ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Nearly a quarter of all high school students in Miami-Dade are currently enrolled in Advanced Placement (AP) courses, speaking to the district’s commitment to academics. Seven high schools in the district were ranked in the top 200 public schools in the United States, according to U.S. News and World Report. Miami-Dade County Public Schools also excel in areas besides academics. The district was named a 2013 Best Community for Music Education, and is committed to keeping arts education in their schools.

FACILITIES

Miami-Dade schools have extensive sports facilities, as well as gyms, computer labs, and theaters. The schools also have amazing spaces for students to hone their artistic abilities. IB Programs are offered at South Dade and Coral Gables High Schools.

MIAMI-DADE DISTRICT

Miami, Florida

QUICK FACTS:

- # of Students: 2,000-3,000
- # of High Schools in District: 55
- Estimated Start Date: Early August
- Estimated End Date: Early June
- Graduation Offered: Yes
- Is ESL Offered: Yes
- Fall Semester Program: Yes
- Spring Semester Program: Yes
- Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:17
- Nearest Airport: Miami International Airport
- Airport Code: MIA
COURSES OFFERED

Math
- Algebra I-II (Honors), Geometry (Honors), Pre-Calculus, Math For College Readiness, AP Calculus, Advanced Topics in Mathematics

Science
- Biology (Honors, AP), Chemistry (Honors), Anatomy, Environmental Science (AP), Research Biology

Social Studies
- World History (Honors, AP), Government/ Economics, AP Human Geography, Psychology Honors & AP, AP Government, Economics Honors

English
- English I-IV (Honors), Developmental English I-IV), AP English Literature, AP English Composition, Developmental Reading (I-IV)

Languages
- Spanish, French, German I & II, Spanish for Spanish Speakers

The Arts
- Sculpture, Drawing, AP Studio Art, Acting, Band, Jazz Ensemble, Chorus, Winds Ensemble, Television Production, Music Theory, Music Production, Keyboard/Piano, Dance

Electives
- Digital Design, Criminal Justice, Forensic Science, Health Science, Athletic Injury Care, Sports Medicine, Culinary & Hospitality, Culinary Arts, Debate

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

BOYS
- Fall: Football, Cross Country, Swimming, Golf, Bowling
- Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling
- Spring: Flag Football, Baseball, Track & Field, Tennis, Volleyball, Water Polo

GIRLS
- Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Swimming, Golf, Bowling, Volleyball, Cheerleading
- Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Cheerleading
- Spring: Flag Football, Softball, Track & Field, Tennis, Water Polo

SCHOOL CLUBS
- Art Club
- Cheerleaders
- Chess Club
- Ecology Club
- Future Business Leaders
- Drama Club
- World Languages
- Women of Tomorrow
- Honor Society
- Music Class
- Book Club
- Dance Team
- College Club

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS
- Age: Students must be 14-17 upon arrival, No 18 Year-Olds
- Does not accept Second Semester 12th Graders
- Already Graduated Students: No
- ONLY FULL-YEAR STUDENTS CAN PLAY SPORTS IN FLORIDA

**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

Miami-Dade is a great district located outside of Miami, Florida: one of the most popular vacation destinations in the US, especially known for its warm climate and beautiful beaches. With over a dozen beaches, Miami offers countless opportunities to soak up the sun all year long. Besides the beautiful beaches, Miami is also vibrant with culture and music.