



SCHOOL PROFILE 2021-2022

CALVARY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL

is a ministry of Calvary Church. It is a co-educational, college-preparatory school serving over **750** students in grades 9-12. CCHS was established in 2000 and has become one of the largest Christian secondary schools in the country. Calvary Christian High School offers a balanced approach in its educational philosophy. A biblical worldview is foundational to our mission, which is fulfilled through students acquiring biblical truth, applying biblical truth, and attaining their highest level of academic achievement.

THE MISSION OF CCHS

is to partner with the Christian home and the church to provide a challenging college-preparatory Christian education that equips students to live successfully according to God's plan for their lives.



- 38** Men's & Women's Athletic Teams
- 2** State Champions (Past 5 Years)
- 5** State Runners-Up (Past 5 Years)
- 7** State Championship Appearances (Past 5 Years)
- 77** Student Athletes signed NLI's (Past 5 Years)

FINE & PERFORMING ARTS



Our fine and performing arts have received state and national recognition in all areas along with college scholarship offers to pursue their gifts and hone their talents in visual art, theater, dance, choir, band, and color guard.

COMMUNITY SERVICE



Because CCHS desires to instill a heart of service in our students, we do expect a minimum of 100 hours of community service as part of our graduation requirements.



THE CALVARY CHRISTIAN WARRIOR EXPERIENCE

OUR COMMUNITY

CCHS currently employs **61** full-time faculty members. **48%** of them hold advanced degrees. Student-to-faculty ratio is currently **12:1**

Our students come to us from several different K-8 partner schools as well as other public and private high schools in **Pinellas, Pasco, and Hillsborough** counties. They represent a range of demographic backgrounds.

OF THIS STUDENT POPULATION:

47% are females, **53%** are males

27% student diversity

29% attend on tuition assistance

167 Class of 2022, **173** Class of 2023

STUDENT LEADERSHIP & CLUBS

- Born For Club • Engineering Club • Fellowship of Christian Athletes • Fishing Club • International Thespian Society
- Key Club • Model UN Club • Odyssey of the Mind • S.H.I.E.L.D. (Serve, Honor, Integrity, Engage, Leader, Develop - Grades 11 & 12 only) • Student Government Association • Worldview & Debate Club • Worship Collective Club

HONOR SOCIETIES

- American Sign Language Honor Society • English Honor Society • Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society • National Honor Society • Rho Kappa Honor Society • Science National Honor Society • Spanish Honor Society

CCHS IS A MEMBER OF:

- Bay Area Independent Schools (**BAIS**) • National Association of College Admissions Counselors (**NACAC**) • Southern Association of College Admissions Counseling (**SACAC**) • North American Coalition of Christian Admissions Professionals (**NACCAP**) • Southern Baptists Association of Christian Schools (**SBACS**) • Florida High School Athletic Association (**FHSAA**)

OUR SCHOOL IS ACCREDITED BY:

- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (**SACS**) • Florida Council of Independent Schools (**FCIS**) • Association of Christian Schools International (**ACSI**)



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ACADEMIC PROGRAMS & OUTCOMES

CURRICULUM

Our college-preparatory curriculum is designed to develop students who can reason, research, express ideas, and think critically in order to prepare them for collegiate rigor. Additionally, we believe an excellent education encompasses and impacts the whole person; therefore, the educational environment at CCHS enables faculty to influence both the minds and hearts of their students and to instill in them the wisdom, knowledge, and servant leadership required to be truly successful. This is accomplished as we integrate the truths of God's Word into every subject area and teach from a Biblical worldview.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

CCHS offers students three diploma options to pursue (see chart). In addition to these diploma requirements, students are also expected to complete the following requirements: Take SAT or ACT by the start of senior year • Complete 100 community service hours (pro-rated for transfers) • Apply to at least one 4-year university • All students must take 1 online course.

SUBJECT AREAS	COLLEGE PREP	HONORS	ADVANCED
BIBLE	4	4	4
ENGLISH	4	4	4
MATH	4	4	4
SCIENCE	3	4	4
SOCIAL STUDIES	3	3	4
WORLD LANGUAGES	2	2	3
FINE ARTS	1	1	1
PE/HEALTH	1	1	1
ADD'L COURSES	4	5	5
TOTAL CREDITS	26	28	30
MINIMUM UGPA	2.0	3.25	3.5
HONORS / AP	N/A	12	15

HONORS, AP, & DUAL CREDIT COURSE OFFERINGS

Note: Traditional courses are offered in all core subjects.

