



**2020-2021  
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).

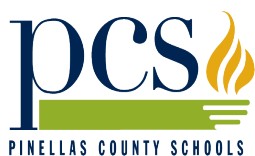
Countryside utilizes a 7 period scheduling format. Our school year is divided into 2 semesters. Students are enrolled in 7 classes per day. They earn 7 credits per school year.

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. 1,700 students



**ADVANCED PLACEMENT**

- American Government
- Art 2D
- Art 3D
- Art History
- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Drawing
- English Composition
- English Literature
- Environmental Science
- European History
- Human Geography
- Microeconomics
- Music Theory
- Physics 1
- Physics C: Elect & Magnet
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Psychology
- Research
- Seminar
- Spanish Language & Culture
- Statistics
- US History
- World History

**DUAL ENROLLMENT**

- Composition I/II
- College Algebra
- Intermediate Algebra

**HONORS COURSES**

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

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

<b>Graduation Requirements for a 4-year 24 credit diploma</b>	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	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	2019 - 2020 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	2019 - 2020 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 2020-2021

- ✿ 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.