

## BEAR RIVER HIGH SCHOOL

Nevada Joint Union High School District  
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*Principal: Chris Roberts*  
*Assistant Principal: Cathy Peterson*  
*Counselors: KC Worden & Michele Berberena*  
*Athletic Director: Jeffrey Bickmore*

The Nevada Joint Union High School District is located in northern California about sixty miles northeast of Sacramento. Nevada County has eight elementary/middle school districts feeding into the high schools, which provide secondary education to 3,000 students with a variety of schools and programs. NJUSD offers placement at 4 comprehensive high schools (including independent study) and two non-traditional schools.



Bear River is a small, comprehensive 4-year public high school. Built in 1986, it was designed to serve the residents of southern Nevada County in its rural setting.

Bear River High School was recognized as a California Distinguished School in 2001 and 2009, and a Gold Ribbon School in 2017. During the last five years, the school has become a model program for Professional Learning Communities implementing teacher collaboration, pyramids of intervention, and common assessments.

### Graduation Requirements

Courses	Credits
English	40
Mathematics	30
Social Science	30
Science (1 Life and 1 Physical)	20
Physical Education	20
Visual/Performing Art/ CTE	10
Additional courses/Electives	60
<b>Total</b>	<b>220</b>

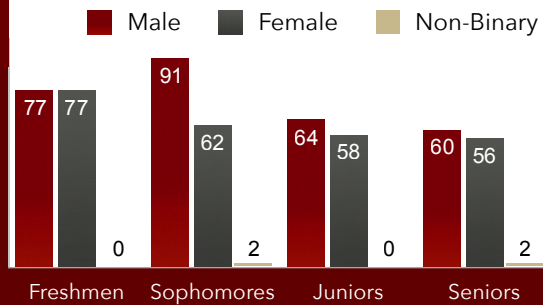
- 🐾 Average SAT score: 1170 - ACT: 27
- 🐾 CAASPP (State Assessments):  
English 82% at or Above Proficient  
Math 52% at or Above Proficient
- 🐾 26% Enrolled in AP courses
- 🐾 20% Qualify for Free/Reduced Lunch
- 🐾 49% a-g Completion (met UC/CSU entrance requirement)
- 🐾 5 Students awarded NRSTA (National Rural and Small Town Award) in 2022-23
- 🐾 32% First generation students
- 🐾 10% Career Technical Pathway completes (student completed at least 2 courses in a sequence and the capstone course)

### Honors & AP courses offered

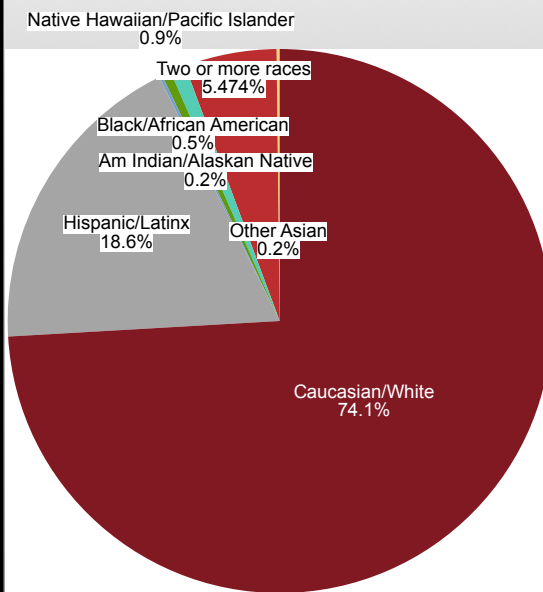
- 🐾 English 1X
- 🐾 English 2H
- 🐾 AP English 3 (Lang & Comp)
- 🐾 AP English 4 (Lit & Comp)
- 🐾 AP Calculus AB
- 🐾 AP Computer Science Principles A
- 🐾 AP Government & Politics
- 🐾 AP US History
- 🐾 AP World History
- 🐾 AP Biology
- 🐾 AP Chemistry
- 🐾 AP Environmental Science
- 🐾 AP Physics
- 🐾 AP Spanish Language
- 🐾 Professional Drama Honors
- 🐾 Technical Theater III: Advanced

### By the numbers 2022-23

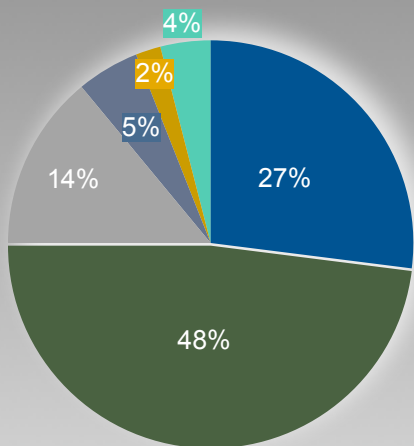
548 total enrollment



### Total Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity



### Class of 2022



- 4 Year
- 2 Year
- Work
- Military
- Gap Year
- Technical/Trade School

### Grading System

