

Welcome!

Parent – Student Orientation



Why Orientation?

THINC Mission

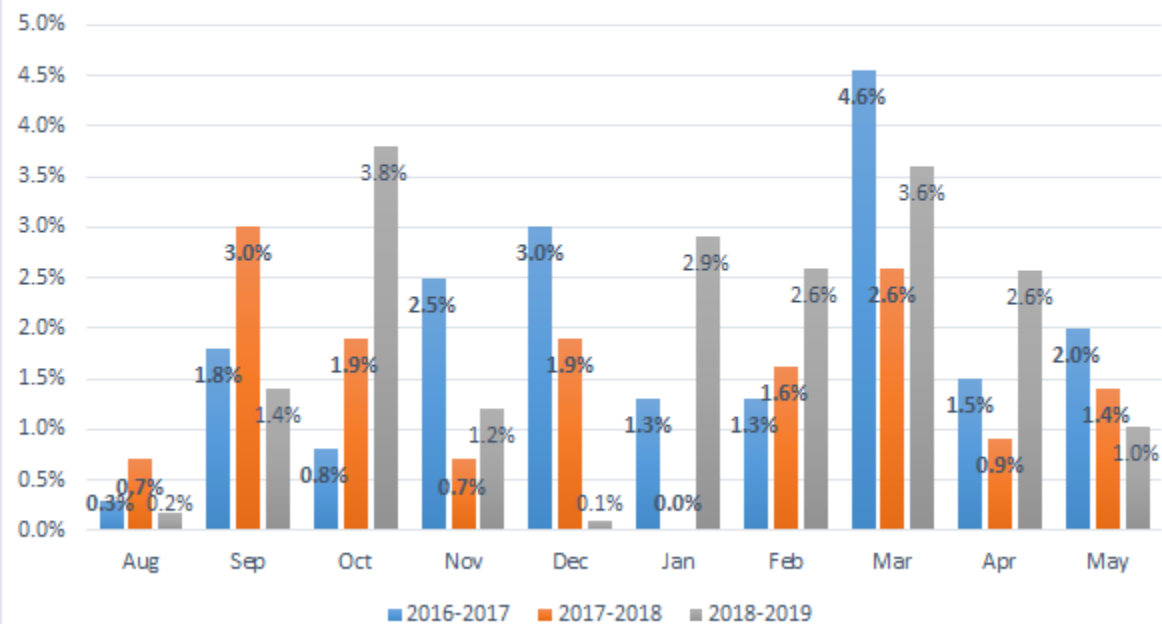
To produce work-savvy graduates in an expert-based charter academy using a down-to-business approach to education with authentic hands-on curriculum extending learning beyond the traditional classroom propelled by sustained community support.

Differences - THINC vs. Base Campus

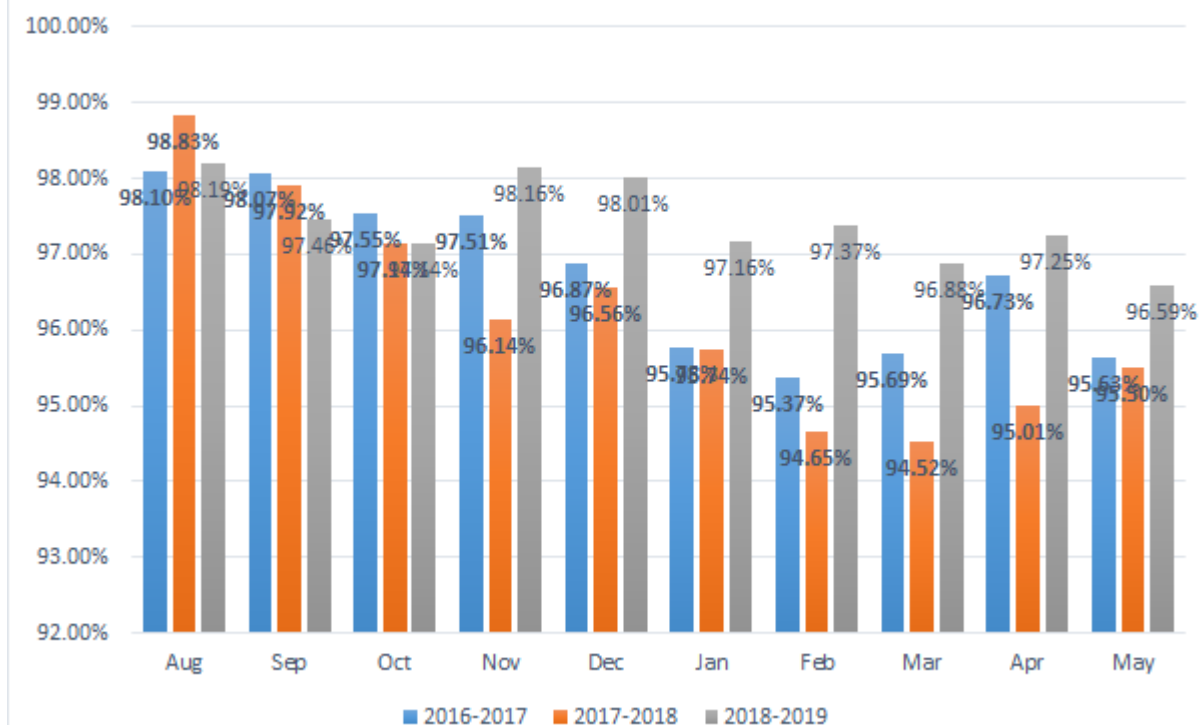
- Discipline: OSS vs. ISS
- Block Scheduling
- Transportation
- Attendance
- Academic Success
- Soft Skills
- Student Handbook – www.troup.org/thinc

