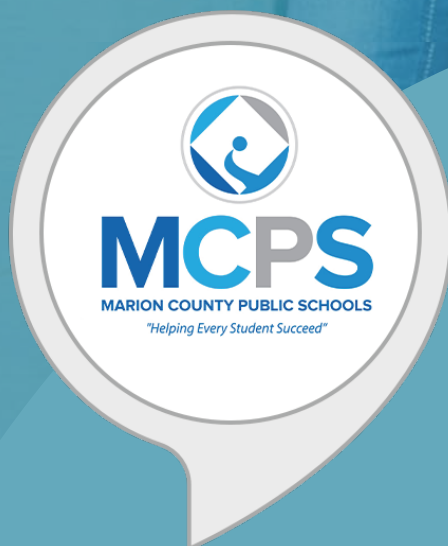


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Ocala

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM



**EXCHANGE
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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

MARION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS



PUBLIC



HOMESTAY



COED



CITY



ARTS



SPORTS



DIPLOMA

14 to 18
years old

F-1
VISA

ELTiS
English Proficiency
Test provided

DISTRICT DETAILS

Grades Accepted: 9-12

Student Population: Co-Ed (Boys & Girls)

Religious Affiliation: Not Religious

ESL Offered: Yes

Sports: Yes (9-11 grades). Varsity is not allowed for international students. The students can practice but are not allowed to play.

Graduation & Diploma: Yes (Must meet graduation requirements)

Program Length: Fall and Spring Semester & Fall Year

Accommodation: Homestay (Private Room)

Website: <https://www.marionschools.net>



OCALA (FL)

CLOSEST AIRPORT

Orlando International Airport (MCO)

Population: 59,267

Community: Ocala is a city in Seminole County, about 1 hour from Orlando, Florida. The city is well known for its hundreds of thoroughbred horse farms situated in attractive rolling green pastures, featuring numerous rivers and lakes. The Ocala National Forest is one of the state's most popular natural destinations and offers visitors a vast array of year-round activity options, including kayaking, camping, fishing, and wildlife photography and viewing.

DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

Highest concentrations of top-ranked public schools in Florida.

Schools awarded as America's Best High Schools by US News and World Report and America's Most Rigorous High Schools by the Washington Post.

One of the best School Districts for Athletes in Florida.

Grade A Schools.

HOGGETOWNE MEDIEVAL FAIRE

The Faire is full of old-world activities, knife throwers, jugglers, dancers, and amusement park-style rides.

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

Ocala has many outdoor activities for those who enjoy having fun. You can spend your morning out exploring, watching birds, and biking trails.

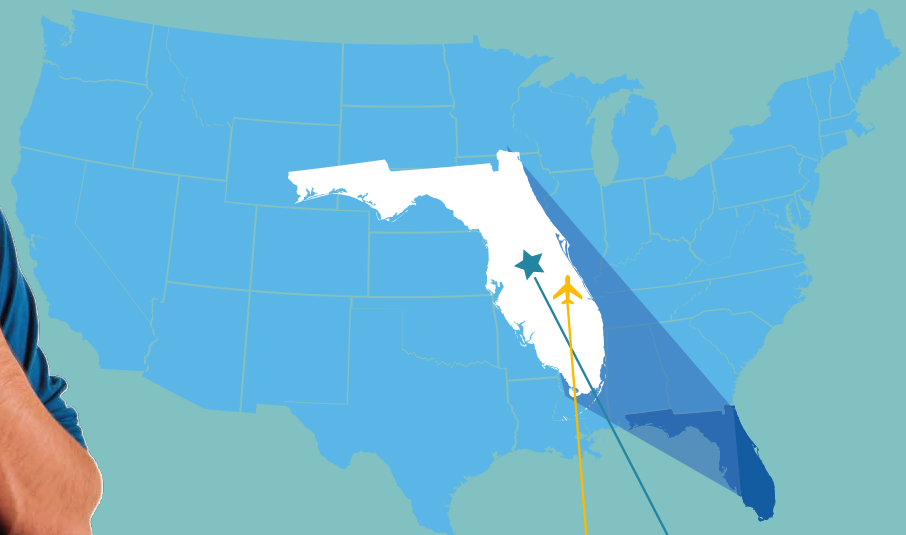
HORSE CAPITAL OF THE WORLD

There are more than 70,000 acres of thoroughbred breeding and training farms around Ocala.

AGRITOURISM & U-PICK FARMS

In Ocala, people can explore authentic Florida citrus groves, and fill baskets with fresh blueberries.

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ORLANDO
Closest Airport: MCO

SCHOOL PROFILES

All classes, sports, clubs and other activities offered by the schools are subject to change. Availability will only be confirmed upon arrival. Students must meet state requirements and pass school tryouts in order to play sports during the program.



FOREST HIGH SCHOOL

www.marionschools.net/Page/29

Number of Students: 2,058

Grades: 9-12

Highlights: Agricultural Science / Airforce JROTC / AP Capstone Classes / Business & Entrepreneurship Classes / Engineering and Manufacturing Institute of Technology Program (EMIT) / Hospitality and Tourism Classes / Medical Skills / Teacher Preparation.

Foreign Languages: Spanish.

Arts: 2D Studio Art, Acting, Band, Culinary Arts, Digital Design, Digital Video Tech, Eurhythmics, Guitar, Instrumental Ensemble, Instrumental Techniques, Jazz Ensemble, Music Ensemble, Musical Theatre, Sculpture, Vocal Ensemble, and Vocal Techniques.

AP Courses: Art-Drawing Portfolio, Biology, Calculus AB, Capstone Research, Capstone Seminar, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and

Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics I, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, and World History.

Boys Sports:

Fall – Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, and Swimming.

Winter – Basketball, Soccer, and Wrestling.

Spring – Baseball, Flag Football, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track & Field, and Weightlifting.

Girls Sports:

Fall – Bowling, Cross Country, Golf, Slow-Pitch Softball, Swimming, and Volleyball.

Winter – Basketball, Competitive Cheerleading, Soccer, and Weightlifting.

Spring – Fast-Pitch Softball, Lacrosse, Sand Volleyball, Tennis, and Track & Field.

WEST PORT HIGH SCHOOL

www.marionschools.net/wph

Number of Students: 2,659

Grades: 9 -12

Highlights: SMagnet Program / Army JROTC / Biomed / Global Logistics / Early College Program / Marion County Center for the Arts / Career & Technical Education.

Foreign Languages: French, and Spanish.

Arts: 2D Studio Art, Band, Ceramic and Pottery, Creative Photography, Dance Techniques, Digital Art Imaging, Drawing, Eurhythmics, Guitar, Instrumental Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble, Keyboarding, Marching Band, Music Technology and Sound Engineering, Music Theory, Orchestra, Speech, Theatre, and Vocal Ensemble.

AP Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Capstone Research, Capstone Seminar, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Human Geography, Microeconomics, Physics, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, and World History.

Boys Sports:

Fall – Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, and Swimming.

Winter – Basketball, Soccer, and Wrestling.

Spring – Baseball, Flag Football, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track & Field, and Weightlifting.

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