

## Western Suffolk BOCES Program Sites 2015-16

### ▲ Career & Technical Education Sites

1. Wilson Tech, Dix Hills Campus
2. Wilson Tech, Huntington Campus
3. Wilson Tech, Northport Campus
4. Wilson Tech Republic Airport Campus

### ■ Special Education Centers

5. J.E. Allen Elementary School, Dix Hills
6. J.E. Allen Jr/Sr High School, Dix Hills
7. J.E. Allen Alternative Program, Wheatley Heights  
ALC Office, Wheatley Heights
2. Manor Plains High School, Huntington
8. Brennan Middle/High School, N. Babylon

### ● Special Education District-Based Classes

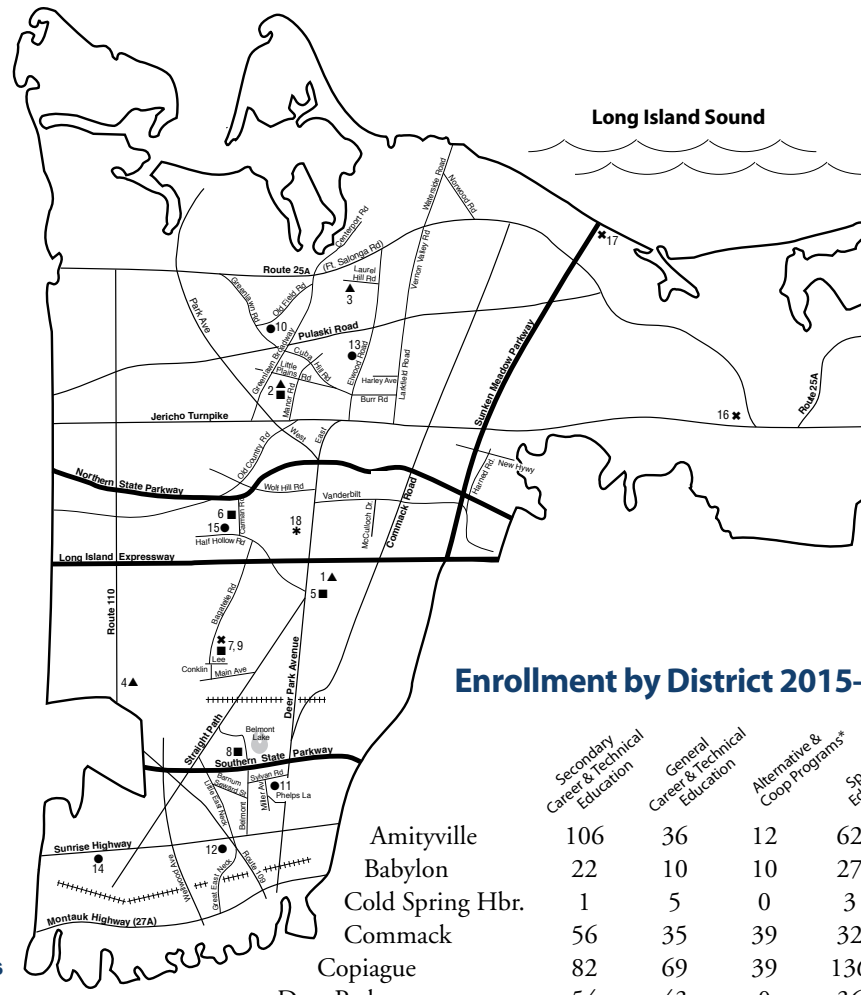
10. Oldfield Middle School, Harborfields
11. William E. Deluca Elementary School, N. Babylon
12. West Babylon Senior High School, W. Babylon
13. John Glenn High School, Elwood
14. South Oaks Hospital, Amityville
15. Sagamore Intensive Day Treatment

### ✖ Division of Instructional Support Services

9. Staff Offices at Wheatley Heights
16. Outdoor Learning Laboratory, Caleb Smith
17. Outdoor Learning Laboratory, Sunken Meadow  
Outdoor Learning Laboratory, Connetquot  
(not shown)

