



Poinciana High School

School Profile 2019-20

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Poinciana High School is a comprehensive, 4-year public school offering a well-rounded educational program to students from the Osceola-Polk County line to the Poinciana Community in Osceola County. PHS opened its doors in the Fall of 1991 and graduated its first senior class the same year. Poinciana High School is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

The academic program is organized into seven periods a day. Students can earn seven credits per year from their course load; students spend an average of 55 minutes in each period. PHS offers 22 Advanced Placement courses in a variety of subject areas.

2018-2019 Data

2018-2019 Enrollment	1998
Class of 2019 Enrollment	452
Class of 2019 Graduation Rate	90%

Class of 2019 GPA Data

Top 10% Unweighted GPA Range	3.48-4.0
Top 10% Weighted GPA Range	3.77-4.48
Average Total Unweighted GPA	2.74
Average Total Weighted GPA	2.89

Grading and Grade Point Average

Letter	Equivalent	Quality Points	Honors	DE/AP
A	90-100	4	4.5	5
B	80-89	3	3.5	4
C	70-79	2	2.5	3
D	60-69	1		
F	0-59	0		

GPA is computed using the above system. Beginning with grade nine, all subjects, whether passed or failed, are included in the computation.

A minimum of 24 credits are required for graduation. In addition, each student must complete .5 credits in an online course, as well as, pass various state assessments.

AP & DE courses are weighted by one (1) point and Honors courses by one half (.5) point.

Grades are recorded on the transcript and GPA is calculated in January and June.

Current Enrollment

Demographics

American Indian/Alaskan Native	8.1%	English Language Learners	20.5%
Asian	3.1%	Exceptional Student Education Population	15.3%
Black	23.5%	FIT (Homeless)	1.8%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	.95%	Free/Reduced Lunch	100%
White	67.8%		
Hispanic Ethnicity	66.7%	Non-Hispanic Ethnicity	33.3%

2018-2019 College Admissions Test Scores

School	SAT		ACT
	M - 445	R - 489	17.34
State	Composite:- 1014		Composite: 20.8
National	Composite: 1068		Composite: 19.9

2018-2019 AP Results

Advanced Placement Results	
Exams Taken	769
Number Scoring 3 or Higher	142
AP Pass Rate	28.2%

2018-2019 Dual Enrollment Numbers

Technical Education Center of Osceola	19
Valencia College	32
Polk State College	0
University of Central Florida	0
University of Florida	2

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Class of 2018-2019 Post-Secondary College/University Acceptances

Class of 2019 Post-Graduation Plans		4 Year College Destinations Totals	
4 Year College/Univ.	15%	State University System	28
2-Year College	45%	Florida Private College/Univ.	16
Military	1%	Out of State College/Univ.	10
Vocational School	12%		
Other	27%		

Acceptances into Top 100 Ranked Schools (US News and World Report)		
Florida State University		
University of Florida		

Course Offerings			
Advanced Placement Courses		Honors Courses	
AP Biology	AP Human Geography	English 1, 2, 3, 4 Honors	Biology 1 Honors
AP Chemistry	AP World History	Algebra 1 Honors	Chemistry 1 & 2 Honors
AP Physics 1	AP US History	Algebra 2 Honors	Physics 1 & 2 Honors
AP Environmental Science	AP US Government	Geometry Honors	Anatomy & Physiology Honors
AP English Language	AP Psychology	Pre-Calculus Honors	Marine Science 1 Honors
AP English Literature	AP Studio Art 2-D	Probability & Statistics Honors	World History Honors
AP Calculus AB	AP Studio Drawing	Band 5 & 6 Honors	US History Honors
AP Statistics	AP Music Theory	Inst Ensemble 4 Honors	US Government Honors
AP Research	AP Computer Science	Jazz Ensemble 4 Honors	Economics Honors
AP Spanish	AP Seminar	2-D Studio Art 3 Honors	Theatre 3 & 4 Honors
AP Spanish Literature		Genetics Honors	

Special Programs	
AVID	Academy of Financial Services
ASCEND	Academy of Culinary Design & Operations
Academy of Industry + Engineering	Academy of Media Marketing Management
Academy of Building Construction Technology	Academy of Automotive Service Technology
Academy of Health & Medical Sciences	

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Advanced Placement
Dual Enrollment
Honors
College Prep

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