

# PISGAH HIGH PREPARES OUR LEADERS



Pisgah High School, located in the northern part of Rankin County, is home of the Dragons with 38 certified teachers and 400+ students in grades 7-12.

Our goal is to give students a strong academic foundation to pursue their life goals. In addition to our regular curriculum courses, Pisgah offers opportunities to participate in fourteen sports and extracurricular activities, including our award-winning Innergy Show Choir.

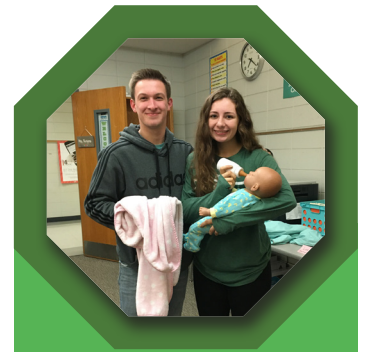
Pisgah strives to provide all of our high school students with additional resources to help prepare them for a successful path after high school. We offer an ACT Preparatory course for students their Junior year, and also partner with Hinds Community College to provide up to 35 hours of dual credit enrollment courses that students can take before graduating.



## Nutrition & Wellness

Open to students in grades 9-12, this semester course focuses on developing skills related to proper nutrition and the concept of overall wellness.

It includes instruction in nutrition, exercise and diet, healthy food choices, meal preparation, and components for a healthy lifestyle.



## Family Dynamics

This semester course, open to students in grades 9-12, helps develop skills related to personal, family, and social issues.

Instruction focuses on the dimensions of adolescent development, family decisions and responsibilities, social decisions and responsibilities, and the management of family systems in today's society.



## Cyber Foundations I & II

These innovative classes prepare students to use technology in learning, communication, and life.

**Cyber Foundations I:** (7th grade) Fundamentals of keyboarding, digital citizenship, word processing, spreadsheets, presentation tools, problem-solving, web design, and block-based coding.

**Cyber Foundations II:** Focuses on critical-thinking and problem-solving skills that impact every career field. With emphasis on self-directional skills, operations, ethical issues, communication tools, lab management, networking, database, graphic design, and career preparation.



## STEM

Introduces students to emergent technologies and careers using a project-based approach. Students learn valuable 21st-century workforce skills while solving problems through low-tech and high-tech means.

Safety, Newton's laws, electronics and mechanics, and robotics are among the exciting and relevant topics offered in this course.

Students must complete a comprehensive e-portfolio and capstone project to demonstrate their mastery of course content.



## Ag & Natural Resources

Develops students academically and technically while promoting personal growth and development through the FFA program. Exposure to multiple disciplines in fields such as animals, plants, soils, and mechanical systems, the opportunities for competition are endless with public speaking, team competitions, and skill contests. Students become prepared to enter the competitive workforce or continue their educational opportunities in agricultural/vocational related fields.



## Health Science Academy

Geared toward students who are interested in medical professions. This program gives students a head start with fundamental knowledge related to healthcare, thereby preparing them for success in their potential career field. Students learn critical components like communication amongst a healthcare team, environmental safety, infection control, systems of the body, hands-on patient care skills, and other issues relevant for a successful path in the healthcare industry.



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