



**2019-2020
Academic Profile
COUNTRYSIDE HIGH SCHOOL**

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HOME OF THE COUGARS

MISSION STATEMENT

At Countryside High School, SUCCESS is our goal! We will provide the tools and instruction needed for the success of our students.

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Countryside High School is a comprehensive 4-year high school located on the west coast of Florida in the Tampa Bay area. Countryside is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

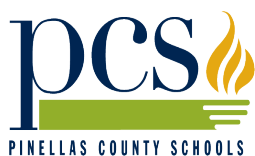
Countryside utilizes a 7 period scheduling format. Our school year is divided into 2 semesters. Students are enrolled in 7 classes per day. They earn 7 credits per school year.

We offer Exceptional Student Education (ESE) and English as a Second Language (ESOL) programs.

Dual Enrollment and the Early College Program are available to students in partnership with St. Petersburg College. Early Admission is available to our students at St. Petersburg College, University of Florida and the University of South Florida Honors program.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT

Approx. 1,800 students



ADVANCED PLACEMENT

- American Government
- Art 2D
- Art 3D
- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Chinese Lang & Culture
- Computer Science
- Drawing
- English Composition
- English Literature
- Environmental Science
- European History
- Human Geography
- Microeconomics
- Music Theory
- Physics C: Elect & Magnet
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Psychology
- Research
- Seminar
- Statistics
- US History
- World History

HONORS COURSES

- Algebra II
- American Government
- Analysis of Functions
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Band
- Biology
- Calculus
- Chemistry
- Chorus
- Chinese
- Economics
- English
- French
- Geometry
- Journalism
- Marine Science
- Physics
- Pre-Calculus
- Spanish
- Trigonometry
- Theater
- US History
- World History

DUAL ENROLLMENT

- Composition I/II
- College Algebra
- Intermediate Algebra

- The College Experience
- United States History I
- United States History II

Graduation Requirements for a 4-year 24 credit diploma	
TOTAL CREDITS	24 credits
English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science	3 credits
Social Studies	3 credits
HOPE (Physical Education/Health)	1 credit
Fine Arts/Practical Arts	1 credit
Online Course	1 credit
Grade Point Average	2.00 for all credits earned
State Assessment	Passing Score on Grade 10 Reading FSA and Algebra 1 EOC

ACT Scores	2018 - 2019 CHS Mean Score	State
English	19.8	19
Mathematics	20.7	19.4
Reading	21.1	21.0
Science	20.6	19.4
Composite	20.7	19.8

SAT Scores	2018 - 2019 CHS Mean Score	State	National Average
Reading/Writing	532	520	536
Mathematics	500	497	531

A sampling of some of the Industry Certifications offered at Countryside High School 2019-2020

- ✿ Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Rich Media Communication Using Adobe - Flash
- ✿ Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Visual Communication With Adobe – Photoshop
- ✿ Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Web Communication using Adobe – Dreamweaver
- ✿ Adobe Certified Associate (ACA) Illustrator
- ✿ CompTIA A+
- ✿ CompTIA Network+
- ✿ CompTIA Security+
- ✿ Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) Bundle Certification (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- ✿ Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) - Networking Fundamentals
- ✿ Microsoft Office Master Certification
- ✿ Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) - Security Fundamentals
- ✿ Early Childhood Professional Certification
- ✿ Biotechnician Assistant Credential
- ✿ ServSafe Certification

Institute of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (ISTEM)

The Institute of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (ISTEM) is a magnet application program designed for students with strong skills and interest in the STEM fields. All entry level ISTEM students will take Digital Information Technology and Technology Studies. After satisfying that requirement, students will then choose to follow one of the following strands: Biotechnology, Cybersecurity, Engineering, Computer Systems and Information Technology, Web Design, Digital Design or Gaming. The students will be grouped as a cohort in common classes in the core subjects of math, science, English, and social studies. The program director and guidance counselor will be able to give students more specific information about their course selections each year.