

Senior Class Visit

Spanish River High School

Presented by the School Counseling Department

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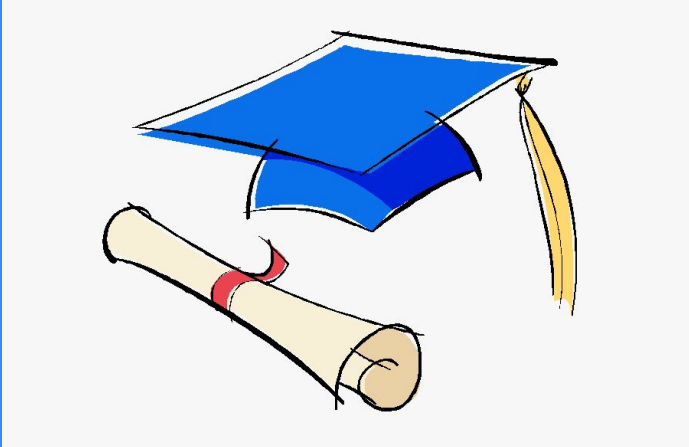
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Graduation Requirements



- 24 Credits Required
- Pass Grade 10 FSA
 - Level 3 or above
- Pass Algebra 1 EOC
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- 2.0 GPA on all courses
- 20 hours of community service

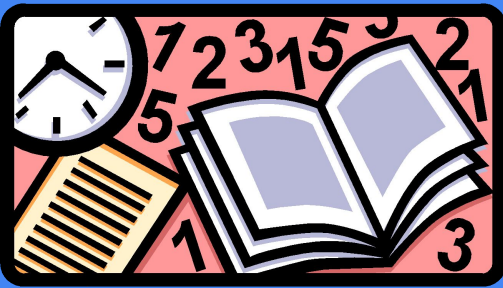
Course Requirements

- English - 4 credits
- Math - 4 credits
- Science - 3 credits
- Social Studies - 3 credits
- Physical Education - 1 credit HOPE or Personal Fitness/Team Sports
- Performing/Fine Arts – 1 credit
- Electives – 8 credits



Grade Point Average for Graduation

- 2.0 GPA in all credits *attempted*
- *Competitive Universities* require 3.5 and Higher
- Most ***recalculate*** your GPA/HPA



College Entrance Exams

- All college bound Seniors should have SAT or ACT scores available to submit to their colleges
- SAT and ACT Fall dates:
 - SAT: Oct. 7, Nov. 4, Dec. 2
 - www.collegeboard.org
 - ACT: Oct. 28, Dec. 9
 - www.ACTstudent.org

College Entrance Exams

Scholastic Achievement Test

SAT

Reading, Math

Maximum Score 800 each section, 1600 total

Minimum requirement

State Universities:

(Read 500, Math 500)

American College Testing

ACT

English, Math, Reading, Science

Maximum Score 36 total

Minimum requirement

State Universities:

(Read 19, Math 19, Eng 18)

Selecting Colleges

- Safe Schools – “I have everything I need, I am confident I will get in”
- Match Schools – “I have met most of the requirements; I hope I get in!”
- Reach School – “I don’t have all the requirements, but I want to try and hope I get in!”
- Maximum 5-7 schools total

College Admissions Criteria

- Academic achievements
 - Challenging Courses
 - Test Scores
 - Essays
 - GPA/HPA
- Teacher recommendations
- School counselor recommendations for out-of-state or private schools
- Leadership and extracurricular accomplishments (include Academy info here)
- “Special” talents



FLORIDA SUS ADMISSIONS (MIDDLE RANGES)



University of Florida

HPA: 4.4 - 4.6
SAT: 1370 - 1510
ACT: 31 - 34



Florida State University

HPA: 4.3 - 4.6
SAT: 1340 - 1450
ACT: 29 - 33



University of Central Florida

HPA: 4.1 - 4.5
SAT: 1260 - 1380
ACT: 26 - 30



University of South Florida

HPA: 4.1 - 4.59
SAT: 1240 - 1390
ACT: 27 - 31



Florida Gulf Coast University

HPA: 3.76 - 4.51
SAT: 1080 - 1230
ACT: 21 - 26



Florida Atlantic University

HPA: 3.7 - 4.3
SAT: 1090 - 1250
ACT: 22 - 28



Florida International University

HPA: 4.1 - 4.7
SAT: 1240 - 1370
ACT: 26 - 30



Florida Poly Phoenix

HPA: 4.0 - 4.7
SAT: 1250 - 1390
ACT: 28 - 32



University of North Florida

HPA: 3.8 - 4.4
SAT: 1060 - 1250
ACT: 21 - 27



Florida A&M University

HPA: 3.91
SAT: 1070 - 1240
ACT: 22 - 27



University of West Florida

HPA: 3.95
SAT: 1050 - 1230
ACT: 21 - 27



New College of Florida

HPA: 4.03
SAT: 1100 - 1310
ACT: 22 - 29

Private School Admission Matrix



*An asterisk beside the institution name means the institution is "TEST OPTIONAL".

