



St. Bernard Parish Public Schools **"Celebrating our Successes... One Student at a Time!"**

Celebrating our Students' Achievements!

Our students' academic achievement levels have continually risen over the past four years and now surpass pre-Katrina achievement levels. The Chalmette High School Seniors, Class of 2009, captured over \$3 million in college scholarships. Also, for the first time, CHS sophomores were recognized by ACT for their scores on the PLAN test, or pre-ACT, meaning these students are well on their way to achieving high scores on the college entrance test.

Some of the achievements of our students included:

- CHS students scored in the top 5 at Literary Rally in Accounting, Advanced Math, Biology, Business Math, Calculus, English IV, Environmental Science, Human Development, World History, and tied Rummel for Sweepstakes Award in Public Speaking events.
- Students scored 1st place honors and more at the National Academic Games tournament in Tennessee.
- CHS athletes qualified for playoffs or state in cross country, volleyball, girls' basketball, track, power-lifting, golf, and softball.
- School drama presentations included *Harvey*, *Night at the Inn* (an original work), *Into the Woods*, *Annie*, and *Treasure Island* (an original adaptation).



Chalmette's top honor graduates are congratulated by Dr. Lauren Sass Bailey, CHS Class of 1998.

Chalmette High School's Class of 2009 was awarded in excess of \$3 million in college scholarships!

- Trist's Chorale performed live at Carnegie Hall in New York City.

The St. Bernard Parish Public Schools celebrate the following successes:

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| • Accredited by Southern Assoc. of Colleges/Schls. | • Financial audits without exception for 15+ years |
| • Universal preschool programs | • Strong college/career preparation programs |
| • State-certified, highly qualified teachers | • Rich cultural arts programs, K-12 |
| • 100% technology-rich classrooms, 2nd to none | • Award-winning, 21st century facilities for learning |



David Fernandez, Chief Financial Officer, receives a Merit Award from the Bureau of Governmental Research for outstanding management of school district finances. He is pictured with Board member Cliff Englande and Superintendent Doris Voitier.

St. Bernard Parish Public Elementary Schools have full-time librarians, music, art, and PE teachers. Most elementary schools in our state consider these luxuries which they cannot provide to their students.

Over 500 students participate in after-school programs at our elementary schools. These programs are free-of-charge and provide academic tutoring, recreation, and cultural arts activities to students on a rotating basis.