Discipline & Attendance

% of Student Population Receiving Disciplinary Referral



Average Monthly Attendance



Culture of Business & Higher Education

Carry Yourself as Young Professionals

- School as a Job
- WGTC Campus
- Visitor Interaction
 - Tours & VIPs
- Potential Employers

THINC Expectations

Transform yourself - through leadership

Hold yourself to a higher standard - with a professional, business-like approach

Ignite your future - by showing initiative and engagement

Navigate the world of the workplace - by dressing for success

Care - about your environment and THINC.



13 Soft Skills

Professional
& Career
Ready

1. Attendance
2. Teamwork
3. Problem Solving
4. Initiative
5. Productivity
6. Communication
7. Cooperation
8. Respect
9. Appearance
10. Attitude
11. Sense of Urgency
12. Adaptability
13. Attention to Detail



GRADUATE PROFILE

Plan for
Postsecondary
Education

Continuum of Career
Experiences

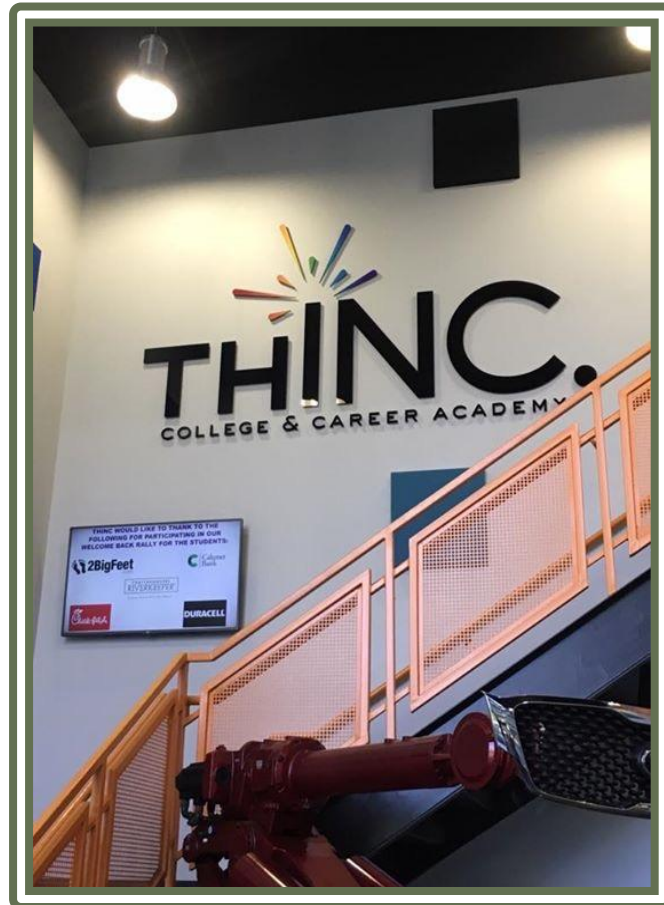
Engaged
Locally,
Connected
Globally



Articulate,
Driven, Ready

CULTURE MATTERS

THINC WELCOME BACK



THINC FAST

**OVER 60 VOLUNTEERS –
OVER 1,200 INTERVIEWS**

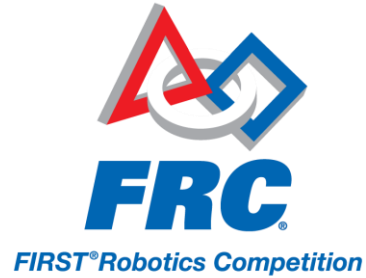




Project Based Learning



Career Technical Student Organizations



Your Guide to Success! (pg. 10)

- Soft Skills
 - 30% grade

- Professional Dress Day - Tuesdays (required)
 - Student Awareness

- Attendance
 - Critical to Success
 - Block Schedule
 - Miss no more than 3 days per semester (4 hours of instruction)

Dual Enrollment & Work Based Learning

It is the hope of THINC College and Career Academy that all of our students will continue their pathway by enrolling in a post secondary program (certificate, diploma or degree) and gain valuable work experience through the Work Based Learning program.

- All students who are dually enrolled in a post secondary institution and receive instruction on the college campus or online are scheduled through THINC and have their grades transcribed by the THINC registrar.
- All students who participate in WBL are scheduled and have their grades transcribed by the THINC registrar.
- The THINC registrar works closely with all base school counselors and with the post secondary institution to ensure proper scheduling.

STAY Informed, GET Involved!

Important Information (pg. 10)

- Parent Commitment Letter

Parent 411 (pg. 11)

- Parent Portal- Base Schools and THINC
- One Call- Remain Subscribed!
- Social Media
- CTSO Competitions
- THINC Websites- We have TWO!
- Instructors' Google Classroom

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Thank you!