apprenticeship
Youth Options (³ for any technical college or university course)

¹ = 3-credit UW – Green Bay college course

² = Course earns dual credit with Northeast Wisconsin Technical School

³ = A student who earns a grade of B- or above will have additional quality points of 0.0125 added to the GPA for each 0.5 credit earned.

Co-Curricular Activities

Interscholastic Athletics

Baseball
Basketball (Boys/Girls)
Cheerleading
Cross-Country
Dance Team
Football
Golf
Soccer (Boys/Girls)
Softball
Swimming and Diving (Boys/Girls)
Track and Field
Volleyball
Wrestling

School Organizations and Activities

Academic Competition Teams
AODA Peer Leaders
Audio/Visual Club
Chess Club
City Rhythm
Destination Imagination
Future Business Leaders of America
Forensics
Future Teachers Association
History Club
Health Occupation Students of America
Intramurals
Jazz Band
Math Team
Mock Trial
Musical
Service Club
Student Council
World Language Club