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What sets TCSMS apart...



Excellence in Academics and Arts



#5 Middle School in Palm Beach County U.S. News & World Report, 2024

	TCS FAST Results FY	24
	FAST Reading	
Grade	Achievement FY24	District MS Avg
6	85%	56%
7	62%	50%
8	77%	53%
	FAST Math	
Grade	Achievement FY24	District MS Avg
6	81%	60%
7	44%	36%
8	86%	63%
Algebra	100%	90%
Geometry	100%	96%
	Civics	
Grade	Achievement FY24	District MS Avg
7	89%	66%
	Science	
Grade	Achievement FY24	District MS Avg
8	72%	48%

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Band & Strings Program



Band & Strings

- Ms. Rand Band
- Ms. Nadal Strings
- Electives offered:
 - Jazz Band
 - Chamber Orchestra









A Day in the Life



A Day

Period 1 - Music

Period 3 - Math

Lunch

Period 5 - Science

Period 7 - Electives

B Day

Period 2 - PBL

Period 4 - ELA

Lunch

Period 6 - History

Period 8 - Electives

Electives



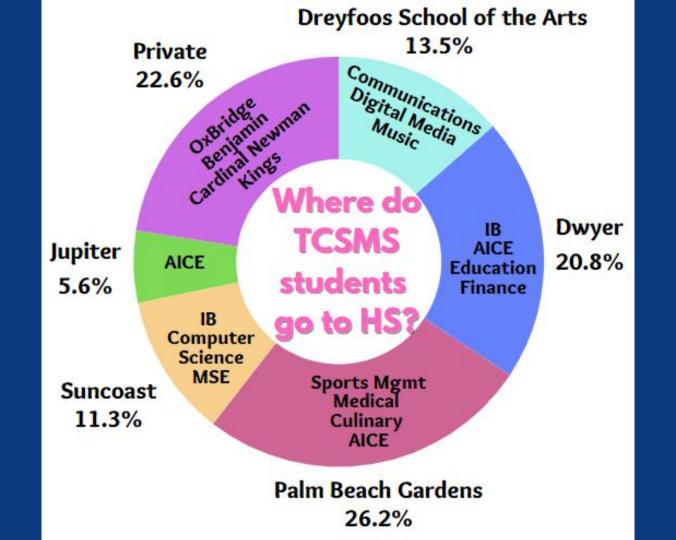
5th Grade Math

6th Grade Advanced 7th Grade Advanced Algebra 1 Honors



Math Pathways

5th Grade AMP (6th Grade Math) 7th Grade Advanced Algebra 1 Honors Geometry I Honors

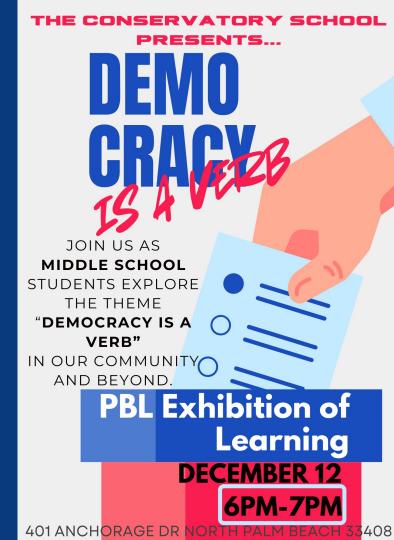


Project-Based Learning

 Students actively explore real-world problems to educate their communities and inspire them into action to affect change

 Projects culminate with an Exhibition of Learning, where all students present their work and learning to school and community members





















TCSMS ATHLETICS









TCSMS Sports & Athletics

- Baseball
- Softball
- Boys/Girls Basketball
- Boys/Girls Volleyball
- Boys/Girls Soccer
- Boys/Girls Track
- Cheerleading
- Flag Football