### \* Administrative Offices

18. Western Suffolk BOCES  
Central Administration, Dix Hills



Enrollment by District 2015-16

	Secondary Career & Technical Education	General Career & Technical Education	Alternative & Coop Programs*	Special Education
Amityville	106	36	12	62
Babylon	22	10	10	27
Cold Spring Hbr.	1	5	0	3
Commack	56	35	39	32
Copiague	82	69	39	136
Deer Park	54	43	0	36
Elwood	34	25	1	11
Half Hollow Hills	44	95	3	46
Harborfields	26	16	1	20
Huntington	47	43	12	60
Kings Park	49	8	10	19
Lindenhurst	136	36	0	44
North Babylon	68	21	2	68
Northport	37	33	2	51
Smithtown	72	48	1	55
South Huntington	72	49	20	47
West Babylon	85	51	15	56
Wyandanch	41	14	20	45
Itinerant (from all 18 districts)				322
Western Suffolk BOCES		93		
Other BOCES	2	2	0	87
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1034</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>1227</b>

\* Co-enrolled in Secondary CTE

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# Welcome to Western Suffolk BOCES



2015-2016

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The Board of Cooperative Educational Services provides educational programs and opportunities to meet distinct needs within 18 local school districts. One of three BOCES on Long Island, Western Suffolk BOCES provides 70 services to two or more districts more economically and efficiently than one district alone can provide. Western Suffolk BOCES helps school-age children and adults gain the skills and knowledge they need to be successful in the workplace and/or continue their studies in post-secondary institutions.

Western Suffolk BOCES has an elected Board of seven representatives from the 210 square mile area that makes up the western Suffolk County towns of Babylon, Huntington and Smithtown. BOCES Board members are elected by the Boards of Education of the 18 participating districts for three-year terms and are responsible for policy governing this BOCES.

The Boards of Cooperative Educational Services were created in 1948 by the New York State Legislature. Today 37 BOCES in New York State serve 721 local school districts.

## Career & Technical Education

This division provides career and technical training to more than 2,000 secondary students as well as 10,000 adults at the four campuses of Wilson Technological Center. Online learning opportunities are available for both high school students and adults. The Center for Alternative Education provides students the opportunity to earn a diploma from their local high schools or prepare for the equivalency exam.

Advertising/Graphic Design	Electronic Manufacturing*
Aircraft Technology	Electronics/Robotics/Computer Repair
Architectural Design/CAD	Equine Studies
Audio Production	Fashion Merchandising/Design
Auto Body Repair	Food Services*
Auto Maintenance*	Health Care Skills*
Automotive Technology	Heating/Ventilation/AC/Plumbing
Aviation Science/Flight	Intro to Computer Graphics/Design*
Building & Grounds Maintenance*	Intro to Cosmetology*
Carpentry	Marine & Motor Sports Tech.
Certified Personal Trainer	Medical Assisting
Community/Workplace Exploration*	Medical Laboratory
Computer Networking	Nurse Assisting
Computer and Business Skills	Office Skills*
Construction Electricity	Physical Therapy Aide
Cosmetology	Professional Health Careers
Criminal Justice	Professional Photography
Crosswalk to Tech*	Retailing*
Culinary Arts	Small Animal Care Skills*
Digital Film & Video Prod.	Veterinary Assisting
Early Childhood Education	Welding

\*smaller class size program

## Instructional Support Services

Western Suffolk BOCES offers a variety of instructional support, planning, and technology services that take advantage of experienced instructional staff and educators knowledgeable about technological advances. Offerings include:

- Regional Intranet Services
- Comprehensive School Health/Student Support Services
- Instructional Technology Support Services
- Law Related Education Programs
- Outdoor/Environmental Education
- Exploratory Enrichment
- School Library System
- Professional Learning Programs
- Regional Academic Summer School
- Technology Planning & Integration Services
- School Improvement Services
- Long Range Planning Studies (demographics/space assessment)
- Automated Educational Substitute Operator (AESOP)
- Regional State Test Center
- Suffolk's Edge Teacher Center
- Distance Learning Services
- Guidance Services

## Special Education

Upon request of the local Committees on Special Education, BOCES provides highly individualized educational programs to meet the unique needs of children, ages 5 to 21, who have disabilities that typically require more intensive service than can be delivered within the local school district. Non-disabled students who require specialized services also attend programs within Special Education.

