



Chief Operations Officer Report June 2, 2023

The mission of the YPI Charter Schools (YPICS) is to prepare students for academic success in high school, as well as post-secondary education; prepare students to be responsible and active participants in their community; and enable students to become lifelong learners. Students at YPI Charter Schools will become active citizens who characterize the ideals of a diverse and democratic society. Students will provide service to their community, take responsibility for their own learning, and develop the habits of mind and body that will empower them to be successful in high school and beyond.

Interim Executive Administrator- Bert Corona Charter High School

Instruction

Internal and State Testing

May is testing month. Staff will review this year's schedule to develop a less intrusive testing schedule for students and staff. The sheer number of "major" tests may impact how students perform on their exams.

Students took the following tests:

- NWEA Maps- All grades
- CAASPP- 11th grade
- CAST- 12th grade
- ELPAC- English Language Learners in all grades
- Houghton Mifflin Reading Inventory- English Language Learners in all grades
- AP Biology- Various students
- AP Spanish- Various students
- AP Environmental Science- Various students
- AP English Language and Composition- Various students

College Ready

College Visits

9th graders (50 Students) visited UC Riverside on Friday, June 2, 2023. Students toured the campus and had lunch in the dining commons. Students were excited about the size of the campus and the number of students that they saw. Students asked different questions that heavily focused on the social aspects of college including intramural sports, and food quality. One student asked about stress management. Another student did ask questions about the tour guides major and why she chose that major. Each grade level was able to go on a college visit this year.

9th grade-	UC Riverside
10th grade-	UC Santa Barbara
11th/12th grade-	UC Berkeley, UC Santa Cruz, Cal State University Monterey Bay, San Francisco State University

College Admissions

The Class of 2023 have accepted admission to the following schools:

Los Angeles Mission College- 3
Los Angeles Trade- technical College- 1
Santa Monica College- 1
Cal Poly Humboldt- 2
San Jose State University- 1
Cal State University Northridge- 9
Cal State University Fullerton- 3
Cal State University Los Angeles- 2

Cal State University Channel Island- 2
Cal State University Stanislaus- 1
Cal State University Chico- 1
University of La Verne- 1
Woodbury University- 2
Vanguard University- 1
UC Davis- 1
UC Santa Cruz- 1
UC Riverside- 2
UC Merced- 1

Operations

Facilities

Space is a challenge at BCCHS. LAUSD Maintenance and Operations installed the new electrical outlet in the main office so the copy machine could be moved to the front of the main office. Moving the copier allows for the back office to be used as a conference room which allows for more flexibility. The installation was requested and paid for in December.

Outreach and Recruitment

Enrollment for the 23-24 school year is currently expected to be higher than the 22-23 school year by 7 students.

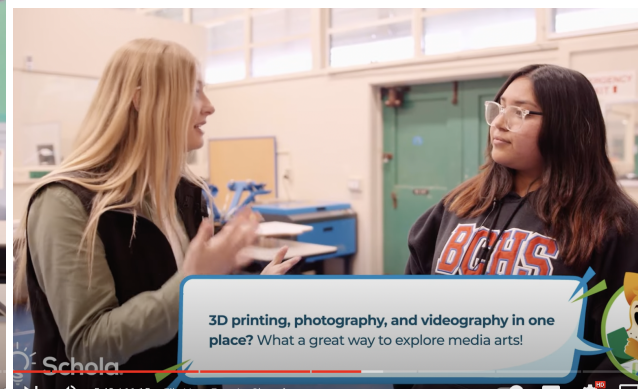
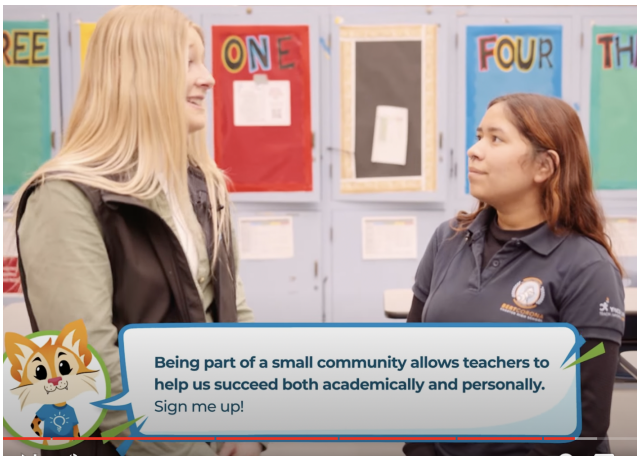
Enrollment

Grade level	22-23 Enrollment	23-24 Enrollment
9th grade	47	49
10th grade	59	54
11th grade	51	62
12th grade	53	52
TOTAL	210	217

10 students have been enrolled as a result of Schola's digital and community outreach efforts. Schola highlighted BCCHS in a video on their website which we will be able to post on the school website. You can see the video here. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r5TgpyyDP3o> . Here are some screen shots from the video.



Schola vs. Snake! Science Class Gets Interesting at Bert Corona Charter High



BCCHS held an open house for new students and families on Wednesday, May 31. The event highlighted our media arts pathway, student clubs, sports team, and our personalized approach to college counseling, and our science classes. Our students were excited to show off their school spirit and host activities for parent and student guests. Guests were invited to walk through classrooms, to make slime for stress relief, plant seeds, meet representatives from 15 different community organizations, and learn about school and community resources. Guests were also treated to live music and enjoyed various dance performances including our high school dance team... and of course eat food.





Community School Advisory Program

Through the efforts of our Community School Program, BCCHS teamed up with Wolf Connection to test a new advisory curriculum for our students. Mr. Rothenay, Mr. Cowie and Mr. Kay volunteered to implement the 12 unit online curriculum with their classes. The culmination of the curriculum included a trip to the Wolf Connection educational sanctuary and wilderness retreat center. At the center, students did team building activities focused on building their communication and leadership skills. A big part of the day was interacting with and going on a hike with wolves. Staff and students reported that it was a great experience. and would like to continue with the curriculum and hike with wolves.





Culture and Climate

Senior Awards Night

On May 25, 2023, BCCHS held a **Senior Awards Night** to celebrate the achievements of the Class of 2023. Our Seniors and their families were treated to dinner while students were recognized for their academic accomplishments. One significant highlight of the evening was when student college choices were announced to the audience. You could see excitement and the pride in the faces of the students and their families as their names and colleges were announced. The event closed with students reading messages of appreciation to their families for their love and support throughout their K-12 education. Tears, hugs, smiles, and laughter filled the room.



Sports

California Interscholastic Federation

On Monday June 5, 2023, staff will be requesting full admission to California Interscholastic Federation at the CIF Board meeting being held at Birmingham Community Charter High School. We are looking forward to being accepted and joining a new league to compete in for our student athletes. BCCHS will be fielding the following teams in the 23-24 school year:

- Girls Soccer
- Boys Soccer
- Boys Basketball
- Girls Volleyball
- Boys Volleyball
- eSports
- Cross Country (1st year)