



In 2021 Barnesville Public Schools was recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as one of only six National Blue Ribbon Schools in the state of Minnesota.

This distinguished award recognizes high performing schools whose leader articulate a a vision of excellence.







# **About the 2020-2022 School Upgrades:**

Barnesville Public Schools is taking all of the necessary precautions to provide a safe and exciting learning atmosphere during the COVID-19 pandemic. We are making decisions with student safety at the forefront and are following the guidelines and recommendations from the MDE as we maintain our small-town feel and atmosphere at Barnesville Public Schools. For more information about our plan, or to inquire about open enrollment opportunities, contact the district office at 218-354-2217.

#### High School

- New Ag/Tech Building
- New Music Classrooms Band & Choir
- New 650 Seat Performing Arts Auditorium
- New Two-Station Gymnasium w/ New Fitness Track
- New Locker Rooms
- New Commons, Kitchen and Concession Area
- New Bathrooms
- New Fitness Room with Weights and Cardio Equipment
- Remodeled Wrestling Practice Room
- Remodeled Science Rooms
- Remodeled Special Education Space
- Many Accessibility Upgrades, Including a Skywalk to the Elementary!

### Elementary School

- New Eight-Classroom Wing
- New Administrative Office Near Building Entrance
- New Commons / Flexible Learning Area
- New Bathrooms
- Remodeled Special Education Space
- New Ventilation and Humidity Control
- Many Accessibility Upgrades, Including a Skywalk to the High School!

# **COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE**

# Positive and Supportive Environment

- Quality Relationships
  - School-Community
  - Student-Staff
  - Student-Student
  - Parent-Teacher
- Friendly & Welcoming School Environment
- Professional & Dedicated Staff
- Small School Atmosphere
- Licensed School Nurse

# Quality Student Centered Programming

- Preschool
- Excellent Early Childhood Program
- Strong Title 1 & Special Education
- Counseling
- College Level Courses
- PSEO
- Strong Use of Technology
- Music
- Efficient Transportation
  Beduces Time on Buses

#### **Unique Offerings**

- Robotics
- National Honor Society
- School Musicals
- Strong Athletic Programs
- Strong Activities Programs
- Trapshooting
- Fishing League

# **High School Activities**

- Future Farmers of America
- FCCLA
- Knowledge Bowl
- Student Council
- National Honor Society
- Football
- Volleyball
- Wrestling
- Boys Basketball
- Girls Basketball
- Softball
- Boys & Girls Track and Field
- PaY (Philanthropy and Youth)
- Golf
- Baseball







#### **Academics**

- Vocational/Career Classes;
  - Ag
  - Industrial Technology
  - Business
  - Family & Consumer Sciences
- Spanish
- PSEO Courses
- Dual Credit College Courses
- AAA School

# **Exciting Opportunities**

- State of the Art Technology
- Parent Access to Student Records
- K-12 1:1 Technology
- Counseling Service
- Community Education Programs
- AARP Smart Driver Courses
- Behind the Wheel Training

#### **Band and Choir**

- Concert Band
- Jazz Band
- Marching/Pep Band
- Concert/Chamber Choirs
- Show Choir
- Junior High Choir

#### **Theatre**

- Fall Musical
- Winter One-Act Play
- Spring Play
- Drama Club

#### **Visual Arts**

- Art Club
- Art competitions
- Art portfolio building
- Book/magazine publishing opportunities

### **Elementary Activities**

- School Readiness Programs:
  - ECFE
  - Pre-Kindergarten
  - Preschool Screening
  - **Character Education**
- Curriculum Aligned to MN Standards
- Targeted Services
- 6th Grade Band
- Volleyball
- Wrestling
- Basketball
- Baseball
- Softball
- Track & Field



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