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Cheektowaga Students Attended Career & Technical Education Programs



#### Cheektowaga Students were Inducted into the National Technical Honor Society within the Past Five Years

# 30+

Career & Technical Education Courses Offered to Cheektowaga High School Students



# **Creating Beauty in the World**

Myah Gates is a senior from Cheektowaga Central High School and is enrolled in the Cosmetology program at Erie 1 BOCES Potter Career and Technical Education Center.

Erie 1 BOCES Partnership Briefing

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"I enrolled in BOCES because I wanted to start my career, learning more about hair, skin and nails," said Myah.

In the fall of 2024, following graduation, she plans on starting schooling for nursing to become a registered nurse.

"I would like to graduate and travel with both my cosmetology and nursing license under my belt," she said.

Under the instruction of Lisa Vater, Myah has honed her skills in the art and science of cutting, styling and coloring hair. Cosmetologists are outgoing people with a flair for creativity. They are members of the expanding and ever-changing world of fashion and design.

"Myah is very talented and passionate about her learning," said Vater. "She is consistent and puts forth effort every day."

"This program has helped me get a head start in learning the basics of natural hair, color and health," said Myah. "I am also hoping to graduate with my 1,000 (hour certificate) and become a licensed cosmetologist by 2024!"

As part of public education, Erie 1 BOCES offers a variety of career and technical programs during the regular school day to high school students in Erie County. High school students interested in learning more about how they can participate in various programs, such as cosmetology, nursing, emergency services, sports science, web and gaming technologies or aviation technology, should visit www.e1b.org/cte or speak with their high school counselor.



# Erie 1 BOCES Shared Services

The New York State legislature created Boards of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) as a way for local school districts to collaborate on educational offerings while reducing their individual expenses. Today, Erie 1 BOCES is an incubator of innovation, continually developing new programs and services to meet the changing needs of students. Enclosed is a report that provides insight into Cheektowaga's enrollment during the previous school year.

# \$1,346,330

#### in State Aid Generated to Cheektowaga via BOCES Services



Cheektowaga Students Attended Extended School (Summer) Program



Cheektowaga Students Attended Alternative Education Programs



Cheektowaga Students Attended Special Education Programs



Revenue to Cheektowaga from BOCES Rental Agreements



## **K-12 Instructional Programs**

Offers diverse instructional programming and support to K-12 students and adult learners across Western New York

#### **Services Enrolled In:**

- Alternative Learning
- Career & Technical Education
- Special Education

### **Administrative Services**

Helps school districts meet their goals, contain costs and navigate the ever-changing business of school district operations

#### **Services Enrolled In:**

- Athletics
- Business Office Support
- Certification
- Cooperative Purchasing
- Graphic and Video Design
- Health, Safety and Risk Management
- Labor Relations Services
- Policy Services

- Printing/Copy
- Public Relations
- Substitute Coordination

**Cheektowaga Basketball Hopeful** 

Brandon Dennis has found success at EDGE Academy.

"The experience I've liked best is my grades and behavior have improved," said Brandon.

"Brandon is consistent, focused and successful in his classes," said Brandon's principal, Jacki Boss.

Upon graduation, Brandon hopes to play college basketball.

"This program has helped me reach my goals by allowing me time in the gym," said Brandon. "I like my classes at Erie 1 BOCES because staff are very helpful."

# WNYRIC Shared Services

The Western New York Regional Information Center (WNYRIC) is an education technology service provider that delivers support, resources and solutions to 100 school districts. The WNYRIC supports a wider region of districts beyond Erie County while sharing office spaces, services and employee benefits with Erie 1 BOCES. The WNYRIC team is comprised of experienced professionals who prioritize innovation and exceptional customer service.

## **Administrative Office Applications**

Streamlines district office operations to support successful learning environments

#### **Services Enrolled In:**

- Capital Project and Facilities Maintenance Software
- Document Archival Software
- HR and Finance Software
- Job Application and Onboarding Software
- Professional Development Tracking Software
- Supply Ordering
- Textbook Loan Services
- Visitor Management Software

### **Data and Testing Services**

Assists districts in complying with reporting requirements and achieving instructional goals, while prioritizing data safety and security

#### **Services Enrolled In:**

- Answer Sheet Printing, Scanning and Score Upload Services
- Assessment Scoring Services
- Automated Data Integration
- Data Privacy and Security Services
- Data Warehouse, Data Collection, Analysis and Reporting

## e-Communication Applications

Leverages technology to increase the efficiency and security of communications between schools, students and guardians

#### Services Enrolled In:

- Automated Notification Systems
- Email Archive Support Services
- Website and Website Governance Software

#### Did you know e-Communication Applications also offers:

- Classroom Notification Systems
- SharePoint Support Services



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Erie 1 BOCES Professional Development Sessions Attended by Cheektowaga Staff



**Textbooks Loaned** 



**Educational Software Applications Supported** 

Wnyric technology services



### WNYRIC Services Continued...

### Instructional Support Services and Professional Learning

Offers a variety of professional development opportunities in the areas of curriculum, assessment, instruction and technology integration

Facilitates connectivity, access to educational resources and information sharing

among students, teachers and staff, while prioritizing data security

#### Services Enrolled In:

- Assessment and Evaluation Systems
- Classroom Software Applications
- Curriculum Staff Development
- Data Driven Instruction and Analysis
- Distance Education
- Online Virtual Education
- School Library Services

**Networking Services** 

Technology Integration

**Services Enrolled In:** 

Internet Services

Enhanced Security Service

Senior Technician Services

Video Security Systems

VoIP Phone Services

#### **Did you know Instructional Support Services and Professional Learning Services** also offers:

- Instructional Media Resources
- Special Education Professional Development
- Strategic Planning



# **Thank You**

Famed author Helen Keller once wrote, "Alone we can do so little. Together we can do so much." The components of Erie 1 BOCES empower educators across our region, providing a collective impact. Thank you for continuously looking to the future to evolve programs that align with the needs of students, school districts and communities!

# What is BOCES?

Erie 1 Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) is a regional school cooperative providing instructional and professional services in order to empower others and transform lives. In 1957, school districts in Erie County created Erie 1 BOCES to collaborate on educational offerings while reducing their individual expenses and enhancing quality. Erie 1 BOCES exists to meet your school district's needs.

# Mission

Erie 1 BOCES commits to those we serve - students, staff and communities - by 4 understanding, anticipating and responding to their needs.

## **Technical Services**

Provides district staff the support, resources and solutions needed to leverage technology in a successful learning environment

#### **Services Enrolled In:**

- Directory Integration
- Email and Spam Filtering Software
- Field Technicians
- Hardware Maintenance and Repair
- LAN/WAN Technical Support
- Mobile Device Management

#### **Did you know Technical** Services also offers:

- Cloud System Support
- Disaster Recovery Consultation
- District IT Management



- BOCES aid, budget information and professional development numbers based on 2022-23 budget
- Duplication of student counts may occur due to dual enrollment

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#### Did you know Networking Services also offers:

- Malware and Virus Removal Software
- Remote Computer Management

## **Student Information Systems**

Supports the implementation of software and systems needed to manage K-12 student data

#### Services Enrolled In:

**Online Registration and Student Electronic Forms** 

- Special Education Tracking Software
- Student Management Software

#### **Did you know Student Information Systems also** offers:

- AIS/RTI Tracking Software
- Cafeteria Point of Sale Software
- Medicaid Billing Assistance
- New York State Data Reporting Support
- Student Health Tracking Software

• Enrollment data is from 2022-23