	ADVENT HEALTH UNIVERSITY*	BARRY UNIVERSITY*	ECKERD COLLEGE*	EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY*	FLAGLER COLLEGE*	FLORIDA COLLEGE*	FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	FLORIDA SOUTHERN COLLEGE*	JACKSONVILLE UNIVERSITY*	KEISER UNIVERSITY FLAGSHIP CAMPUS*
	www.ahu.edu	www.barry.edu	www.eckerd.edu	daytonabeach.erau.edu	www.flagler.edu	www.floridacollege.edu	www.fit.edu	www.flsouthern.edu	www.ju.edu	www.keiseruniversity.edu/resident
LOCATION	ORLANDO, FL	MIAMI, FL	ST. PETERSBURG, FL	DAYTONA BEACH, FL	ST. AUGUSTINE, FL	TEMPLE TERRACE, FL	MELBOURNE, FL	LAKELAND, FL	JACKSONVILLE, FL	WEST PALM BEACH, FL
UNDERGRADUATE/FULL TIME ENROLLMENT	1110	2,091	1,950	7,177	2,421	546	3,462	2,631	2,336	1175
PERCENTAGE OF UNDERGRADUATES FROM FLORIDA	81%	69%	20%	28.73%	55%	29%	40%	57%	55%	40%
ADMISSION DEADLINE	JULY 1	ROLLING	Early Action 11/15 then rolling	JAN 15 & ROLLING	NOV 1 (ED) & MARCH 1 (RD)	ROLLING	ROLLING	Nov 1 - ED/EA, Mar 1 - RD	MAY 1	ROLLING
MIDRANGE GPA	3.3	3.44	3.4-3.7	3.92	3.63	3.5-3.9	3.51-3.93	3.6 - 4.2 (weighted)	3.7	3.2-3.4
MIDRANGE/AVG. SAT (CR & M, MIDDLE 50%)	Test Optional	990	1120-1290	1261	1156	1065-1130	1150-1330	1170-1380	1220	990 Test Optional
MIDRANGE/AVG. ACT (CR & M, MIDDLE 50%)	Test Optional	19	24-29	24	27	21-24	24-30	24-31	25	19
TUITION, FEES, HOUSING AND FOOD	\$26,090	\$45,840	\$64,642	\$56,173 in state	\$41,060	\$28,260	\$56,010	\$56,160	\$63,430	\$53,179
ACCEPT AICE? AP? IB? DUAL ENROLLMENT (DE)? ALL?	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
AVG NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT AWARD	\$3,582	\$8,358	\$29,000	\$1,555	\$12,663	\$6,299	\$4,000	\$26,277	\$27,000	\$6,543
AVG NON-NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT AWARD	\$2,640	\$14,927	\$18,000	\$13,179	\$3,834	\$5,916	\$20,000	\$23,834	\$27,000	\$11,000
TOP 3 MAJORS	NURSING OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PHYSICAL THERAPY	NURSING PSYCHOLOGY BIOLOGY	MARINE SCIENCE ANIMAL STUDIES ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	AERONAUTICAL SCIENCE AEROSPACE ENG. MECHANICAL ENG.	BUSINESS ADMIN. COASTAL ENV. SCIENCE PSYCHOLOGY	BUSINESS ADMIN. LIBERAL STUDIES KINESIOLOGY	AEROSPACE ENG. AERO SCI, W/ FLIGHT COMPUTER SCIENCE	BIOLOGY NURSING BUSINESS	NURSING AVIATION HEALTH SCIENCES	GOLF MGMT. EXERCISE SCIENCE BUSINESS ADMIN.

	LYNN UNIVERSITY*	NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY*	RINGLING COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN*	ROLLINS COLLEGE*	SAINT LEO UNIVERSITY*	SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY*	STETSON UNIVERSITY*	UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI*	THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA*	WARNER UNIVERSITY*
	www.lynn.edu	www.nova.edu	www.ringling.edu	www.rollins.edu	www.saintleo.edu	www.seu.edu	www.stetson.edu	www.miami.edu	www.ut.edu	www.warner.edu
LOCATION	BOCA RATON, FL	FT. LAUDERDALE, FL	SARASOTA, FL	WINTER PARK, FL	SAINT LEO, FL	LAKELAND, FL	DELAND, FL	CORAL GABLES, FL	TAMPA, FL	LAKE WALES, FL
UNDERGRADUATE/FULL TIME ENROLLMENT	2,384	6,971	1,705	2,238		2,500	2,572		9,356	759
PERCENTAGE OF UNDERGRADUATES FROM FLORIDA	32%	49%	24%	57%		55%	68%		20%	85%
ADMISSION DEADLINE	NOV 15 EA 1, JAN 15 EA 2, Rolling	NOV 1 ED/EA, FEB 1 REGULAR	ROLLING, ANIMATION JAN. 15	NOV. 15/FEB. 1		ROLLING	Nov. 1		ED, EA, RD	ROLLING
MIDRANGE GPA	3.09	4.02	3.2-3.87	3.5		3.56	3.89		3.58	3.23
MIDRANGE/AVG. SAT (CR & M, MIDDLE 50%)	1145	1090-1330	N/A	1150-1350		1120	1140-1300		1196	960
MIDRANGE/AVG. ACT (CR & M, MIDDLE 50%)	25	24-31	N/A	24-29		24	24-30		24.8	18
TUITION, FEES, HOUSING AND FOOD	\$54,750	\$30,140	\$73,490	\$71,690		\$42,752	\$71,250		\$44,378	\$36,960
ACCEPT AICE? AP? IB? DUAL ENROLLMENT (DE)? ALL?	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL		ALL	ALL		ALL	ALL
AVG NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT AWARD	\$6,535	\$6,583.55	\$7,317	\$38,231		\$11,431	\$45,283		\$14,106	N/A
AVG NON-NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT AWARD	\$16,599	\$17,738	\$10,305	\$25,462		\$17,474	\$30,464		\$8,902	\$18,880
TOP 3 MAJORS	INT'L BUSINESS SPORTS MGMT. ENTREPRENEURSHIP	BIOLOGY PRE-NURSING PSYCHOLOGY	COMPUTER ANIMATION BUSINESS ILLUSTRATION FILM	BUSINESS BIOLOGY PSYCHOLOGY		MINISTRY PSYCHOLOGY NURSING	BUSINESS ADMIN. FINANCE PSYCHOLOGY		UNDECIDED FINANCE MARKETING	AGRICULTURAL STUDIES EXERCISE SCIENCE SOCIAL WORK

