

# BURL ESON

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Where “u” stand out.

ABOUT

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ISD

**100%**

**BISD CAMPUSES EARNED HIGHEST RATING**

Our 2017-18 rating includes: student achievement, student progress, closing performance gaps, and postsecondary readiness.

**96%**

**GRADUATION RATE**

BISD's average is higher than national and state averages.  
U.S. is 84% and Texas is 89%.

**12.4K**

**STUDENT POPULATION**

BISD continues to grow with 2,500 new students projected to enroll by 2027.

**17**

**PREMIER FACILITIES**

Our premier facilities inspire today's learners and meet the needs of our growing district.



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# CHOICES

*One-size-fits-all* should stick to retail – not education. That's why Burleson ISD offers new, innovative, relevant opportunities to create custom learning experiences for students at every level.

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS OF CHOICE

### Academy at Nola Dunn

This campus offers a brain-based learning environment offering: experiential field trips, character focus, hands-on learning, narrative report cards, vertical teams, and buddy classes.

### Academy of the Arts at Bransom

Visual and performing arts are infused into instruction and learning through the lens of theater, graphic art, music, audio/visual, and piano.

### Academy of Leadership & Technology at Mound

Teaches 21st-century leadership and technology skills while creating a culture of student empowerment, knowing every child is a leader.

### STEAM Academy at Stribling

Curiosity, creativity, and resiliency are celebrated and guided through Design Thinking with a focus on the integration of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (STEAM).

# MADE EASY.



## SECONDARY SCHOOLS OF CHOICE

### **STEAM Middle School**

Curriculum takes project-based learning and future-ready skills approach, focusing on the learner experience. Courses and electives integrate Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math with Art (STEAM) elements emphasizing visual and graphic design.

### **REALM**

The Rigorous Educational Arcade Learning Model (REALM) applies game design to blended learning. Student-paced learning requires critical thinking and problem-solving skills, which students must master to “level up.” With a focus on design and development, electives prepare students for video game development and the skills necessary to enter the workforce or continue onto post-secondary education.

### **Burleson Collegiate High School**

Students earn an Associate’s degree and a high school diploma concurrently at no cost. Rigorous courses taught by Burleson ISD and Hill College instructors enable students to complete high school requirements and up to 60 hours of college during their four years of high school.

# Career and Technical Education



# Technical Education

*Turning childhood dreams into today's reality.*

## CTE by the numbers:

85

With 85 CTE courses and 15 certifications available, students graduate college and career ready.

51

BISD agricultural science facility offers 51 acres of space for expanded FFA and agriscience programs.

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BISD's AV Production team manages the entire Friday Night Football event production at BISD Stadium.

BISD offers students opportunities to pursue career pathways in:

- Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources
- Air Force JROTC
- Automotive Technology
- Arts, Audio Video Technology & Communications
- Business Management & Administration
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice
- Culinary Arts
- Education & Training
- Engineering
- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Floral Design
- Fire Academy and EMT
- Graphic Design & Journalism
- Health Sciences
- Hospitality & Tourism
- Human Services
- Information Technology
- Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
- Project Lead the Way
- Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

# INNOVATION

A trademark for  
Burlison ISD.

With a department  
solely focused on  
innovative and  
exciting ways to learn,  
BISD engages and  
challenges students  
with cutting-edge  
learning experiences.  
Check out campus  
websites to learn about  
specific opportunities.

## eSports

Electronic sports competitions use virtual reality, artificial intelligence, and technology while enhancing students' programming and software design skills. BISD's eSports program provides opportunities to build on these skills and prepare for careers in public, private, and military sectors.

## Student Spaceflight Experiments Program

Students take their ideas out of this world and to the International Space Station where astronauts test their microgravity experiment designs through the SSEP.

## FIRST® LEGO® League

Students explore a real-world issue through the use of science, technology, engineering, and math when their custom-built robots come to life in fast-paced timed competitions.

## BISD Film Festival

Student filmmakers create and showcase original productions while also preparing for UIL, American High School Film Festival, and other competitions.

## Garden Towers

Students grow heirloom vegetables and herbs vertically and host taste tests to evaluate their crop's success. This hands-on learning project champions students' healthy food choices while generating interest in future careers in horticulture, agricultural engineering, biology and other industries.

## Drones

Basic pilot and programming skills are learned while flying drones indoors. Advanced skills at the secondary level prepare students to compete in both drone flying and search and rescue programs in preparation for careers as first responders in public, private, and military sectors.

## BISD IGNITE

This speaker series encourages students to engage in innovative thinking and inspire transformation through their communication of ideas and solutions to better humanity.

## zSpace Technology

Students use the same 3D virtual reality technology used by universities and doctors at Texas Health Huguley Hospital to examine the human body. This technology prepares BISD Certified Medical Assistant candidates for careers in the medical field.



## BISD CAMPUSES

Burleson High School

Centennial High School

Burleson Collegiate  
High School

Crossroads High School

Hughes Middle School

Kerr Middle School

REALM

STEAM Middle School

Academy at Nola Dunn

Academy of the Arts  
at Bransom

Academy of Leadership &  
Technology at Mound

Brock Elementary

Clinkscale Elementary

Frazier Elementary

Hajek Elementary

Norwood Elementary

STEAM Academy  
at Stribling

Taylor Elementary

## New to BISD

### 1. Kerr Middle School

Built as a replacement campus for Kerr Middle School.

### 2. Hughes Middle School

Renovated and expanded to accommodate students and its capacity in the fine arts and athletic areas.

### 3. BISD Stadium Media Display

### 4. BHS Collaboration Space

Areas of available academic capacity will be converted to spaces for collaborative learning to extend outside the classroom.

### 5. BHS Multipurpose Facility

Designed to improve educational opportunities for most of the campus' extracurricular activities.



# EMIER FACILITIES





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