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Career Academies

Auto Body Repair
Automotive Technology
Business Management
Cosmetology
Culinary Arts
Commercial Arts
Digital Film & Broadcasting
Information Technology
Marine Technology
Medical Sciences
Motorcycle Tech
Music & Sound Production
Veterinary Assistant

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Located in Central Palm Beach County, South Tech Academy Charter School is a Career Academy High School graduating students with a college-ready high school diploma in addition to vocational training earned from one of our thirteen career academies. Students engage in rigorous academic courses along with academy courses sequenced for students to earn industry certifications in the academy of the students' choice. The core mission for our students is to graduate prepared for work, higher education, and productive citizenship.

Facts at a Glance

- 1,130 students enrolled
- Student population consisting of 15% White, 39% Black, 42% Hispanic/Latino, 4% Other
- 82% of students receive Free/Reduced Lunch



Curriculum 2015-2016

South Tech Academy is run on a 4 x 4 block schedule in which students take 4 90 minute classes per day. Students earn 8 credits per year and graduate with a

AP Courses Offered

Environmental Science English Lang & Comp Spanish

Honors Courses Offered

English I - IV

at Honors Level

Geometry
Pre-Calculus
Calculus
Math Analysis
Chemistry
Earth/Space Science
Biology
Marine Science
World History
U.S. History
Economics/U.S. Government
*Academy Electives also offered

Graduation Requirements	Class of 2016	
Required Courses		
Language Arts	English I, II, II, and IV	
Mathematics	4 credits (must include Algebra I and Geometry)	
Science	3 credits (physical science, biology, science elective)	
Social Studies	3 credits (US history, world history, ½ economics, ½ US government)	
Fine Art	1 credit in fine or performing art, speech, debate, or specified CTE course	
Physical Education	1 credit (½ PE and ½ personal fitness or 1 credit of HOPE)	
Electives	8 credits	
Exams	Grade 10 FCAT 2.0 Reading: Level 3	
Exams	Algebra I EOC: Level 3	
GPA	2.0 GPA	
Community Service	20 hours	

2015 Testing Profile				
ACT Composite Mean	SAT Math Mean	SAT Reading Mean		
17.3	421	443		

2015 Senior Survey Results			
% Plan to Attend 4-Year School	% Plan to Attend 2-year/ State College	% Plan to Attend Vocational/Technical School	
15%	56%	5%	