

School Counseling Office

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John S. Battle High School is a one of four public, four-year high schools serving an attendance area of approximately 220 square miles in Washington County, Virginia. John S. Battle offers a variety of challenging academic courses along with career and technical programs. The student population is comprised of approximately 600 students in grades 9-12. John S. Battle High School is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the Virginia Department of Education.

The teaching faculty consists of 37.5 full-time teachers (including three full time special education teachers) and 10 part-time teachers. Approximately 60% of the faculty hold a master's degree or higher. The pupil/teacher ratio is approximately 17 to 1.

The Schedule

The school operates on a modified block schedule. The first and last classes of the day meet 47 minutes, while three block classes in the middle of the day meet for 90 minutes each.

Profile of 2016 Graduates

Total Graduates: 137 Standard Diploma: 69

Advanced Studies Diploma: 68 Attending Four-Year College: 25 Attending Two-Year College: 65 SAT: CR-503, M-486 ACT: 22

2016-2017 Graduation Requirements

Standard Diploma: 22 credits

English	4 units
Mathematics	3 units
Science	3 units
Social Studies	3 units
Health & Physical	2 units
Education	2 011113
Fine Arts or Practical Arts	1 unit
Economics/Personal	1 unit
Finance	1 01111

Advanced Studies Diploma: 24 credits

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English	4 units
Mathematics	4 units
Science	4 units
Social Studies	4 units
Health & Physical	2 units
Education	2 011113
Fine Arts or Practical Arts	1 unit
Computer Info Systems	1 unit
Economics/Personal	1 unit
Finance	1 01111
Electives	2 units
Foreign Language	3 units

Grading Scale

A = 93 - 100, B = 85 - 92, C = 75 - 84, D = 70 - 74, F = below 70AP & Dual Enrollment classes – 10-point scale

Dual Enrollment Courses

English 111/112/278-	HIS 121/122-
English 12-9 credits	US History-6 credits
HIS 101/102-	MTH 163/164-
Western Civ I/II-6 credits	Pre-Calculus-6 credits
MTH 271/272-	MTH_173/174-
App. Calc6 credits	Geo. / Calc. I/I-10 credits
Bio 101/102-	BIO-141/142-
Biology-8 credits	Anat. & Phys8 Credits
ITE 115-	HRT 100
Intro Comp Soft3 credits	Intro to Hort3 credits
HRT 260-	

Floral Design-3 credits

AP Courses Offered

- English Language and Composition
- United States Government and Politics
- *All other AP Courses available through Virtual Virginia

Core Courses Offered

Language Arts

- English 9/Honors
- English 10/Honors
- English 11/AP
- English 12/ Dual (9 cr.)

Mathematics

- Algebra I
- Geometry/Honors
- Algebraic Functions & Data Analysis
- Algebra II/Honors
- Trig/Analysis
- Pre-Calculus VHCC (6 credits)*
- Applied Calculus VHCC (6 credits)*
- Engineering Calculus (10 credits)*

Foreign Language

- French I/II/III/IV
- Spanish I/II/III/IV
- Latin I/II/III Virtual Only

Science

- Earth Science/Honors
- Biology I/Honors
- Biology II-Anatomy
- Biology II-Ecology
- Biology VHCC (8 credits)*
- Chemistry I
- Physics

Social Studies

- US History/Dual (6 credits)
- Government/AP
- Psychology
- World History to 1500/Honors
- World History 1500-Present