ENGLISH	Honors: English I, II, Pre-AP English II, III, IV AP: English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition Dual Credit: English Composition I & II
MATH	Honors: Algebra I, II, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Statistics & Probability AP: Calculus, AB Calculus BC, AP Statistics Dual Credit: Intermediate & College Algebra, Business Math
SCIENCE	Honors: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy & Physiology, Marine Science, Principles of Biomedical Science AP: Biology, Chemistry (with lab), Environmental Science Dual Credit: Earth & Space Science, Intro to Biology, Intro Physical Science
SOCIAL STUDIES	Honors: World Cultural Geography, Pre-AP World History & Geography, World History, U.S. History, American Government & Politics, Economics AP: World History, U.S. History, Government & Politics, Macroeconomics Dual Credit: American History I & II, General Psychology, Western Civilization, World Religions, Ethics
WORLD LANGUAGES	Honors: Spanish I, II, III, IV, American Sign Language I, II, III, IV AP: Spanish Language & Culture
OTHERS	Honors: Band, Music Theory AP: Studio Art 2D, Studio Art 3D, Drawing, Computer Science Principles Dual Credit: Appreciation of the Arts, Intro to Speech Communications, Information Technology Applications

2020-2021 AP TEST PERFORMANCES

163

STUDENTS WHO TOOK AN AP COURSE

64.4%
SCORED A 3 OR HIGHER ON NATIONAL EXAMS

TOTAL EXAMS GIVEN

319

CCHS GRADING SCALE

90-100

A

80-89

B

70-79

C

60-69

D

Honors courses receive an additional .5 weight. Advanced Placement and Dual Credit courses receive an additional 1.0 weight.

CCHS DOES NOT PUBLISH CLASS RANK -

However, the weighted cumulative grade point average is calculated to determine Valedictorian and Salutatorian.

GPA is calculated with credits earned in **grades 9-12** using semester grades for all courses in a student's curriculum.

Transcripts include both a **weighted** and **unweighted cumulative grade point average** in addition to listing the weighted grade point average for each semester (**GPA trend**).

ACADEMIC POLICIES



Students are admitted to AP courses based on performance in the pre-requisite course, teacher recommendation, and PSAT scores.

Calvary Christian offers dual credit courses through St. Petersburg College (SPC) and the Baptist College of Florida (BCF). Both institutions are regionally accredited by SACS. Students must meet the admissions requirements of the colleges in order to enroll in a dual-credit course.

CCHS allows grade improvement for up to 2 semester courses either by retaking the course at CCHS or through Florida Virtual School. The previous grade remains but is not calculated into the cumulative grade point average.

RELEASE OF INFO TO COLLEGES

As a member of NACAC, SACAC, & NACAP, Calvary Christian makes every effort to adhere to the Statement of Principles of Good Practice. The College Counseling department advises students of their ethical obligation to report serious matters to colleges in the application phase and only to submit an enrollment deposit at one institution.

Additionally, colleges may contact the Assistant Principal of School Culture for any details on major disciplinary matters as these are not reported by the college counselors.

TRANSCRIPTS

Transcripts are requested by students and sent via Naviance.

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CLASS OF 2021

123
TOTAL GRADUATES



\$11.5M
Value of scholarships offered
(over 4 years)

- College applications per students on average: **4.7** • Accepted to college: **100%**
- Attending out-of-state colleges: **30%** • Attending 4-year public colleges: **73%**
- Attending 4-year private colleges: **23%**

CLASS OF 2021 GRADE POINT AVERAGES



Cumulative GPAs through graduation, May 2021

GPA	# OF STUDENTS	% OF CLASS
4.0+	55	45%
3.5-3.99	40	33%
3.0-3.49	23	19%
2.5-2.99	4	3%
BELOW 2.5	1	1%

CLASS OF 2021 TESTING INFORMATION



CLASS OF 2021 STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES

	CCHS TOP 25%	CCHS	NATIONAL	FLORIDA
SAT	1309	1148	1051	992
ACT	29	24	20.6	20.6



COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES 2018-2021

ACCEPTANCE & ENROLLMENT (**BOLDED**) TO 4-YEAR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

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AVERAGE COLLEGE ENROLLMENT 93%

