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September 17, 2025

**Annual Public Notice Meeting Tuesday, September 23, 2025 6 PM:**

Comprehensive Achievement and Civic Readiness (CACR)

- All children are ready for school.
- All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.
- All students are ready for career and college.
- All students graduate from high school.
- Prepare students to be lifelong learners.

During the 2024-2025 school year, Cologne Academy served Pre-Kindergarten – 8th Grade students.

Cologne Academy has created a plan to align curriculum and instruction to address the first three goals. Cologne Academy provides our graduating 8th graders a solid foundation to be successful in their secondary school choice and meet the state's last two goals.

Cologne Academy's Goals include:

1. Increase the number of students ready for Kindergarten.
2. Cologne Academy will continue to support equity in education. Equity is different from equality. Equity is a principle that is based upon justness and fairness, while equality demands everyone be treated at the same level.
3. Increase the Achievement Rate in school-wide performance in reading, math, and science.
4. Cologne Academy will perform better than the national average in grades 4 and 8 and in all content areas on the FastBridge.
5. Consistent attendance is a measure of students who attend more than 90 percent of the time they are enrolled and is a new accountability measure for ESSA.

Cologne Academy's Annual Board Meeting to review WBWF Goals is September 23, 2025; prior to CACR goals. The meeting is designed to empower stakeholders (teachers, parents/guardians, support staff, students and other community residents) to provide feedback on the data in the report.

Measuring what matters: making data visible, using research and discussing data regularly

- ★ Cologne Academy will achieve this by<sup>1</sup> :
- ★ Prioritize closing the gaps: Set and communicate the vision and targets for closing gaps.
- ★ Start early: Invest in students early on- learn trouble spots and establish prevention strategies.
- ★ Engage more deeply: Monitor equitable implementation of standards
- ★ Value people: Focus on teachers and leaders. Hire the best people for our most vulnerable students.
- ★ Improve conditions for learning: Focus on school culture, climate, and social-emotional development.
- ★ Connect teaching to the experiences, knowledge, and needs of the student.

<sup>1</sup> Adapted from the Council for Chief State School Officers and the Florida Department of Education

Presentation is found [here](#)

Looking forward to another phenomenal year at Cologne Academy.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lynn Peterson  
Executive Director