

## ACTIVITIES AND CLUBS

While enrolled in this magnet program, students have the opportunity to participate in the following activities and clubs:

- Academic team
- All sports teams: baseball (boys), basketball, cheerleading, cross country, flag football (girls), football, golf, soccer, softball (girls), swimming, tennis, track, volleyball (girls) and wrestling
- Art Club
- Color Guard
- Debate Team
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)
- Future Farmers of America (FFA)
- Future Teacher Club
- Greek Club
- Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)
- Key Club
- Mu Alpha Theta
- Multicultural Club
- National Honor Society
- Spanish Honor Society
- Student Government
- Thespan Drama Club
- Yearbook

## POINTS OF PRIDE

- Syndicated Sound, 30 years of straight superior ratings, Florida Vocal Association district evaluations
- Nine-time participant, Music for All National Leadership Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
- Four-time participant, National Show Choir Competition, Branson, MO.
- National Band & Orchestra Festival, Carnegie Hall
- Bands of America National Concert Band Festival, Indianapolis, IN.
- San Francisco International Wind Festival
- International Wind Band Festival, John F. Kennedy Performing Arts Center

## HOW TO APPLY

Students living anywhere in the county can apply to this school during the designated application period. Please check the district website at [www.pcsb.org](http://www.pcsb.org) for more information. There are entrance criteria to apply for this magnet school.

## TRANSPORTATION

Arterial bus transportation (buses that operate on main roads with a limited number of stops) is provided to students who live more than two miles from the school. Magnet bus stop locations may require that parents drive their children to and from the stop.

## OUR MISSION

The mission of the Tarpon Springs Leadership Conservatory for the Arts Magnet Program is to provide youth with the right tools and an environment that allows them to explore, shape and clearly articulate –from a point of experience – their visions for their futures through the integration of leadership and the performing arts. The Tarpon Springs High School Leadership Conservatory for The Arts is dedicated to providing a leadership curriculum that develops each individual's ability for leadership, an outstanding arts experience, a technology education, and a rigorous academic program. Through the study and participation in performing arts groups, the conservatory program allows individuals to develop artistry, poise, confidence, and self-discipline. Students develop an understanding and love for the arts and the process for success in every aspect of their life. The conservatory membership reflects the cultural and economic diversity of our community, brought together in a joyful, caring and supportive environment.



## Tarpon Springs High School

Leadership Conservatory for the Arts

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# Leadership Conservatory for the Arts

TARPON SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL



MAGNET SCHOOLS & PROGRAMS

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## ABOUT US

The Leadership Conservatory for the Arts provides an outstanding opportunity for instrumental and vocal music students. Built on the success and foundation of the nationally acclaimed Tarpon Springs High Leadership and Music Conservatory, this magnet program provides youth with the right tools and constructive environment to allow them to explore, shape and clearly articulate their own vision for the future. Students develop leadership skills, receive advanced instruction in the performing arts, learn the effective use of technology and undertake challenging academics.

## areas of study

### LEADERSHIP, ACADEMICS, TECHNOLOGY, ARTS

Leadership development is integrated into all elements of the conservatory's curriculum. We teach that leadership is the ability of a single individual to motivate others to higher levels of achievement. The conservatory offers traditional, Honors and Advanced Placement educational opportunities to accommodate individual capabilities and learning levels. The rigorous academic program integrates the core curriculum disciplines of math, science, social studies and language arts. Going beyond traditional methods to embrace the shift in today's advanced world with a unique, innovative

approach, each classroom is partnered with a corporate sponsor and adjunct faculty. Due to these unique partnerships, students will be able to transform their passions and personal interests into potential scholarships and promising career goals. Advanced technology is integrated into all aspects of the learning environment.

Wireless campus networks provide connectivity to the Internet and a variety of databases and instructional material for today's "digital kids." Research has shown that

## what is a magnet?

Magnet programs focus on a certain theme with specialized curriculum in areas such as arts, communication, science and technology, and gifted studies. Some programs have eligibility requirements. Students living anywhere in the county may apply.

## ADMISSIONS CRITERIA

The program is designed for incoming 9th-grade students who are interested in exploring and developing their leadership skills in the performing arts. Students without extensive formal training who want to develop their talent and have the desire to be leaders need to apply. No auditions required. Applicants are expected to have satisfactory discipline and attendance records.

the ability to be artistically innovative and creative is a tremendous asset in the educational environment and beyond. Proficiency in the arts affirms the student's sense of self-worth and builds a level of confidence that will result in improved academic performance and personal discipline. In 2009-10, the conservatory will offer instrumental music, orchestra and vocal music. Visual arts, theater and dance will be added as the program expands.



Tarpon Springs High Wind Ensemble  
Carnegie Hall  
New York, NY



Tarpon Springs High Syndicated Sound  
National Show Choir Championships  
Branson, MO

Tarpon Springs High Wind Ensemble  
John F. Kennedy Performing Arts Center  
Washington, D.C.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- At least one core arts course every semester
- 18-week freshman leadership course
- Sophomore college prep arts discipline course
- 18-week junior computer technology course
- Senior leadership teaching methods
- State/national exhibits, performances, festivals
- Master classes with professional artists
- National leadership conferences
- Seminars with national artists, clinicians
- Technology-infused arts, academic classes
- Dedicated conservatory counselor/advisor