

ST. PETERSBURG COLLEGIATE HIGH SCHOOL ST. PETERSBURG/GIBBS CAMPUS • 2024

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COMMUNITY

St. Petersburg Collegiate High School is a charter school operated by St. Petersburg College and under the umbrella of Pinellas County Schools. Pinellas County is the seventh largest county in the state with over 974,000 residents. The county is a peninsula that is bordered by the Gulf of Mexico on the west and Tampa Bay on the east. The white sand beaches are popular with tourists from around the world.

MISSION AND VISION

MISSION

SPCHS students will simultaneously earn a high school diploma, an Associate in Arts degree, and a Bright Futures scholarship.

VISION

At SPCHS, we cultivate motivated learners, develop critical thinkers, and empower visionary leaders.

ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

St. Petersburg College (SPC) opened St. Petersburg Collegiate High School (SPCHS) in 2004 to offer students in grades 10–12 a unique choice that melds secondary and post-secondary curriculum leading to the obtainment of a high school diploma and an Associate in Arts degree. Admission to SPCHS is by application and students are selected via a random lottery.

St. Petersburg Collegiate High School consists of two programs: The Pre-Collegiate Program for students in Grade 10 and the Collegiate Program for students in grades 11–12. The tenth-grade curriculum supports three major objectives: mastery of the Florida's B.E.S.T. Standards, completion of required courses for high school graduation, and preparation for college-level academics (no IB/AP/AICE offered). Students in the Collegiate Program are fully dual enrolled in all college coursework leading to the completion of the requirements for an Associate in Arts degree College Catalog | St. Petersburg College (spcollege.edu). All college courses are taught by SPC professors on the St. Petersburg/Gibbs campus. Students in the Collegiate Program also participate in the SPCHS Leadership Program and create an electronic portfolio as part of the Senior Capstone Night.

REQUIREMENTS FOR A 24-CREDIT HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

3 credits Science (Biology required)

4 credits Mathematics (Algebra 1 and Geometry required)

3 credits Social Studies (World History, U.S. History, U.S.

Government, Economics with Financial Literacy)

Pass the Algebra I End of Course Exam

Pass the Grade 10 English Language Arts F.A.S.T.

4 credits English

1 credit Fine Arts

1 credit Health and Physical Education

8 elective credits

1 Online course

Minimum 2.0 GPA required

REQUIREMENTS FOR AN ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

6 credits college-level Mathematics

3 credits World View

6 credits Humanities

6 credits Social and Behavioral Science

6 credits Natural Sciences including lab

Foreign Language requirement (2 years high school, 2 semesters college credit, or pass the Foreign Language Equivalency Test)

3 credits Ethics

9 credits Communications

Computer Literacy Course or pass the

Competency Test

24 elective credits

Pass the Florida Civic Literacy Exam

SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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PSAT/NMSQT RESULTS

1 National Merit Finalist

PSAT RESULTS	TOTAL SCORE		PERCENT OF SPCHS STUDENTS WHO MET MATH BENCHMARK	PERCENT OF SPCHS STUDENTS WHO MET ERW BENCHMARK	PERCENT OF SPCHS STUDENTS WHO MET BOTH BENCHMARKS	
YEAR	SPCHS	DISTRICT	FL	WATTIBLINGTIMAKK	ERW BLINCHWARK	BOTH BENCHWARKS
2023–2024	1087	874	862	72%	91%	70%
2022–2023	1130	1035	934	69%	95%	69%
2021–2022	1144	995	944	71%	97%	71%

GRADUATION AND BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP RATES

ACADEMIC YEAR	NUMBER OF SENIORS	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION RATE	A.A. GRADUATION RATE	BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP
2023–2024	80	100%	97.5%	57.5%
2022–2023	87	100%	96.5%	61%
2021–2022	78	100%	95%	52.5%

FLORIDA STANDARDS TESTING

		SPCHS	DISTRICT	STATE
2023–2024	Geometry EOC	93%	54%	52%
	ELA F.A.S.T.	96%	51%	53%
	U.S. History EOC	98%	67%	68%
2022–2023	Geometry EOC	95%	38%	49%
	ELA FSA	85%	48%	50%
2021–2022	Geometry EOC	95%	40%	50%
	ELA FSA	96%	48%	49%

GRADING SCALE AND WEIGHTED POINTS FOR RANK

GRADING SCALE	BASIC	HONORS	DUAL ENROLLMENT	CLASS OF 2024 GPA QUARTILES
A = 90-100	4.0	4.5	5.0	1st : 4.76 - 4.53
B = 80–89	3.0	3.5	4.0	2nd : 4.53 - 4.30
C = 70-79	2.0	2.5	3.0	3rd : 4.25 - 3.91
D = 60-69	1.0	1.0	1.0	4th : 3.89 - 3.35
F = 0-59	0	0	0	

CLASS OF 2024 FUTURE PLANS

UNIVERSITY	TECHNICAL PROGRAM	MILITARY	TRAVEL / GAP YEAR	STANDOUT ACCEPTANCES
95%	2.5%	0	2.5%	UF, FSU, University of Miami

AWARDS AND HONORS

- SPCHS was named a National Blue Ribbon Exemplary High Performing School, 2017 and 2023
- Newsweek has named SPCHS one of "America's Top High Schools 2016" ranking SPCHS #2 in Florida and #55 in the nation, and #53 in the nation for helping students of poverty excel.
- U.S. News and World Reports ranked SPCHS a "Bronze" level school since 2013
- SPCHS has been designated a High Performing Charter School since 2011
- SPCHS is an accredited school through Cognia since 2008
- SPCHS has been designated an "A" school since opening in 2004