



Indian Trails Middle School (ITMS)

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An "A" Rated School District

A Word From Our Principal

At Indian Trails Middle School we empower our students to follow their dreams and passions in order to "Invent Their Future", because we are Trailblazers! This school report outlines the key characteristics of our school from both an academic and non-academic perspective. I hope it helps you understand what makes Indian Trails unique. Please reach out to us if you have any questions about our school.

Dr Craig Johnson

What Makes Us Special

- We're proud to offer a Program of Emphasis on Renewable Energy, allowing students the opportunity to collaborate with real world energy partners to combat environmental issues facing our planet.
- We also offer an outstanding Culinary Arts program, giving every student the opportunity to become the next Top Chef...and cook amazing dinners for mom and dad too!
- New this year, we now offer Sustainable Living! This program gives students a chance to grow crops on the campus farm and use them to support a more sustainable campus and community!

Advanced Academics

2019-2020 Data

64% of Indian Trails students have participated in high school math courses for credit.

Indian Trails offers the following high school courses for high school credit: Spanish 1, Algebra 1 Honors, Geometry Honors, Ecology, iConnect

Technology and the Future

All middle school students are provided opportunities to earn either a digital tool or industry certification through the completion of the following courses:

- **iJourney:** Students discover educational pathways offered in SCPS and develop a personalized career plan.
- **iChallenge:** This coding and game-based course prepares students to take AP Computer Science Principles in high school. (Semester or year-long options vary by school)
- **iConnect:** Students discover new possibilities and learn about technology applications and communication techniques.



Student Achievement

2019-2020 Data

- All students in 8th grade at Indian Trails Middle School have an opportunity to take the PSAT 8/9 at no cost.
- Last year, Indian Trails 8th graders had an average score of 884 out of 1440, higher than the Florida average of 825.

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Indian Trails Middle School earned an A grade from the Florida DOE in 2019.

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- We consistently rank as one of the top middle schools in Seminole County in all academic measures!
- We offer a range of electives including dance, band, robotics, chorus, art, creative writing, to name a few.
- ITMS cross country is one of the top programs in the State of Florida!
- Our Broadway Blazers is an after school theater program where you can sharpen your skills before making it to Broadway!
- We are an award winning PBIS school: Rewarding our students for positive interactions and respect for all!
- Our culinary arts program is step 1 of the Culinary Career track. Start at ITMS & graduate with Industry Certification.

Future High School Pathways for Our Students



Winter Springs: 71%



Oviedo: 22%



For additional pathways see [Student Assignment and Program Access](#)

School Health and Safety

The health, safety and security of staff and students is our top priority. We follow CDC COVID mitigation strategies and work closely with local, state, and federal agencies to ensure a sanitized and safe environment for your child's learning. Our School Resource Officer is Dan Johnson with the Seminole County Sheriffs Department.



The SpeakOut program provides three 24-hour monitored services that allows students, parents, or community members to anonymously report concerns. www.speakouthotline.org

65% of student respondents would recommend ITMS



87% of parent respondents would recommend ITMS



Here's what students and parents say they like about Indian Trails:

" What I like about Indian Trails is that there is a variety of after school activities to have fun. "

6th Grade Student

" I like how it's an open community and how the teachers and staff are nice and respectful towards the students. "

8th Grade Student

" How it's really fun and very amazing to meet other people to get to know and learn about others as well. "

7th Grade Student

" I like that when I am in Indian Trails, I feel very safe. Also I love how nice all the teachers and staff members are. "

6th Grade Student

" Caring admin, fine arts opportunities, caring teachers, communication directly from principal to parents. "

6th Grade Parent

" Great principal who gets involved and shows concern in all related to our children. Safety! "

7th Grade Parent

" The teachers, admin, staff are all great. Teachers care about the students and want them to learn and progress. "

7th Grade Parent

" Inclusivity between admin and staff and students. "

8th Grade Parent