Approximately 1,000 students with intellectual disabilities; autism; physical, emotional or sensory impairments; or some combination of these disabilities attend BOCES centers or classes in participating school districts. BOCES itinerant teachers provide diagnostic and support services to another 450 students in their local school districts. BOCES provides high quality instruction that enhances each student's communication and social interaction and builds skills for Regents-level coursework or functioning academic skills.

BOCES alternative programs provide a nurturing environment with appropriate support services. Our instructional programs are individualized and provide a full array of special and related services as well as academic instruction similar to that available in local school districts. Classes are highly structured to facilitate behavioral changes that may help the student return to general education.

## Western Suffolk BOCES at-a-glance

### Facilities

Owned by Western Suffolk BOCES	8
Leased from component districts	
Buildings	1
Sites with Alternate Learning Classrooms	4
Other leased buildings	1

### Western Suffolk BOCES 2015–2016 Budget

Number of Grants (2014–2015 actual)	14
Number of Services	70
Districts participating from:	
Western Suffolk BOCES	18
Nassau BOCES	53
Eastern Suffolk BOCES	41
Other BOCES	15
Budget (adopted) 2015–2016	\$160,435,516
Special Aid and Grant Revenue (2014–2015 actual)	<u>\$12,174,520</u>
<b>Total (estimated)</b>	<b>\$172,610,036</b>

### Western Suffolk BOCES Staff

Administrators and Supervisors (FTE)	46
Teaching Staff (FTE)	308
Teaching Assistants (FTE)	5
Clerical (FTE)	105
Aides (FTE)	431
Physical/Occupational Therapists & Nurses (FTE)	50
Adult Instructors (part-time)	135
Food Services Staff (FTE)	23
Technical Staff (FTE)	9
Custodial/Maintenance (FTE)	62
Other	24

## Administration & Management Services

- Local Liaison to SED
- Certification Office
- Online Application

Cross-contract services available through Western Suffolk BOCES:

- Arts-in-Education
- Negotiations
- Cultural Arts Center
- Regional Data Processing
- Employee Assistance Program
- School Bus Safety

## Local Funding & State Aid

Western Suffolk BOCES is financially supported by its 18 participating school districts as well as state and federal grants. Every April, the 18 participating Boards of Education vote on the BOCES

### Western Suffolk BOCES Supervisory District

Townships:	Babylon, Huntington, Smithtown
Geographics:	210 sq. miles
Population:	534,668 (2010 census)
Local school districts	18

### Local District Student enrollment 2015–16

Amityville	3,108
Babylon	1,571
Cold Spring Harbor	1,803
Commack	7,126
Copiague	5,021
Deer Park	4,136
Elwood	2,288
Half Hollow Hills	8,640
Harborfields	3,234
Huntington	4,520
Kings Park	3,408
Lindenhurst	6,170
North Babylon	4,726
Northport/East Northport	5,600
Smithtown	9,436
South Huntington	5,992
West Babylon	3,984
Wyandanch	2,521
<b>Total Public School Enrollment</b>	<b>83,284</b>

Administrative Budget. The costs associated with the BOCES Administrative Budget and the Capital Budget are borne by the 18 participating school districts based on a three-year weighted average daily attendance rate.

School districts that request Western Suffolk BOCES services pay a prorated service fee or tuition as itemized in a shared-services contract. School districts receive state aid on many services based on the previous year's audited expenses of BOCES programs and services. The wealth of each component district, its aid ratio and the cost of Western Suffolk BOCES services determine how much aid participating districts receive. Local districts receive their state aid for the BOCES programs and services they used in the year following the district's expenditures.