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SAT/ACT Code: 102084  
ISEE Code: 102102

**Memberships and Affiliations**

Association of Classical Christian Schools  
Association of Christian Schools International  
Educational Records Bureau  
Temple Terrace Chamber of Commerce

**Admissions Guidelines**

Student must demonstrate academic and developmental readiness, diligence in previous academic endeavors, and the potential to contribute to the community of scholars at the Paideia School. Admission testing (ISEE, K-SEALS, and Paideia Grammar School Testing) is required in addition to a personal interview.

**Virtuous Conduct**

The Paideia School is committed to a wholesome moral atmosphere through exemplary speech, life, love, faith, and purity throughout the campus. The school’s Biblically based honor code is a vital component for establishing the expectations for conduct at Paideia.

**Faculty**

The faculty at Paideia consists of 16 teachers. One third of the faculty hold Masters level degrees or higher.

**Enrollment**

2007-2008  
Total Students : 66  
K – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade : 46  
7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade: 20

**Curriculum**

The Paideia School offers rigorous academic instruction designed to develop the skills for a lifetime of continued learning.

**Program Credits (9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

English	4
Bible	4
History	4
Math	5
Science	4
Classical Languages	4
Rhetoric	2
Fine Arts (Art/Music)	4
Physical Education	.5

**Advanced Placement**

Students may sit for Advanced Placement exams upon completion of the following courses: Calculus, Statistics, American Literature, and U.S. History.

**SAT Scores 2006-2008**

SAT Scores	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
Mean Score	745	720	650

**Standardized Test Scores**

Students in 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade write the Comprehensive Testing Program (CTP 4) annually. Paideia student scores are consistently well above the national average. The CTP 4 is a test written and evaluated by the Education Records Bureau.

## PEERS Test

Paideia students participate in the PEERS Test in 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> Grades. The PEERS Test assesses a student's Biblical worldview in Politics, Education, Economics, Religion, and Social issues. The PEERS test is written and evaluated by the Nehemiah Institute.

## College Admissions Acceptance (*partial list*)

Hillsdale College  
Oglethorpe University  
Westmont College  
New College (USF) Honors College  
University of South Florida (Honors Program)

## Grade Distribution

A	91-100	4.0
B	81-90	3.0
C	71-80	2.0
D	61-70	1.0
F	0 – 60	0.0

## Fine and Performing Arts

Students at Paideia participate in annual choral performances, art exhibits and contests, as well as an annual theatrical performance. Performances include: Shakespeare's Julius Caesar and Macbeth

## Junior & Senior Projects

Junior projects include a formal speech and debate. Recent topics range from welfare reform to immigration to R-rated movies to teen spirituality to the constitutionality of the Patriot Act.

Prospective graduates complete a Senior Thesis as the capstone to their academic careers at Paideia. Students work with a faculty advisor in developing the thesis, and present and defend their thesis before a faculty panel. Recent topics include: the role of digital media and a Biblical perspective on literary satire.

## Family and Faculty Church Affiliations

Church Affiliation	Percent of Paideia Members
Baptist	51%
Non-Denominational	27%
Charismatic	9%
Lutheran	4%
Pentecostal	4%
Presbyterian	4%

## Field Trips and Activities

Paideia students participate in a wide variety of field trips and activities to enhance their learning experiences. Recent trips and activities include: The Ringling Museum, The Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Museum of Science and Industry, USF Botanical Gardens, Holocaust Museum, University of Tampa, The Holy Land Experience, University of South Florida, Hillsdale College, Ligonier Conference, Saint Augustine's Historic District, Civil War sites Atlanta, Publix, Fire Station, Carriage Museum and Horse Farm, Medieval Times, Tampa Art Museum, Florida International Museum, Strawberry Farm, John Knox Village, You Do the Dishes, Margeson Theatre, Tarpon Springs Sponge Docks, Fairy Tale Day, Pioneer Day, Egyptian Day, 17<sup>th</sup> Century Day, Cowboy Day, Colonial Day, and Favorite Philosopher Evening.

## Enrichment Activities

Paideia students participate in a variety of after school and summer activities offered at the Paideia campus. Activities include: Private guitar and piano lessons, Odyssey of the Mind, drama, tutoring, computers, grammar, and creative writing.