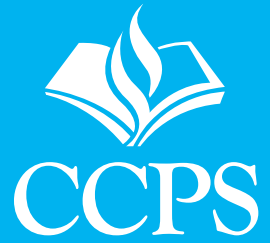


Proud
to be an
factsheet
School District!

Collier County Public Schools



VISION: Inspire students to achieve academic excellence.

MISSION: CCPS will develop students' intellectual capacity and confidence in order to be successful lifelong learners with strong moral character who strive to reach their potential as productive members of American culture.

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Collier County Public Schools (CCPS) students and staff have once again earned an **"A" district grade**, continuing a successful "A" streak dating back to 2017
- Collier County has a **91.5% graduation rate**, which outperforms the state (87.3%) by 4.2 percentage points
- CCPS **outperformed the state in 20 of 21 tested areas** in 2024
- **District accreditation from Cognia** was renewed in 2022
- **Nearly \$42 million** in scholarship funds were awarded to students in the 2023-24 school year
- CCPS offers **41 career academies** (vary by high school) including NAF academies of engineering, finance, health services, information technology, hospitality and tourism, and aerospace and aviation technology
- Students earned **3,850 industry certifications and digital tools** in the 2023-24 school year
- **Entrepreneurship and engineering** offered at every elementary, middle and high school
- **Art and music** offered at all levels including band, orchestra, chorus, and theater
- **Superior-rated high school marching bands** that have participated in the 2017 Presidential Inaugural Parade, the 2016 Hollywood Christmas Parade, and the 2015 Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade
- **STEAM competitions** offered districtwide at all levels K-12 (science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics)
- **Champion high school athletics** including football, soccer, swimming, wrestling, track and field, golf, volleyball, softball, and basketball
- **Career-in-a-Year** programs available at Immokalee Technical College and Lorenzo Walker Technical College
- Single point of entry and **Collier County Sheriff's Office Youth Relations Bureau Deputies** keep CCPS school campuses as safe as possible

50,000
students

52% male
48% female
53% Hispanic
32% White
13% Black
2% Other

45% from Non-English Homes

6,900
employees

3,200
teachers
45.5% teachers with advanced degrees

3,400 graduates

255 bus routes
6,200,000 miles driven yearly

5.3 million
meals yearly

7,879 breakfast meals daily
27,762 lunch meals daily

54,000 computers
1 to 1 ratio (students to computers)

6,000 active volunteers

Collier County covers
2,300 square miles

115th largest
school district in U.S.
(of more than 14,000)