After School

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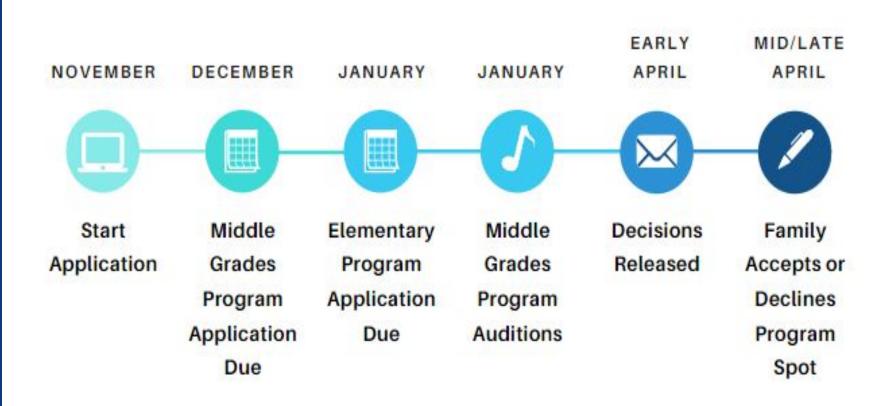


Choice Application & Audition Process



APPLYING TO THE CONSERVATORY SCHOOL

School District of Palm Beach County Choice Program Application Timeline



How to Apply to TCSMS

Audition Guidelines

Accessible at www.TheConservatorySchool.org

Applications

- 5th graders at TCS must apply; No automatic rollover
- Applications are due Friday, December 6
- Applications available online: www.mypbchoiceapp.com
- If you need support with applying online, please contact our Choice Coordinator, Brooke Brink
- You must have your child's student number



How to Apply to TCSMS continued...

Audition Notification

- After Choice Application is submitted, an email will be sent out to families before the January 10, 2025 with audition date/time
 - ESE/504/ELL information emailed to Brooke.Brink@palmbeachschools.org
- Students should be ready to audition as early as January 28





Audition Information

- Auditions are blind
 - Facilitated by ESE Staff Member
- Audition Components
 - Major scale
 - Part of music class curriculum
 - Prepared Solo
 - Student-chosen
 - Student feels like the exercise reflects their highest level of ability
 - Sight Reading
 - Play a short piece of music not seen before

TCSMS Choice Application FAQ

- All students must apply and successfully complete an audition to secure a spot in the lottery for TCS Middle School.
- Auditions are exclusively for Strings or Band instruments. Piano and vocal instruments are not accepted.
 - o Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, Bass
 - o Band: Brass, woodwinds, Percussion

Limited Enrollment

- 6th Grade: 75 available seats
- 7th & 8th Grades: Limited availability

Application Priority

- TCS gives priority to applicants who list TCS as their 1st choice.
 - While 2nd choice applicants are considered, placement is extremely limited and depends on available space after 1st choice applicants are exhausted.
- The School District cannot guarantee placement in your child's 1st or 2nd school choice. You may not get either choice.



Campus Tour Dates

Meet in the front office at 8:15am!

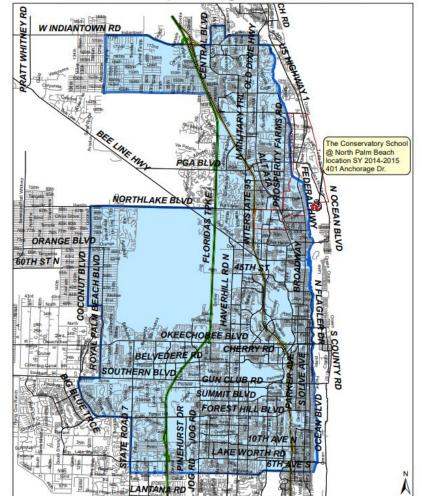
NOVEMBER 7 FEBRUARY 6

DECEMBER 5 MARCH 6

JANUARY 9 APRIL 8

The Conservatory School.org

Choice Transportation Zone The Conservatory School @ North Palm Beach



Questions

- General Questions
 - Brooke Brink, Choice Program Coordinator
 - Email: Brooke.Brink@palmbeachschools.org
 - Phone: 561.494.1837
- ESE/504/ELL Plan Questions
 - Meagan Marchica / ESE Coordinator
 - Email: Meagan.Marchica@palmbeachschools.org
 - Phone: 561.494.1832
- Language Support (Spanish and Haitian Creole)
 - Phone: 561.494.1800 to connect with Community Language Facilitator