

2018-2019 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. 1,900 students



ADVANCED PLACEMENT

American Government

Art 2D
Art 3D
Art History
Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry

Chinese Lang & Culture Computer Science

Drawing

English Composition
English Literature
Environmental Science
Human Geography
Microeconomics
Music Theory

Physics C: Elect & Magnet Physics C: Mechanics

Psychology Research Seminar Statistics US History World History

POST SECONDARY PLANS

4 Year College 74% 2 Year College 5%

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
The College Experience
Intermediate Algebra
College Algebra
United States History I
United States History II
Introduction to Chemistry

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	2017 - 2018	State
Scores	CHS Mean Score	
English	19.8	18.9
Mathematics	20.7	19.5
Reading	21.1	21.1
Science	20.6	19.5
Composite	20.7	19.9

SAT Scores	2017 - 2018 CHS Mean Score	State	National Average
Reading/Writing	506	481	510
Mathematics	515	475	510

Grading Scale A = 90 - 100 B = 80 - 89 C = 70 - 79 D = 60 - 69 F = 0 - 59

A sampling of some of the Industry Certifications offered at Countryside High School 2018-2019

- 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.