

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.

Trish Elkharchafi

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!
- Another unique offering is our Sustainable Living program! 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 2021-2022 Data

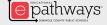
25% of Indian Trails students have participated in high school math courses for credit.

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

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 2021-2022 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 848 out of 1440, higher than the Florida average of 810.

Indian Trails Middle School earned a B grade from the Florida DOE in 2022.

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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 band, robotics, chorus, art, drama, and 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 through Positive Behavior Support!
- 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%



Lake Howell: 4%

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 B. Ortiz with the SCSO.



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

49% of student respondents would recommend ITMS



54% of parent respondents would recommend ITMS



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

"I enjoy the diversity and choice in both the classes as well as the assignments. I also am thankful for the focus on the arts in the electives rather than business; a reason I came to this particular school. "

6th Grade Student

"What I like about the school is that it is safe and the teachers are nice. "

6th Grade Student

" The admin is super nice and friendly, and my teachers are really good at teaching. "

7th Grade Student

"Outdoor seating, school activities and the administration/staff are really nice. "

8th Grade Student

" Teachers and staff are professional! Great learning environment. "

8th Grade Parent

"Safe, clean, orderly and healthy environment for learning."

" The amount of effort the administration and teachers put into the lived of our kids. The cleanliness of the facilities. The different programs and standards for academic excellence. " 7th Grade Parent

" Family feeling with my child as a priority. Information is sent to keep us informed so we know what's going on. "

6th Grade Parent