



SCHOOL PROFILE

2026–2027

CALVARY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL

is a ministry of Calvary Church. It is a co-educational, college-preparatory school serving over **909** 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

in partnership with the home, is to provide a college preparatory education, immersed in a biblical worldview, that prepares our students to impact the world for Christ.

ACCREDITATION

Our school is accredited by Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) a division of Cognia and Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)

Calvary Christian High School has obtained exemplary accreditation status with the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). This level of accreditation is a prestigious distinction awarded to a small number of Christian schools in the United States and internationally that demonstrate excellence across all programs and operations while meeting a higher level of accountability. Schools earning this status go beyond meeting standards; they show a sustained record of exemplary practice in leadership, governance, academics, student learning, spiritual formation, and overall school culture. Grounded in a vibrant, Christ-centered ethos, Exemplary schools are committed to continuous improvement, using data, stakeholder feedback, and accreditation insights to strengthen their impact and faithfully advance their mission.

ATHLETICS

- 38** Men's & Women's Athletic Teams within 25 Sports
- 6** State Championships in the past 4 years
- 26** State Championship Appearances in the past 4 years
- Student-Athletes from Class of 2026 who signed
- 29** National Letters of Intent to play intercollegiate athletics

FINE & PERFORMING ARTS

Our fine and performing arts have received state and national recognition in all areas including: visual art, theatre, choir, band, and color guard.

- 4 Marching Band State Championships (Past 5 Years)
- Multiple FBA and FMEA Ensemble Selections and Superior Ratings every year
- Average of 8 students selected for all-county band each year
- 40 Gold and Silver Key Visual Artists (Past 5 Years)
- Full Length Productions Each School Year

COMMUNITY SERVICE



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



THE CALVARY CHRISTIAN WARRIOR EXPERIENCE

OUR COMMUNITY

CCHS currently employs **75** full-time faculty members. **60%** of them hold advanced degrees.

Student-to-faculty ratio is currently **12:1**

Our students come to us from six partner schools and over 40 other public and private middle schools in **Pinellas, Pasco, Hernando** and **Hillsborough** counties. They represent a range of demographic backgrounds.

OF THIS STUDENT POPULATION:



50%
Females



50%
Males



24%
Multicultural Diversity

179

Class of 2026

198

Class of 2027



STUDENT LEADERSHIP & CLUBS

• African American Cultural Club • Best Buddies Club • Board Game Club • Calvary Classics Club • Calvary Student Newspaper Club • Engineering Club • Environmental Club • eSports Club • Fellowship of Christian Athletes • Law Studies Club • Medical Club • Model UN Club • PickleBall Club • Robotics Club • Student Government Association • Warriors for Life

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 for College Admission Counselling (NACAC) • Southern Association for College Admission Counseling (SACAC) • North American Coalition for Christian Admission Professionals (NACCAP) • National Alliance of Christian Schools (NACS) • Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA)

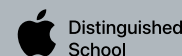
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ACADEMIC PROGRAMS & OUTCOMES

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.

Students complete a Bible course each year of attendance and this course grade is calculated into their cumulative GPA. Our bell schedule includes eight periods per day and students are advised to complete a challenging curriculum in their strength areas while balancing extracurriculars and family commitments.

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, ACT, or CLT by the start of senior year • Complete 100 community service hours (pro-rated for transfers) • Apply to at least one 4-year university

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
PERSONAL FINANCE	.5	.5	.5
ADD'L COURSES	3.5	4.5	4.5
TOTAL CREDITS	26	28	30
WEIGHTED GPA	2.0	3.35	3.8
HONORS / AP	N/A	12	15

HONORS, AP, & DUAL CREDIT COURSE OFFERINGS

Note: Traditional courses are offered in all core subjects.

CCHS offers dual credit courses through St. Petersburg College (SPC), Baptist University of Florida (BUF), and Cedarville University (CU). Students are permitted to take additional DC through BUF, CU, and SPC with administration approval.

