

ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Marion County Public Schools is SMG's new destination in central Florida! F-1 students can attend three comprehensive high schools in the district: Forest, Vanguard, and West Port. Forest provides a technology-rich environment across a comprehensive blend of academic and technical courses. Vanguard is also a leader in school-wide technology and also offers an outstanding International Baccalaureate program. West Port High School, home of the Wolf Pack, offers four magnet programs focused on arts, biomedical science, college preparation, and more.

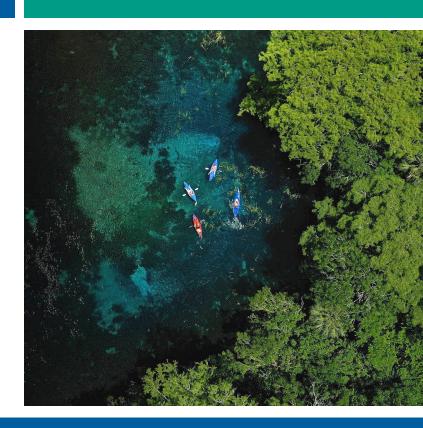


FACILITIES

Marion County Public Schools campus reflects the past with architectural details and a tradition of excellence while celebrating the present with cutting-edge facilities, including state-of-the-art labs, modern classrooms, and more.

MARION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Ocala, Florida



QUICK FACTS:

of Students: 1,500 – 2,000 # of High Schools in District: 3 Estimated Start Date: Early August Estimated End Date: Late May Graduation Offered: Yes Is ESL Offered: No Fall Semester Program: No Spring Semester Program: No Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:121 Nearest Airport: Orlando International Airport

Airport Code: MCO

COURSES OFFERED



Math

Algebra (Honors), Geometry (Honors), Mathematics for Data & Financial Literacy, Probability & Statistics (Honors), Pre-Calculus (Honors), Calculus (AP), Statistics (AP)



Science

Environmental Science (Honors, AP), Agriscience Foundations, Biology (Honors, AP), Chemistry (Honors, AP), Anatomy & Physiology (Honors), AP Physics



Social Studies

AP Human Geography, World History (Honors), US History (Honors, AP), Economics with Financial Literacy, AP Microeconomics, US Government, AP US Government & Politics, Law Studies, Philosophy, Psychology I-II, Sociology



English

English (Honors), AP English Language & Composition, AP English Literature & Composition, Intensive Reading, Critical Thinking Skills, Creative Writing I-II



Languages

Latin, Spanish

The Arts

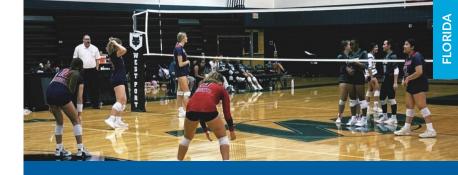


2-D Studio Art I-III, Sculpture I-III, AP Art-Drawing Portfolio, Acting I-IV, Vocal Ensemble I-IV, Vocal Techniques I-II, Musical Theatre I-II, Eurythmics I-IV, Guitar I-IV, Jazz Ensemble I-IV, Instrumental Ensemble I-IV, Band I-IV, Music I-IV, Instrumental Techniques I-IV, Band I-IV

Electives



Aerospace Science I-IV, Technical Design, Advanced Technology Applications, Foundations of Robotics, Robotic Design Essentials, Robotic Systems, Information Technology, Foundations of Programming, Game & Simulation Foundations, AP Computer Science Principals, AP Computer Science, Digital Video Tech, Culinary Arts, Principles of Entrepreneurship, Business Management and Law, Business Ownership, Medical Skills and Services



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

BOYS

Fall Cross Country, Football, Swimming, Golf, Bowling

Winter Basketball, Soccer

Baseball, Tennis, Track & **Spring** Field, Volleyball, Baseball,

Weightlifting

GIRLS

Fall Bowling, Cross Country, Swimming, Volleyball, Golf, Softball (slow-pitch)

Winter Basketball, Soccer,

Competitive Cheer

Flag Football, Sand Spring Volleyball, Softball (fast-

pitch), Track & Field,

Tennis

SCHOOL CLUBS

- **Anime Club**
- Academic Team
- Art Club
- Chorus
- Band/Orchestra
- **Book Club**
- Chess Club
- **Culinary Club**
- Dance Club
- Drama Club
- **Debate Club Gaming Club**
- - Girls Who Code
 - **Robotics/ Programming**
- **Environmental Club**
- Film Club
- **Future Business Leaders** of America
- **Kev Club**
- **National Honor Society**
- **Student Government**
- **Student Television** Network

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Already Graduate Students: No Age: 15-17

ELTiS Score Required: 600 or higher

Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Ocala, located in Central Florida, is a great destination for those interested in exploring nature and outdoor adventure. The Silver Springs State Park - a national landmark and nature theme park on 350 acres - is a popular attraction for kayaking/canoeing and a gateway to the woods and lakes of the vast Ocala National Forest. The region is known as the "horse country" and offers miles of untainted nature to be explored, including freshwater streams, rolling hills, and clean air. Ocala's cultural community is also very robust and a strong proponent of arts and culture in the community.



Population: 64,096 Nearest Major City: Orlando, FL Temperature Range: 20°C to 34°C