We serve 360+ students in grades 6–12 from 15+ communities in the Berkshires.

Berkshire Arts & Technology (BART) Charter Public School is a tuition-free public school.

We are committed to expanding opportunities for our students to ensure that they are well prepared for college and provided with the tools for personal success.

We believe that arts and technology support learning.

**1:1**
Student : Computer ratio for grades 11 and 12
Students have extensive exposure to the arts. Core and elective classes are required in all grades.

We emphasize a college-focused school culture from day one.

**100%**
of all BART graduates have been accepted into college before graduating from high school.

**100%**
of all BART graduates have passed at least one college course while at BART.

We build strong relationships.

**11:1**
Student : Teacher
We assign every student a faculty advisor who meets with his or her advisees weekly to discuss their academic progress.

Our students spend more time in school.

We have longer school days and a longer school year.

College Counseling
Whereas only 10% of high school counselors in the U.S. are frequently taking students on college campus tours, College Counselors at BART acknowledge college campus tours as a core part of the college prep/advising experience.

In 2017-18
BART visited **13** college campuses
**33** college reps visited BART

Spring 2018 MCAS Results

- **100%** of BART 10th grade students scored proficient or advanced on the 10th grade ELA exam.
- **96%** of BART 10th grade students scored proficient or advanced on the 10th grade Science exam.
- **94%** of BART 10th grade students scored proficient or advanced on the 10th grade Math exam.

Senior Graduation Requirements

- take the PSAT and SAT (or ACT)
- pass a college course at a local college
- complete an 80 hour internship
- present a portfolio to a panel of community leaders and college representatives
- submit an application to college

“BART has demonstrated time after time that we are more than just an educational institution—we are a community. A community that tries to bring everyone together alike. Teachers, students, staff, and families, all working jointly to create a comfortable home for one another.”

— Gerardo, class of 2018