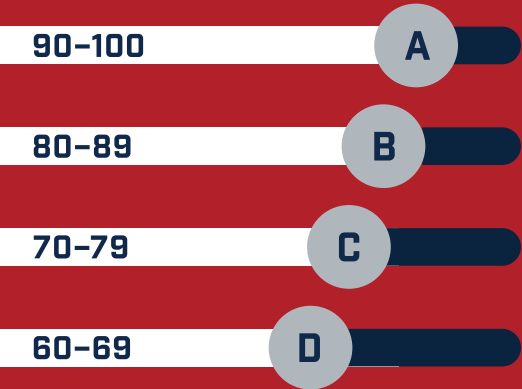
HONORS COURSES	ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES	DUAL CREDIT COURSES
42	21	16
ENGLISH	• Honors: English I, English I Pre-AP, English II, English II Pre-AP, English III, IV • AP: English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition • Dual Credit: English Composition I, Introduction to Literature	
MATH	• Honors: Algebra I, Algebra I Pre-AP, Algebra II, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Statistics & Probability • AP: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Pre Calculus, Statistics • Dual Credit: Intermediate & College Algebra	
SCIENCE	• Honors: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy & Physiology, Marine Science, Principles of Biomedical Science • AP: Biology, Chemistry (with lab)(alt years), Environmental Science, Physics I (alt years) • Dual Credit: Principles of Biology, Principles of Earth Science	
SOCIAL STUDIES	• Honors: World Cultural Geography, World History & Geography Pre-AP, World History, U.S. History, U.S. Government, Economics • AP: World History, U.S. History, U.S. Government & Politics, Psychology, Macroeconomics, Human Geography • Dual Credit: U.S. History I & II, World Religions, Ethics, American Government, Intro to Economics	
WORLD LANGUAGES	• Honors: Latin II, III, Spanish I, II, III, IV American Sign Language I, II, III, IV, AP: Spanish Language & Culture	
OTHERS	• Honors: Concert Band, Marching Band, Music Theory, Choir, Yearbook, Engineering Design and Principles, Principles of Design, Theatre Arts • AP: Studio Art 2D, Studio Art 3D, Drawing, Computer Science Principles • Dual Credit: Christian Apologetics, Old Testament Literature (CU), New Testament Literature (CU)	
DISCONTINUED COURSES	Latin I (May still be represented on transcript. Many topics have been re-categorized under new course offerings.)	

2026-27 AP TEST PERFORMANCES

CCHS is proud to recognize an **AP 80%** pass rate or higher across all core subject areas - notably English, Math, Science, World Language and foundational Social Studies curriculum - with **11 AP exams** scoring at **90%** or higher and **4 AP exams** with a perfect **100%** pass rate.

687 TOTAL EXAMS GIVEN
367 TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS WHO TOOK AN AP COURSE:

CCHS GRADING SCALE



Honors and Pre-AP 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, department recommendation, and PSAT/Pre ACT scores. Students must meet the admissions requirements of the colleges in order to enroll in a dual-credit course. Students are eligible for DC courses beginning in junior year. Students are eligible for AP as early as 9th grade.

CCHS allows grade improvement for up to 4 semester courses either by retaking the course at CCHS or through Florida Virtual School. The previous grade remains on transcript but is not calculated into the cumulative grade point average.

RELEASE OF INFO TO COLLEGES

As a member of NACAC, SACAC, & NACCAP, Calvary Christian High School 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 MaiaLearning.

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CLASS OF 2026



179
Total Graduates



\$12.7m
Value of scholarships
offered (over 4 years)

- College applications per students on average: **5** • Accepted to college: **100%**
- Attending out-of-state colleges: **22%** • Attending 4-year public colleges: **65%**
- Attending 4-year private colleges: **25%**

CLASS OF 2026 GRADE POINT AVERAGES (GPA)

Cumulative Weighted GPAs through graduation, May 2026



GPA	NUMBER OF STUDENTS	% OF CLASS
4.0+	90	50%
3.5–3.99	48	27%
3.0–3.49	32	18%
2.5–2.99	7	3%
BELOW 2.5	2	2%

CLASS OF 2026 TESTING INFORMATION



CLASS OF 2026 STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES				
	CCHS TOP 25%	CCHS	NATIONAL	FLORIDA
SAT	1379	1166	1029	948
ACT	29	24	19.4	19



COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES 2024–2026

ACCEPTANCE & ENROLLMENT (BOLDED) TO COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Average College Enrollment **92%** | Average College Retention **85%** (National Average = **75%**)