For more information, please visit our Web site: www.pcufl.net

APPLICATION OPTIONS

- FSU is before October 15th for Early Action
 - UF is before November 1st
 - FAU is November 1st for Priority Deadline
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- EARLY DECISION
 - Due November 1
 - Response in December
 - Binding decision; You must withdraw other applications

Take Action Early

COMMUNITY COLLEGE PLANNING

TESTING OPTION

COLLEGE PLACEMENT TEST

PERT

FEE: \$10

CONTENT: READING, ENGLISH, MATH

2 + 2 PROGRAM in Florida:

FRESHMAN/ SOPHOMORE YEAR at COMM. COLLEGE
JUNIOR & SENIOR YEAR transfer to UNIVERSITY

AA Degrees

A student with an AA Degree is guaranteed admission to the State University System

*not necessarily university or degree program of choice

Acceptance of 60 credit hours toward BA/BS degree

Junior standing at University

51% of BA/BS degree recipients in State Universities are Community College transfers!

Things to Avoid

- Letting others make the choice for you
- **Procrastination** and waiting too long to apply
- Deciding **not** to apply because you think you would not be accepted

Teacher Recommendations

- Determine who to ask
 - Applications may specify
 - Knows your work and potential
- Give teachers **3 weeks** to prepare letters
- Give/email teachers your resume or any forms needed
- Remember to thank the teachers!

Counselor Recommendations

- Submit to counselor your resume and send us an email telling us you need a recommendation.
- Complete a Student Profile Sheet and return it to your counselor.
- Give us time to complete these!
Notify us that you need one ASAP.



Transcripts

- Transcripts require 48 hours to process
- For Common Application, only one transcript needs to be ordered. This is a one time fee for all schools selected on Common App.

How do I order my transcript?

- Go to the Spanish River website
- Click here to request your transcripts.
- Fill out the Google Form and pay the fee on School Cash Online

NCAA or NAIA Requirements



- Athletes must apply through the NCAA Clearinghouse or play NAIA
- Contact the NCAA website or the NAIA website
- Eligibilitycenter.org
- Play.NAIA.org
- Submit transcripts and test scores as required

Bright Futures

Please refer to website

<https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/SAPHome/SAPHome?url=home>

Apply Online After October 1st

Florida Academic Scholars Award

- \$100 per credit hour at public universities
- 3.5 GPA
- SAT 1340 or 29 ACT
- 100 community service hours or 100 paid work hours

Florida Medallion Scholars Award

- \$75 per credit hour at public universities
- 3.0 GPA
- SAT 1210 or 25 ACT
- 75 community service hours or 100 paid work hours

AICE Diploma

- \$100 per credit hour at public universities
- 100 community service hours or 100 paid work hours

Scholarships

- University– Merit Based
- Federal– National Merit, National Achievement
- Private– agencies, companies, organizations



When Filing FAFSA

“Free Application for Federal Student Aid”

- File after December 1st
- <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>
- Everyone should complete

WARNING!



Admission directors warn that "senioritis" may be hazardous to your educational health. Colleges and universities may rescind their offer of admission if you do not follow through with the expected course work and maintain your grades. It is recommended that you continue to take the most rigorous course work throughout your senior year in order to be the most prepared for college work.

College & Career Counseling

- Contact Mrs. Riggle for help!
 - Email: Suzanne.Riggle@palmbeachschools.org
 - Book an appointment:
<https://suzanneriggle.youcanbook.me>
- College & Career Google Classroom
 - ★ code - zfhborc
 - ★ Sign up for college visits and stay up to date with recent information about college, scholarships, & more!

How can we help?

<https://forms.gle/gG6Bofh3CiUMzjB49>



Good Luck Class
of 2024!

