

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Gulf Breeze, Florida is a suburban community that includes approximately 25,000 people. Located at the tip of a 25 mile long, 3/4 mile wide peninsula, surrounded by Pensacola Bay and Santa Rosa Sound and one mile from the Gulf of Mexico, Gulf Breeze offers a lifestyle with recreational time focused on beach and water related activities. Parents are predominantly white-collar professionals who commute across a three mile bridge to Pensacola, Florida, (metropolitan area 250,000) and plan for their children to be college graduates and pursue similar lifestyles. Strongly supported by military bases, both Navy and Air Force, the school has many transfer students from all parts of the country, as well as military families who have chosen to retire here.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

With a school population of over 1800, grades 9-12, Gulf Breeze High School employs a principal, three assistant principals, sixty-five teachers, four counselors and sixteen education support personnel. Each year the curriculum is evaluated to provide an optimal number of Honors, Advanced, Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses for the college bound students as well as career academies whose goal is to prepare our students for the workforce with industry certifications.

Ninety percent of Gulf Breeze High School graduates attend college, with approximately seventy percent going directly to four year institutions. Approximately thirteen percent of our graduates select out of state colleges, including state universities and highly selective private schools.

<https://www.gulfbreezehighschool.com>

ACADEMIC CLUBS

French Honor Society
Mu Alpha Theta (Math)
National Art Honor Society
National English Honor Society
National Honor Society
National Latin Honor Society
National Science Honor Society
National Technology Honor Society
International Thespian Society
Kitty Hawk Air Society & Golden Eagles
Quill & Scrolls International Honor Soc. For Journalists
Rho Kappa (History)
Science Olympiad
Spanish Honor Society
Tri-Music Honor Society

INTEREST CLUBS

American Sign Language	FBLA
Anime	French Club
AFJROTC	Amateur Radio Club
Art Club	HOSA Club
Debate Club	Latin Club
Drama Club	Spanish Club
DCT Club	Sailing Club
Robotics Club	Best Buddies
Marine Science Club	Dive Club
FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)	
Young Democrats/Young Republicans	

SERVICE CLUBS

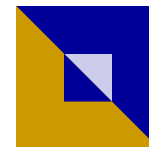
Air Force Junior ROTC (Silver Eagles)
Interact
Junior Optimist Club (largest in the state)
Key Club
Student Government Association

ATHLETICS

Baseball	Lacrosse-Boys/Girls
Softball	Soccer-Boys/Girls
Football	Swimming-Boys/Girls
Basketball—Boys/Girls	Tennis-Boys/Girls
Cheerleading—Boys/Girls	Track-Boys/Girls
Cross Country—Boys/Girls	Volleyball-Girls
Dance Team-Girls	Weightlifting-Girls/Boys
Golf-Boys/Girls	Wrestling-Boys

PUBLICATIONS

Cetacea (Yearbook)	GBHS Website
Blue N Gold (Newspaper)	Literary Magazine



School Profile 2019-2020

GULF BREEZE HIGH SCHOOL

675 Gulf Breeze Parkway
Gulf Breeze, FL 32561

(850) 916-4100



Daniel F. Brothers
Principal

Sarah Barker
Assistant Principal

Patrick Keen
Assistant Principal

Jon Watts
Assistant Principal

DISTINCTIONS

- Fully accredited by the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges since 1971
- Recognized as one of the top high schools in Florida for preparing students for college
- Approximately 250 students are enrolled in our Dual Enrollment program
- 2015 student scholarships in excess of \$9 million dollars
- 2011-2014 FHSAA Overall Class 5A Team Academic Winner
- 2013 Health Academy-licensed Certified Nursing Assist. program
- 2013-2014 AFJROTC Distinguished Unit with Merit
- 2013 Multimedia Career Academy Award of the Year for EscaRosa Area
- 2013 Multimedia Career Academy Student of the Year for the EscaRosa Area
- 2013 Instructor-Heather Renfroe received the Career Academy Award Teacher of the Year, for the EscaRosa Area
- 2012 District History Bowl Champions
- 2011 Drama teacher, Margie Timmons, won state most distinguished career award
- 2010 Drama runner-up for the entire southeastern U.S.
- 1988-2014 State Drama Awards group and individual
- 2001-2005, 2008-2011 Florida Recognition Award "A" school
- 35+ Teachers with Advanced Degrees
- 1993-2014 Art wins Shows and Scholarships
- Science Olympiad State Winners 2000-01, 2003-2010
- 1998-2010 Yearbook—FSPA individual & group awards
- 2002-2012 Newspaper—FSPA individual & group awards
- 2007-2014 Literary Magazine—FSPA Awards
- 395 Industry Certifications Earned Since 2011
- 2016 Stephanie Duffy-Florida Education Department Teacher of the Year State semi-finalist

GPA AND CLASS RANK

GPA and RANK are based on all courses that the student takes which earn high school credits.

All courses are included to compute the GPA. (4.0 scale, un-weighted; 5.0 scale, weighted)

Honor, Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses are weighted to determine class rank. All courses and all students are included.

GRADE INFORMATION

Grading Scale

A 90-100 B 80-89 C 70-79
D 60-69 F 0-59

MARKING PERIODS

Two semester academic year-each semester is 18 weeks, with a nine week reporting period, and a six period day.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ 24 credits needed to graduate must include
 - 4 credits of English
 - 4 credits of Mathematics
 - 3 credits of Science
 - 3 credits of Social Studies
 - 1 credit of Performing Fine Arts
 - 1 credit of HOPE (Health & PE)
 - 8 credits of electives
- ❖ Earn cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
- ❖ Pass the Florida Standards Assessment Test (FSA) Reading
- ❖ Pass the Algebra I End of Course Exam
- ❖ Must complete a Virtual Course

TESTING

SAT	Florida	Gulf Breeze
Reading/Writing	520	570
Math	497	567

ACT	Florida	Gulf Breeze
English	19	24.7
Math	19.4	24.3
Reading	21	25.2
Science	19.4	24.2
Composite	19.8	24.7

AP Exams

Approximately 797 students took 1,056 AP Exams.
Over 67% scored a 3, 4, or 5.

ADVANCED CURRICULUM

AP English Literature/Composition
AP English Language/Composition
AP Capstone Seminar
AP Capstone Research
Dual Enrollment English Comp I/II
English Honors I/II
Geometry Honors
Algebra II Honors
Pre-Calculus Honors
Dual Enrollment College Algebra
Dual Enrollment Trigonometry
Dual Enrollment Pre-Calculus
Dual Enrollment Statistics
AP Calculus AB & BC
AP Statistics
Anatomy & Physiology Honors
AP Environmental Science
Biology Honors, AP Biology
Marine Science Honors
AP Micro-Economics & AP Macro-Economics
AP US Govt & Comparative Government
Chemistry I Honors, AP Chemistry
Physics I & II Honors
AP Human Geography
US History Honors
AP US History
World History Honors
AP World History
American Government Honors/Economics Honors
Spanish Honors III/IV
French Honors III/IV
Latin Honors III/IV
Art III Honors, AP Studio Art
Art Portfolio Development Honors
AP Computer Science
Computing for College & Careers Honors
Digital Design II, & III Honors
Business and Entrepreneurial Principles

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Gulf Breeze High School is to achieve and maintain an academic environment that fosters learning for all students, regardless of ability and background.

Our teachers, students, administration, staff, parents and community assume responsibility for the progress and success of each student.

Ultimately, we must prepare our students to be problem-solving, creative, productive, and responsible citizens in an ever-changing world.