2021-2022
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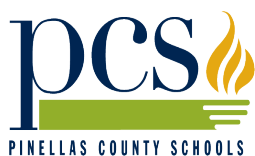 Colleges and Schools (SACS). Countryside utilizes a 7 period scheduling format. Our school year is divided into 2 semesters. Students are enrolled in 7 classes per day. They earn 7 credits per school year.

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
Art History
Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry
Computer Science
Drawing
English Composition
English Literature
Environmental Science
European History
French
Human Geography
Macroeconomics
Microeconomics
Music Theory
Physics 1
Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism
Physics C: Mechanics
Psychology
Research
Seminar
Spanish Lang & Culture
Statistics
US History
World History

HONORS COURSES
Algebra 1
Algebra 2
American Government
Analysis of Functions
Anatomy and Physiology
Band
Biology
Calculus
Chemistry
Chorus
Economics
Environmental Science
English
French
Geometry
Keyboard
Journalism
Marine Science
Personal Financial Literacy
Pre-Calculus
Probability & Statistics
Spanish
Technical Theater
Trigonometry
Theater
United States History
World History

DUAL ENROLLMENT
Composition 1
Composition 2
College Algebra
Intermediate Algebra

The College Experience
United States History 1
United States History 2

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

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ACT Scores	2021-2022 CHS Mean Score	State
English	20.2	20.1
Mathematics	19.9	20.4
Reading	20.8	21.2
Science	20.4	20.6
Composite	20.5	20.7

SAT Scores	2021-2022 CHS Mean Score	State	National Average
Reading/Writing	530	512	528
Mathematics	513	479	523

A sampling of some of the Industry Certifications offered at Countryside High School 2021-2022

- 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. After satisfying that requirement, students will then choose to follow one of the following strands: Biotechnology, Computer Systems and Information Technology, Cybersecurity, Digital Design, Engineering, Game & Simulation, Web Application Development & Programming. The program director and guidance counselor will be able to give students more specific information about their course selections each year.