

SCHOOL PROFILE • August 2008

Don Mayes Superintendent
Perry Banse Middle/High School Principal
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Dee Bates High School Guidance
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The School - Indian Rocks Christian School is a ministry of the First Baptist Church of Indian Rocks. It is a Christian School for students in Preschool through grade 12. IRCS offers a challenging college preparatory educational program.

Mission Statement - Our mission is to lead every student to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ while providing the highest quality Christian education in an environment of genuine love and concern for each student and parent.

Accreditation - Indian Rocks Christian School is dually accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). The school participates in the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA).

Faculty - Of the 64 administrators and faculty members at IRCS, All hold bachelors degrees and 30 % have attained their masters. A teacher student ratio of 15:1 allows the school's diverse faculty to provide individualized attention and a quality educational experience in a caring Christian environment.

Curriculum - Indian Rocks Christian School is committed to helping students achieve academic excellence. Students are encouraged to pursue higher learning levels by participating in the Honors Programs. IRCS offers 15 Honors, AP, and dual credit college classes.

High school clubs and organizations include: Auto Club, Trigonometry Club, Environmental Club, Student Council, National Honor & Jr Honor Societies, Student Ambassadors, Tech Team, Yearbook/Journalism, Drama Team, Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), Students with a Testimony (SWAT), Chapel Praise Team & Band, and over 160 students participated in service opportunities on mission trips throughout the US and 9 different countries.

Student Body Profile - Preschool through grade 12: 862 total students.

Preschool	Enrollment	107 Students
K-5	Enrollment	296 Students
6-8	Enrollment	198 Students
9-12	Enrollment	261 Students

Gary McKinney High School Dean of Students
Joe Frost Middle School Dean of Students
Phil Farver Athletic Director
Tim Rhine Advancement/Elementary Guidance
Kathy Jennings Registrar

Graduation Requirements - Students begin earning credits toward graduation in ninth grade. A minimum of 26 credits is required for graduation.

Bible.....	4 credits
English	4 credits
Social Studies.....	3 credits
Government.....	0.5 credit
Economics.....	0.5 credit
Math.....	4 credits
Science.....	4 credits
Foreign Language.....	2 credits
Personal Fitness	0.5 credit
Computer.....	1 credit
Health.....	0.5 credit
Fine Arts	0.5 credit
Electives.....	1.5 credits

HS students must take either the SAT or ACT before graduation.

HS students complete 20 hours of community service for each year enrolled at IRCS.

Grading Scale/GPA

Range	Grade	Regular	Honors	AP
90-100	A	4.0	4.5	5.0
80-89	B	3.0	3.5	4.0
70-79	C	2.0	2.5	3.0
60-69	D	1.0	1.5	2.0

Senior Class Profile - The Class of 2008 contains 56 students. 79% took Honors and/or Advanced Placement classes. Seniors earned over 670 college credits while in high school and over \$588,000 in scholarship money.

Senior Class Grade Distribution - Weighted 8 semester GPA.

GPA	Students
4.00 - 4.50.....	9
3.50-3.99.....	17
3.00-3.49.....	17
2.50-2.99.....	9
Below 2.50.....	9

Recent College Acceptances - Over 80 Colleges and Universities across the country have accepted IRCS grads into their programs. They include:

Arizona State University	Georgetown College	Sacred Heart University
Asbury College	Grove City College	Samford University
Auburn University	Harvard University	Southeastern University
Baylor University	Harding University	St. Francis College
Belmont College	Hope College	St. Leo College
Bethel College	Indian Wesleyan University	St. Petersburg College
Bryan College	Jacksonville University	Stetson University
Calvin College	Lee University	Taylor University
Campbell University	Liberty University	Teikyo Westmar University
Carleton College	Mars Hill College	Toccoa Falls University
Carson Newman College	Maryville College	Trinity International University
Cedarville University	Mercer University	Troy State University
Citadel	Messiah College	University of Central Florida
Clearwater Christian College	Montreat College	University of Florida
Columbia International University	Morehead State University	University of Maryland
Cumberland College	North Carolina State University	University of Miami
Cumberland University	North Greenville College	University of Missouri-Kansas City
Eastern Illinois University	Northampton College	University of North Florida
Embry Riddle Aeronautical University	Northeastern University	University of South Florida
Flagler College	Northwestern University	University of Tampa
Florida Gulf Coast University	Oakwood College	Valdosta State University
Florida Southern University	Palm Beach Atlantic University,	Virginia Tech
Florida State University	Penn State University	Warner Southern College
Ft. Lauderdale Masters College	Pensacola Christian College	William and Mary
Furman University	Ringling School of Art and Design	

Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) - Scores for the past 5 years (in percentages).

Verbal	Class of 2004	Class of 2005	Class of 2006	Class of 2007	Class of 2008
600 or above	17	26	26	21	20
500 to 599	46	34	39	39	41
400 to 499	34	28	35	28	39
Below 400	4	11	0	12	0
Math					
600 or above	11	19	32	12	20
500 to 599	50	40	32	36	33
400 to 499	33	28	29	38	39
Below 400	6	13	7	14	8

American College Test (ACT) - Class of 2008 average: 22.5.

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