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	Edgewood College	Long Island University	Samford University	University of Missouri
Albany State University	Elmhurst University	Louisiana State University	Santa Fe College	University of Montana
Albright College	Elon University	Loyola University Chicago	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Mount Union
American University	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (FL)	Lynn University	Seton Hill University	University of North Carolina-Asheville
Anderson University (IN)	Emmanuel University	Marquette University	Sewanee: The University of the South	University of North Carolina-Charlotte
Anderson University (SC)	Fairleigh Dickinson University	Marshall University	South Georgia State College	University of North Carolina
Appalachian State University	Flagler College	Mercer University	Southeastern University	Carolina-Greensboro
Arizona State University	Florida A&M University	Merrimack College	Southern Illinois University	University of North Carolina-Wilmington
Asbury University	Florida Atlantic University	Messiah University	Southern Methodist University	University of North Dakota
Auburn University	Florida Gulf Coast University	Miami University-Oxford	Southern Union State	University of North Florida
Auburn University at Montgomery	Florida Institute of Technology	Michigan State University	Community College	University of Notre Dame
Ave Maria University	Florida International University	Middle Tennessee State University	St. Petersburg College	University of Oklahoma
Aveda Institute	Florida Memorial University	Millsaps College	St. Thomas Aquinas College	University of Oregon
Baldwin Wallace University	Florida Polytechnic University	Mississippi College	St. Thomas University	University of Pittsburgh
Barry University	Florida Southern College	Mississippi State University	Stetson University	University of South Alabama
Barton College	Florida SouthWestern State College	Missouri University of Science and Technology	SUNY College at Geneseo	University of South Carolina
Baylor University	Florida State College at Jacksonville	Monmouth University	Syracuse University	University of South Carolina-Upstate
Bellarmino University	Florida State University	Montana State University	Tallahassee State College	University of South Florida
Belmont Abbey College	Fordham University	Mount Vernon Nazarene University	Taylor University	University of Tampa
Belmont University	Franciscan University of Steubenville	Muskingum University	Tennessee State University	University of Tennessee-Knoxville
Beloit College	Furman University	New College of Florida	Texas A & M University	University of Texas at Austin
Berry College	Gardner-Webb University	New York Institute of Technology	Texas Christian University	University of the Incarnate Word
Bocconi University	George Washington University	New York University	The Catholic University of America	University of Vermont
Boston University	Georgia Southern University	Newberry College	Trinity Baptist College	University of Virginia
Brevard College	Georgia State University	Nicholls State University	Trinity College of Florida	University of Washington
Brewton-Parker College	Gettysburg College	North Carolina State University	Tulane University	University of West Florida
Bryant University	Gordon College	North Greenville University	Union University	University of Wisconsin
Calvin University	Grove City College	Northern Illinois University	United States Air Force Academy	Ursinus College
Cameron University	Gulf Coast State College	Northland Community College	United States Merchant Marine Academy	Utica University
Capital University	Hawaii Pacific University	Nova Southeastern University	United States Military Academy	Valencia College
Carson-Newman University	Heidelberg University	Ohio State University	United States Naval Academy	Valparaiso University
Carthage College	High Point University	Oklahoma State University	University at Albany	Vanderbilt University
Case Western Reserve University	Hillsborough Community College	Oklahoma Wesleyan University	University of Alabama	Virginia Military Institute
Catawba College	Hillsdale College	Olivet Nazarene University	University of Alaska	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Cedarville University	ICN Business School	Oral Roberts University	University of Central Florida	Virginia Wesleyan University
Centre College	Illinois Institute of Technology	Oregon State University	University of Chicago	Wabash College
Charleston Southern University	Indian River State College	Otterbein University	University of Colorado-Boulder	Warner University
Chowan University	Indiana University - Bloomington	Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Colorado-Colorado Springs	Waynesburg University
Clark Atlanta University	Indiana University - Indianapolis	Palm Beach State College	University of Colorado-Denver	Webber International University
Clemson University	International University of Monaco	Pasco-Hernando State College	University of Dayton	West Chester University of Pennsylvania
Cleveland Community College	Iona University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Denver	West Virginia University
Coastal Carolina University	Ithaca College	Pepperdine University	University of Florida	Western Carolina University
College of Central Florida	Jacksonville State University	Pinellas Technical College	University of Georgia	Western Michigan University
College of Charleston	Jacksonville University	Princeton University	University of Illinois-Chicago	Western Oregon University
Colorado Christian University	James Madison University	Providence College	University of Indianapolis	Wheaton College (IL)
Colorado School of Mines	John Cabot University	Purdue University	University of Kansas	Wilkes Honors College of Florida Atlantic University
Columbia International University	John Carroll University	Rasmussen University (MN)	University of Kentucky	Wittenberg University
Cornell College	Kansas State University	Regent University	University of Louisville	Wofford College
Covenant College	Keiser University (Flagship)	Ripon College	University of Lynchburg	Word of Life Bible Institute
Dean College	Lawrence University	Rollins College	University of Maine	Xavier University
Dordt University	Le Cordon Bleu Paris	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	University of Maine-Augusta	Youngstown State University
Duke Kunshan University	Lee University	Rutgers University	University of Maryland	
East Carolina University	Lehigh University	Saint Anselm College	University of Miami	
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania	Liberty University	Saint John's University	University of Michigan	
Eastern Florida State College	Linfield University	Saint Leo University	University of Minnesota-Duluth	
Eckerd College	Lipscomb University	Saint Norbert College	University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	
			University of Mississippi	