



# Seffner Christian Academy High School Profile 2017-2018

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## High School Leadership

Roger Duncan, *Head of School*

Sam Moorer, *Asst. Head of School*

Jody Duncan, *High School Principal*

Mallory Everitt, *Director of Guidance*

Matthew Van Kleeck, *Dean of Students*

Dee Franks, *Athletic Director*

Andy Holmes, *Asst. Athletic Director*

**Grades 9-12:** approx. 300 Students

**Graduating Class:** 75 Seniors

## Mission Statement

*The mission of Seffner Christian Academy is to provide academic excellence in a Christ-centered environment with a challenging educational program based on the principles of God's Word. Our goal is to train and develop young men and women of integrity who are committed to God and His Word and have a desire to impact the world for Christ.*

## Accreditation & Membership:

Accredited by Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

**Seffner Christian Academy** opened its doors in 1983 to the Tampa Bay area and has provided academic excellence for over 30 years. SCA quickly grew to over 700 students in K-2 - 12th grade. SCA is a ministry of First Free Will Baptist Church, and is supported many other churches, parents and members of the community. SCA is committed to providing a distinctively Christian program while providing an education that is challenging and relevant to the 21st century learner.

**Faculty:** The educators at SCA hold a minimum of Bachelor's degree, as well professional teaching certification through the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). Many hold additional certifications in the state of Florida and professional organizations. The administration and instructional staff averages fifteen years of teaching experience.

**Curriculum:** SCA offers a challenging college preparatory academic program. The curriculum is selected to equip students to meet and exceed state and national standards. Academic classes are taught by caring teachers who challenge the students both intellectually and spiritually. A variety of secular and Christian curriculum is used to provide our teachers and students with the best possible resources, and Biblical values are integrated into all classes. A large variety of honors and Advanced Placement (AP) courses are offered along with dual enrollment opportunities at Hillsborough Community College (for students who meet criteria). The high school academic program stresses independence and college readiness.

**Honor Society:** SCA holds charters in the National Honor Society and the National Junior Beta Club to recognize students who excel academically, as well as in the areas of character, service, leadership and integrity.

**Fine Arts:** An award winning fine arts program is offered at SCA which includes: drama, chorus, ensembles, art, band, and jazz ensemble.

**Athletics:** The Florida High School Athletic Association is the governing body for student athletes at SCA. The athletic program offers: **Boys:** Football, Basketball, Cross Country, Soccer, Baseball, Tennis, Track. **Girls:** Volleyball, Beach Volleyball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Basketball, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track

**Testing Program:** Students in grades 9-11 take the PSAT for college exam preparation. All seniors take the SAT and/or ACT prior to graduation.

*Seffner Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, national, and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally afforded or made available to students at the school.*

# High School Program of Study

\*Denotes Honors Option

## Grading Scale and GPA

GPA= all high school level subjects not including study hall or teacher assistant.

	FRESHMAN	SOPHOMORE	JUNIOR	SENIOR	Graduation Req.
BIBLE	New Testament	Old Testament	Christian Doctrine	Patterns for Christian Living	4 Credits <small>* courses meet state of FL Character Ed. Req.</small>
ENGLISH	English I* Fund. of Writing	English II*	English III* <b>AP Eng Lang</b>	English IV* <b>AP Eng Lit</b>	4 Credits
MATH	Algebra I* Geometry*	Geometry* Algebra II*	Algebra II* Pre-Calculus Advanced Topics in Math	Pre-Calculus Advanced Topics in Math Consumer Math <b>AP Calculus</b>	4 Credits
SCIENCE	Physical Science* Biology*	Biology* Chemistry*	Chemistry* Anatomy* Env. Science* Physics*	Anatomy* Env. Science* Physics* <b>AP Env. Sci.</b>	4 Credits
SOCIAL STUDIES	American Gov*	World History* <b>AP World History</b>	US History* <b>AP US History</b>	Economics* Life Management Skills* Psychology <b>AP Psychology</b>	3.5 Credits Gov- .5 Econ- .5 Life Man Skill- .5 US Hist- 1 World Hist- 1
WORLD LANGUAGE		Spanish I Latin I	Spanish II Latin II	Latin III	2 credits 2 consec yrs
PHYSICAL ED	HOPE				1 credit
Electives	2 Elective Options per year				1 credit of Fine or practical Art required for Graduation
SCA students meet the state of Florida digital learning requirements through online high school courses (such as FLVS), online dual enrollment courses, and the SCA technology integration initiative.					

- Individualized college/career planning is available for every high school student.
- **95% of Seniors are college bound immediately following high school.**
- Students are eligible for numerous scholarships, including Florida Bright Futures.
- **Class of 2017 was awarded over \$3.8 Million in scholarships**

Percent	Gr	GPA	Hon/AP
90-100	A	4.0	4.5/5
80-89	B	3.0	3.5/4
71-79	C	2.0	2.5/3
65-70	D	1.0	1.5/2

## Elective Offerings:

Art, Digital Music, Drama, Computing for College & Career, Band, Debate, Weight Training, Team Sports, Photography, Yearbook,, Emerging Technologies, Choir, Guitar, SAT Prep, Study Hall (no credit), and Teacher Assistant (no credit).

ACT and SAT Test scores rank higher than State and National averages.  
AP courses have an exam pass rate above the national average.

## Seffner Christian Academy College Acceptance List

Andrews University  
Appalachian State University  
Armwood College  
Auburn University  
Averett University  
Baptist Bible College  
Baptist College of Florida  
Belmont University  
Bethune-Cookman University  
Biola University  
Bob Jones University  
Campbell University  
Carson-Newman University  
Cedarville University  
Charleston Southern Univ.  
Columbia Inter. University  
Covenant College  
Eckerd College

Elon University  
Embry Riddle Aero. University  
Flagler University  
Florida Atlantic University  
Florida College  
Florida Gulf Coast University  
Florida Inter. University  
Florida Memorial University  
Florida Southern College  
Florida State University  
Franklin College  
Harding University  
Iowa State University  
Jacksonville University  
Johns Hopkins University  
Johnson & Wales University  
King's College  
LaGrange College

Lee University  
Liberty University  
Mississippi State University  
Ohio Wesleyan University  
Olivet Nazarene University  
Oxford University  
Palm Beach Atlantic University  
Pensacola Christian College  
Regent University  
Samford University  
Southeastern University  
Stetson University  
St. Leo University  
Texas State  
Texas A & M  
Trinity College of Florida  
Tulane University  
U.S. Naval Academy

University of Central Florida  
University of Florida  
University of Louisville  
University of Miami  
University of Mississippi  
University of NC (Chapel Hill)  
University of North Florida  
University of Notre Dame  
University of South Florida  
University of So. Mississippi  
University of Tampa  
University of Texas  
University of West Florida  
Warner University  
Welch College  
West Virginia University  
Wheaton College  
Word of Life Bible Institute