



Broward County High Schools

(see page 2 for sources and explanations of data components)

	2019 U.S. News and World Report of Best High schools				
	National Rank	State Rank	% Reading Proficiency	% Math Proficiency	College Ready Index
County Average	n/a	n/a	55	49	32
ATLANTIC TECHNICAL HIGHSCHOOL* (MAG)	984	50	89	78	38
BLANCHE ELY HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	10,849	422	30	25	13
BOYD H. ANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)			18	17	13
CHAMPIONSHIP ACADEMY OF DISTINCTION HIGH SCHOOL					
CHARLES W FLANAGAN HIGH SCHOOL	3,180	162	57	53	32
COCONUT CREEK HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	10,691	418	30	35	13
COLLEGE ACADEMY AT BROWARD COLLEGE					56
COOPER CITY HIGH SCHOOL	1,380	74	73	66	47
CORAL GLADES HIGH SCHOOL	4,359	206	54	43	31
CORAL SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL	4,899	224	47	45	25
CYPRESS BAY HIGH SCHOOL	498	33	80	76	65
DEERFIELD BEACH HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	5,154	241	44	39	28
EVERGLADES HIGH SCHOOL	3,141	159	58	50	35
FORT LAUDERDALE HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	1,073	61	65	74	41
FRANKLIN ACADEMY PEMBROKE PINES HIGH SCHOOL	1,269	70	77	69	46
HALLANDALE HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	8,901	363	29	27	22
HOLLYWOOD HILLS HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	8,426	350	35	44	19
J. P. TARAVELLA HIGH SCHOOL	4,140	198	49	49	31
MARJORY STONEMAN DOUGLAS HIGH SCHOOL	1,186	66	74	72	47
MCARTHUR HIGH SCHOOL	6,538	285	40	40	24
MIRAMAR HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	5,993	274	38	33	24
MONARCH HIGH SCHOOL	4,041	196	56	47	35
NORTHEAST HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	9,726	392	37	29	23
NOVA HIGH SCHOOL	898	47	73	61	50
PIPER HIGH SCHOOL	8,115	339	38	35	18
PLANTATION HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	5,914	268	36	36	28
POMPANO BEACH HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	202	20	91	76	77
SHERIDAN TECHNICAL COLLEGE (MAG)	7,541	319	85	69	
SOMERSET ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH	820	42	78	59	61
SOMERSET ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL MIRAMAR CAN	5,751	263	39	29	31
SOMERSET ACADEMY KEY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL					
SOMERSET ARTS CONSERVATORY	419	31	85	72	67
SOMERSET PREPARATORY ACADEMY CHARTER HIGH AT NORT	10,645	415	97	31	
SOUTH BROWARD HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	6,196	277	48	40	23
SOUTH PLANTATION HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	3,424	171	48	48	32
STRANAHAN HIGH SCHOOL (MAG)	5,790	264	35	34	31
WEST BROWARD HIGH SCHOOL	1,821	99	72	66	43
WESTERN HIGH SCHOOL	1,575	85	65	68	45
WILLIAM T. MCFATTER TECHNICAL COLLEGE (MAG)	380	30	94	73	62

FL Dept. of Education School Grades, School Year ending:			
2019	2018	2017	2016
B	B	B	B
A	A	A	A
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Top High Schools as of 2019

Florida					
Pine View School, Osprey (STEM/MAG)	15	1	100	100	100
School For Advanced Studies Homestead, Homestead	26	2	N/A	100	100
Suncoast Community High School, Riviera Beach	88	11	90	85	91
Coral Reef Senior High School, Miami (MAG)	193	19	88	81	76
Best State (Massachusetts)					
Boston Latin School, Boston	33	1	100	100	95
Medfield Senior High, Medfield	610	20	98	96	69

NOTE: blank cells indicate data not available or (in the case of rankings) indicate that the school was not qualified to be ranked by U.S. News and World Report. For example, schools below the 25th percentile have their scores concealed by US News & World Report who simply report the entire bottom quartile's ranking range. We elected not to show that range here because it's not specific enough to be meaningful in our data. Schools without a grade 12 or with very small enrollment are simply displayed as Unranked by US News & World Report and not shown here.
 * Atlantic Technical High School is also referred to by the names Atlantic Technical Center and Atlantic Technical College (secondary school)



Explanations of County High School Data Components

U.S. News and World Report Data

Overall data source	http://tinyurl.com/usn-education
Ranking Algorithm & Criteria for a School to Be Ranked	http://tinyurl.com/usn-algorithm
Nationally-Ranked Schools	http://tinyurl.com/usn-national-ranking
Florida Ranked Schools	http://tinyurl.com/usn-florida-ranking
Reading Proficiency	Assessment of students' ability to read at grade level.
Math Proficiency	Assessment of students' ability to perform math at grade level.
College Readiness Index	Index representing the proportion of a school's 12th graders that took and passed AP/IB exams. Maximim possible: 100
County Average	Average scores for the Florida schools listed
Top High Schools - Florida	Shows a sampling of highly-ranked Florida Schools
Top High Schools - Best State	Shows a sampling of highly-ranked schools from the #1 nationally-ranked state

FL Dept. of Education School Grades

School and County Letter Grades as calculated by the Florida DOE	http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/accountability-reporting/school-grades/ (see "School Grades" Excel file for individual school grades) (see "District Grades" Excel file for county grades)
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Comparing Ranking Data (proficiencies & college-ready index) with Florida DOE school grades

The main purpose for sharing this data is to point out the obvious disconnect when you compare nationally-normed high school ranking data (reading proficiency, math proficiency and college-ready index) with the Florida DOE "report card" grades which are calculated using a FL DOE proprietary formula. This proprietry grading formula was created by and can be manipulated by the FL DOE. By grading on the low "curve", the school grades can be made to look much better than is actually the case. So don't take it at face value when your school claims to be an "A" school (for example). Look at the U.S. News and World Report data and see if it supports the claim. We need visibility into the TRUE academic performance of Florida schools. Moving away from the highly manipulated FL DOE proprietary grading system is a MUST if we're to effectively judge the efficiency of Florida Schools.