



JUPITER CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

2020 Profile

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ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Seth Cohen, President
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GUIDANCE

Aliza Beaulieu, Director of Guidance
Hanna Hill, Guidance Counselor
Jennifer Gardner, Guidance Counselor
Stephanie Katterheinrich, Registrar
Katie Cich, Guidance Assistant

FACULTY

The majority of teachers hold at least a bachelor's degree and are certified either through the state of Florida, a reciprocal state or the Association of Christian Schools International.

CLASS STATISTICS

Student/Teacher Ratio: 11:1
Average Class Size: 19

ENROLLMENT

Jupiter Christian has an enrollment of over 900 students, with approximately 400 in 7th-12th grade.

GRADING SCALE

A	100-90
B	89-80
C	79-70
D	69-60
F	59-0

OUR MISSION

Jupiter Christian School is committed to excellence in teaching the mind, reaching the heart, and inspiring servant leaders who will impact the world for Jesus Christ.

ACCREDITATION

Jupiter Christian School was founded in 1963 and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI) and the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). The school features a strong academic program within a Christ-centered curriculum. JCS provides opportunities for its students through fine arts, athletics, clubs and organizations.

HONORS PROGRAM

The Honors Program diploma requires 10 credits in courses that are Honors, Advanced Placement, or Dual Enrollment. To receive an honors diploma, the student must have a 3.5 weighted GPA.

DUAL ENROLLMENT

JCS has an established partnership with Palm Beach Atlantic University which allows students to enroll in college coursework while on the Jupiter Christian School campus. These classes are offered in conjunction with their traditional curriculum. Students must hold a 3.0 cumulative GPA and have completed

SCHOOLS OF DISTINCTION

A three-year specialty course track (often referred to as a magnet program) is available for 10th-12th graders. Students may choose one of four different programs: Fine Arts • Medical • Business • Computer Science. Students have the opportunity to explore these professional fields through curricular enhancements, mentoring relationships and experiential learning. Successful completion of their chosen track allows students to graduate with a Schools of Distinction Designation.

ATHLETICS

Jupiter Christian School is a member of the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA). Jupiter Christian's athletic program includes opportunities for both Middle School and Varsity/Junior Varsity level teams and features basketball, baseball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, tennis, track & field, volleyball, swimming and wrestling.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

JCS opportunities for involvement include community service, Bible studies, mission trips, academic and fine art clubs, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, National Honor Society, National Art Honors Society, Tri-M Music Honors Society, Student Government Association and many more.

MINIMESTER

In the spring, students participate in a week-long intensive, hands-on, applied learning activities with faculty as an extension of Jupiter Christian's academic and service learning goals. Minimester course trips are offered locally, nationally, and internationally and encompass service-learning, immersion experiences, and more.*

*Due to COVID, programmatic planning may be altered.

ACADEMIC RECOGNITION

Jupiter Christian School has two honor distinctions based on all credit courses for each semester.

Principal's List: Students receiving all A's and a 4.0 or higher for the grading period.
Honor Roll: Students receiving all A's or B's and a 3.5 or higher for the grading period.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE DISTRIBUTION CLASS OF 2020 Based on cumulative weighted GPA	SAT & ACT RESULTS CLASS OF 2020			
	Top 10%	Top 25%	Top 50%	
Top 10%				
Top 25%				
Top 50%				
Overall Class Average				
	SAT	1400	1310	1216
	ACT	32	28	26

Honors courses receive an additional 0.5 quality point in the GPA calculation. Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses receive an additional 1.0 quality point in the GPA calculation.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

	<u>College Prep</u>	<u>Honors Diploma</u>
Bible	Each year	Each year
English	4.0	4.0
Science	3.0	4.0
Math (Algebra I or higher)	4.0	4.0
Social Science	3.0	4.0
Foreign Language	2.0	3.0
PE (Health/PE)	1.0	1.0
Fine Arts	1.0	1.0
Electives	<u>2.0</u>	<u>1.0</u>
Total Required	24	25

*Annual Minimester and 30 hours of community service required



PROGRAM OF STUDY (9-12TH)

The academic year is divided into two semesters, each approximately 18 weeks in length. Grades are reported at nine week intervals.

