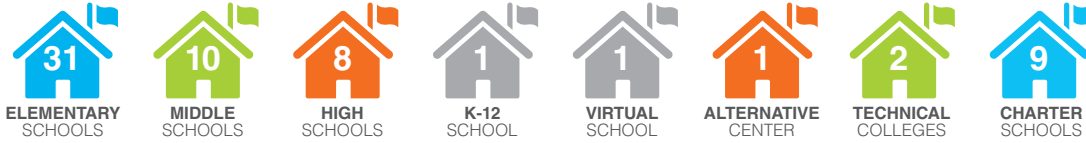
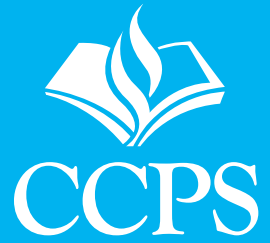


Proud  
to be an  
**f**actsheet  
School District!

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 100% of assessed areas** (21 of 21 tested areas) for the second consecutive year
- District accreditation from Cognia** was renewed in 2022
- CCPS is the only school district in the United States with **advanced Cambridge curriculum** at elementary, middle, and high school levels
- More than \$38 million** in scholarship funds were awarded to students in the 2021-22 school year
- CCPS offers **32 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 **4,304 industry certifications** in the 2020-21 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	52% Hispanic
48% female	34% White
	12% Black
	2% Other

64% Economically Needy  
54% from Non-English Homes

**6,927** employees

**3,165** teachers  
45.5% teachers with advanced degrees

**3,200** graduates

**360** buses  
12,360 bus stops  
6,200,000 miles driven yearly

**5,294,133** meals yearly

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

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

**6,027** active volunteers

Collier County covers **2,300** square miles

**115<sup>th</sup>** largest school district in U.S. (of more than 14,000)

