



Thomas E. Bowe Middle School
BOARD REPORT
September 2026

Principal – Lauren Kerr
Assistant Principal – Frank Geiger

PERSONNEL

- Appointments:
- Resignation/Retirement: Kimberly DiMeo-teacher; Monae Williams-paraprofessional
- Staff Evaluations to Date - 0
 - Tenured: 0
 - Nontenured: 0
 - Non-Certificated Staff: 0

NOTE: 2026-27 Observation schedule is almost finalized. Formal observations will begin week of September 21st

COMMITTEE MEETINGS & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- **Staff Inservice Days**– 9/1 and 9/2

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION (C&I)

- Unit Plans & Curriculum Rewrites - N/A
- 9/2-iReady Training for Math and ELA teachers

SPECIAL EVENTS

- **Ambassador Training (8/25)** – Mr. Geiger trained our 7th and 8th Grade Bowe ambassadors in preparation for their participation in our 6th Grade Transition Camp.
- **Bowe 6th Grade Transition Camp (8/26)** – Bowe MS hosted a transition camp for our 6th Grade students on August 26th from 10 AM to 12 PM. Over 80 students were grouped with upperclassmen ambassadors and were guided through various aspects of the Thomas E. Bowe Middle School experience.
- **Open House (8/31)**-Bowe MS hosted an open house from 12 PM to 2 PM for any new or transfer student or any upcoming 6th grader who is unable to attend the Transition Camp.
- **Bowe Back to School Night/Mental Health Community Fair (9/24)** - The Thomas E. Bowe Middle School Back to School Night program is scheduled for Thursday, September 24, 2026. The program will begin promptly at 6:15 PM. Our

Mental Health Community Fair will be stationed within Bowe's former media center space during Back to School Night.

OPERATIONS/FACILITIES-

- Bowe Roof Project and Gym Construction Still Underway-Gym will not be able to be accessed until later in September
- **Thank you to the Custodial/Maintenance Crews** – We appreciate our GPSD custodial and maintenance crews under the direction of Miguel Olivo for all they do in the summer months to prepare us for the opening of school.

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES (Guidance/SAC/CST)

- N/A

BULLDOG PRIDE

- **Hollybush Back to School Event (8/27)**-Hollybush Gardens once again hosted its Back to School Event where members of Bowe and other Glassboro schools set up a table for community outreach. The event was from 4:00-6:30pm. Due to bad storms/flooding, this event was pushed inside the Hollybush Community Center and fewer staff members were able to attend due to the driving conditions.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Staff Inservice Days-** 9/1/26 and 9/2/26
- **Advisor's Meeting-**9/1/26
- **Faculty Meeting/Safety and Security Meeting** – 9/2/26
- **School Leadership Team (SLT)** – 9/2/26
- **Math/ELA/Special Education iReady Training-**9/2/26
- **Science/Social StudiesPLC Meeting-**9/2/26
- **First Student Day** – 9/8/26
- **iReady Testing Window** – TBD
- **SciP (School Improvement Panel)** – 9/16/26
- **Attendance Meeting-**9/23/26
- **Back to School Night** – 9/24/26