ENGLISH

English I
English I Honors
English II
American Literature Honors
English III
AP Literature & Composition
English IV
DE Composition I
DE Composition II

SCIENCE

Physical Science
Physical Science Honors
Biology
Biology Honors
Chemistry
Chemistry Honors
Anatomy & Physiology
Anatomy & Physiology Honors
Marine Biology

Microbiology Honors*

Physics Honors
AP Biology*
AP Chemistry*
AP Physics

MATH

Algebra IB
Algebra I
Algebra I Honors
Geometry
Geometry Honors
Algebra II
Algebra II Honors
Math for College Readiness
Pre-Calculus Honors
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
DE College Algebra

BIBLE

Old Testament Literature
Life of Christ and Early Church
New Testament Literature
Worldview and Ethics
Worldview and Ethics Honors

SOCIAL STUDIES

World History
AP World History
US History
AP US History
Economics
Economics Honors
United States Government
AP US Government

FINE ARTS

Visual Art Survey
AP Studio Art 2-D Design
AP Studio Art Drawing
Band I, II, III, IV
Chorus I, II, III, IV
Theatre I, II, III, IV
Videography I, II
Yearbook Journalism

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Personal Fitness & Health
Team Sports

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Spanish I
Spanish II

Spanish III Honors

ELECTIVES

Test Prep & Personal Finance
Debate*
Introduction to Leadership
Marketing Principles*
Computer Science Principles
Computer Programming*
AP Computer Science Principles
DE General Psychology
DE Developmental Psychology
DE Introduction to Business
DE Macroeconomics
DE Microeconomics

*Course offered on a rotating basis.

JCS GUIDED PRACTICE

Every Upper School Faculty is required to host two Guided Practice sessions per week. These office hours serve as a great way for students to get extra help or clarification as needed.

SELECTION OF COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES AND MATRICULATIONS

Abilene Christian	Embry Riddle Aeronautical	Marshall University	Toccoa Falls College
American University	Flagler College	Michigan State University	Tufts University
Appalachian State University	Florida Atlantic University (Honors)	New York Film Academy	Tulane University
Asbury College	Florida Gulf Coast University	Niagara University	U.S. Air Force Academy
Auburn University	Florida International University	North Carolina State	Union University
Ave Maria University	Florida Institute of Technology	Northeastern University	University of Alabama
Baylor University	Florida Polytechnic University	North Greenville College	University of California Los Angeles
Belmont University	Florida Southern College	Occidental College	University of Central Florida
Berry College	Florida State University	Ohio State University	University of Chicago
Bethel University	Fordham University	Oklahoma State University	University of Colorado
Boston College	Full Sail University	Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Dallas
Boston University	Furman University	Palm Beach State College	University of Florida
Bryan College	Gardner-Webb University	Penn State University	University of Georgia
Bucknell University	Georgia Tech	Pepperdine University	University of Kentucky
Butler University	Gordon College	Princeton University	University of Massachusetts Boston
Campbell University	Grove City College	Providence College	University of Miami
Case Western Reserve University	High Point University	Regent University	University of Mississippi
Cedarville University	Hofstra University	Rhodes College	University of North Carolina
Central Michigan University	Huntingdon College	Ringling School of Art & Design	University of North Florida
Chapman University	Indiana University	Rollins College	University of Pittsburgh
Charleston Southern	Jacksonville State University	Rutgers University	University of Southern Carolina
Clemson University	Jacksonville University	Saint Leo University	University of South Florida
Coastal Carolina University	Johns Hopkins University	Salve Regina University	University of Tampa
Colgate University	Keene State College	Samford University	University of Tennessee
Cornell University	Kennesaw State University	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of West Florida
Covenant College	King's College	Sierra Nevada College	Villanova University
Davis College	LeTourneau University	Southeastern University	Virginia Tech University
DePaul University	Lee University	Stanford University	Wagner College
DePauw University	Liberty University	Stetson University	Washington State University
Drexel University	Lipscomb University	St. John's University	Wellesley College
East Tennessee State University	Loyola University	St. Louis University	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Eckerd College	Marquette University	Taylor University	Wheaton College
Elon University	Manhattan College	Thomas University	Worcester Polytechnic Institute