AVERAGE COLLEGE RETENTION 95%

American University	Elon University	Marist College	Santa Fe College	University of Miami
Anna Maria College	Embry-Riddle University	Mary Baldwin University	Savannah College of Art & Design	University of Mississippi
Anderson University (IN)	Emerson College	Marymount Manhattan College	Seton Hall University	University of Mobile
Anderson University (SC)	Evangel University	Maryville College	Shorter University	University of Montana
Appalachian State University	Fairfield University	Mercer University	Southeastern University	University of New Hampshire
Assumption College	Flagler College	Mississippi College	Southeastern Oklahoma State University	University of New Mexico
Auburn University	Florida A&M University	Missouri University of Science & Technology	Southern Methodist University	University of North Alabama
Ave Maria University	Florida Atlantic University	Molloy College	Spelman College	University of North Carolina, Asheville
Baldwin Wallace University	Florida Gulf Coast University	Monmouth College	St. John's University New York	University of North Carolina, Charlotte
Barnard College	Florida Institute of Technology	Montclair State University	St. Thomas University	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Barry University	Florida International University	Montreat College	Stetson University	University of North Carolina, Greensboro
Barton College	Florida Polytechnic University	Nazareth College	Stonehill College	University of North Carolina, Wilmington
Baylor University	Florida Southern College	New York University	Swarthmore College	University of North Dakota
Belmont Abbey College	Florida State University	North Carolina A&T State University	Syracuse University	University of North Florida
Belmont University	Fordham University	North Carolina State University	Texas A&M University	University of Notre Dame
Benedictine College	Franciscan University	North Carolina Wesleyan University	Texas Christian University	University of Oklahoma
Birmingham-Southern College	Furman University	North Greenville University	Texas State University	University of Oregon
Brevard College	George Mason University	Northern Arizona University	Texas Tech University	University of Rhode Island
Buena Vista College	George Washington University	Northwestern University	The American University of Paris	University of San Diego
Bucknell University	Georgia Institute of Technology	NOVA Southeastern University	The Ohio State University	University of South Carolina
Butler University	Georgia Southern University	Nyack College	The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary	University of South Dakota
Canisius College	Georgia State University	Oglethorpe University	Thomas University	University of South Florida, St. Pete
Carson-Newman University	Georgetown College (KY)	Oklahoma Christian University	Toccoa Falls College	University of South Florida, Tampa
Cedarville University	Grand Canyon University	Oklahoma City University	Tuskegee University	University of Tampa
Central Michigan University	Hampton University	Olivet Nazarene University	United States Air Force Academy	University of Tennessee
Charleston Southern University	Harding University	Oral Roberts University	United States Coast Guard Academy	University of Texas, Austin
Chipola Junior College	Hawaii Pacific University	Oregon State University	United States Military Academy	University of Texas, Dallas
Clemson University	High Point University	Pace University (NYC)	United States Naval Academy	University of Toronto
Coastal Carolina University	Hodges University	Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Akron	University of West Florida
College of Charleston	Houghton College	Pennsylvania State University	University of Alabama	Utica College
College of William & Mary	Howard University	Piedmont College	University of Alabama, Birmingham	Valdosta State University
Colorado Christian University	Huntington College	Presbyterian College	University of Arkansas	Valencia College
Colorado State University	Illinois State University	Purdue University	University of California, Davis	Villanova University
Concordia University	Indiana State University	Queens University	University of Central Florida	Virginia Military Institute
Converse College	Indiana University, Bloomington	Quinnipiac University	University of Cincinnati	Virginia Tech
Covenant College	Iona College	Regis University	University of Colorado, Boulder	Wake Forest University
Curry College	Ithaca College	Rhodes College	University of Connecticut	Washington State University
Davidson College	Jackson State University	Rider University	University of Delaware	Webber International University
Dean College	Jacksonville University	Ringling College of Art & Design	University of Denver	West Virginia University
Defiance College	Kansas State University	River Bible Institute	University of Florida	Western Kentucky University
DePaul University	Kennesaw State University	Robert Morris University	University of Georgia	West Virginia University
Dordt College	LaFayette College	Rollins College	University of Illinois	Wheaton College (IL)
Duke University	LaGrange College	Royal Veterinary College	University of Kansas	Wilkes University
Duquesne University	Lawrence University	Sacred Heart University	University of Kentucky	Wittenberg University
East Carolina University	Lee University	Saint Anselm College	University of Louisville	Wofford College
Eastern Michigan University	Lehigh University	Saint Joseph's University	University of Maine	Worcester Polytechnic
Eastman School of Music	Liberty University	Saint Leo University	University of Maryland - College Park	York College of Pennsylvania
Eckerd College	Lipscomb University	Saint Michael's College	University of Massachusetts, Boston	
Edward Waters College	Louisiana State University	Samford University	University of Memphis	
Elmhurst College	Lynn University			