2023-2024
Parent Guide & Calendar
Ready, Set, Accelerate

Citrus County Schools
Superintendent
Sandra ‘Sam’ Himmel
Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year! We are so excited that you have chosen the Citrus County School District for your family’s educational needs. We continue our commitment to address the health and safety of our students and maintain excellence in education.

The administration, teachers and school board would like to thank you for your support, understanding and shared dedication to our learning community. We shall continue to work in unison to be the best we can be.

Staff have engaged in continuous learning and professional development with the goal of delivering instruction that meets the needs of students whether in the traditional classroom or in a virtual setting. Parents, please know that I deeply appreciate and value the role you play in your child’s education. I encourage you to stay involved with each year of your child’s school career to ensure the greatest success possible.

We created this calendar to support our parents to stay involved in their child’s education and extracurricular activities. Within these pages are important dates, facts, and resources to benefit you and your child throughout the school year. Specifically, we have included district policies and guidelines, enrollment information, testing schedules, graduation requirements and security and safety programs. The calendar also includes names and telephone numbers of individuals who can provide additional information on a variety of subjects. I encourage you to write on, cut out and tab any pages you frequently visit.

We extend our gratitude to our community partners, especially the Citrus County Education Foundation, for their support in creating this calendar.

Once again, thank you for being a part of the Citrus County School District family. As your Superintendent of Schools, I am honored to serve you, and I am confident that the 2023-2024 school year will be an exciting and successful one!
The Florida Teacher of the Year Program recognizes and honors the contributions of outstanding classroom teachers who have demonstrated superior or capacity to inspire a love of learning in students of all backgrounds and abilities.

Mrs. Lita Stanton, our 2024 Citrus County Teacher of the Year has been teaching for the Citrus County School District for 12 years. Lita’s academic, social, and technological expertise is critical in her position as she manages multiple tasks at any given moment. She consistently builds strong relationships with her students, their families, and colleagues, allowing her to positively impact the school climate and student achievement. Citrus High Principal Mark Kahler says, “Her rich background in mathematical strategies helps differentiate instruction for her students. Explicit instruction, developing relationships, and student-to-student collaboration are the cornerstones of her teaching.”

Mrs. Angelica Lefevers, our 2023 School-Related Employee of the Year has been making a difference in the lives of young students in Citrus County for the past five years and currently serves as an ESE paraprofessional, where she works with some of the most challenging students on campus. She is caring and consistent when providing communication to families as needed. Debi Collins, Lecanto Primary School ESE Staffing Specialist, says, “Angelica always maintains a positive outlook. There is rarely a time that Angelica is without a smile or a kind word. She works hard, loves her job, and is an amazing coworker.”
Our Superintendent Sam Himmel is committed to making sure every senior graduates from high school and is prepared for success after they walk across the graduation stage.

In order to provide our community with a strong and ready workforce, Citrus Schools enables our graduates to have the tools necessary to prepare for success in college and careers.

Choosing a college pathway opens many doors — but it is expensive. Please take advantage of all of the scholarships available to you. Nearly 70% of seniors take out student loans and graduate with almost $30,000 in debt.

Use the QR codes for more information on scholarships and ways to stay debt free.
Join Our Team!

• Teachers & Substitute Teachers
• Maintenance • Custodial • Paraprofessionals
• Food Services • Bus Drivers

Questions? Contact our Human Resources Department at 352-726-1931, ext. 2295 Or view open positions and apply online at www.CitrusSchools.org
School staff, parents, and students are all responsible for creating a culture of positive behavior. Parents and students must follow the school district’s Student Code of Conduct.

**LOADING AND UNLOADING:**
- Always stay away from the 10 foot “danger zone” around the bus, except when you are directed by the driver to get on or off the bus.
- Always be sure the driver can see you.
- Always wait for the driver to signal that it is safe to cross the road and/or load onto the bus.
- When crossing a traffic lane, always look left, right, then left again.
- Cross only if approaching traffic has stopped.
- Never walk behind the bus or along the side of the bus.
- Only board your assigned bus, unless other arrangements are approved by your school.

**DURING THE BUS RIDE:**
- Always follow the driver’s directions.
- Never distract the driver from driving unless there is immediate danger to you or others.
- Remain seated and keep the aisles clear and keep arms, legs and head inside the bus.
- Never bring unsafe or unauthorized items into the bus.
- Always show respect for your fellow students.

**BUS STOPS:**
Bus stops are placed at the closest intersection to a student’s home whenever feasible. You can easily find where the closest bus stop is to your home by clicking on the QR Code below or by calling the Transportation office that serves your child’s school.

**More information on staying safe between home and school and bus safety tips:**

**Questions? Contact: Marilyn Farmer, Director of Transportation**
- Crystal River: 352-795-0057, serving: CRPS, CSES, RCE, CSMS, CRMS, CRHS, and AES
- Lecanto: 352-746-2714, serving: CRE, FRE, HOM, LPS, LMS, LHS, and CREST
- Inverness: 352-344-2193, serving: FCE, HES, IPS, PGE, IMS, CHS, and WTC

**REMEMBER:**
- Parent or guardian must be at the bus stop morning and afternoon for Pre-K and Kindergarten. Students will be returned to the school if the adult is not at the bus stop.
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**Update Your Child’s Emergency Form**  
Update names, addresses and telephone numbers of your student and any family members who may pick up your child.
PERFORMING SUCCESSFULLY
Example: The student reads material at his/her grade level and can demonstrate understanding of what is read.

INCONSISTENT PERFORMANCE
Example: The student is improving in his/her ability to read and understand written text but often needs help to complete assignments successfully.

NEEDS IMPROVEMENT
Example: The student regularly struggles with reading. Extra assistance is regularly needed.

GRADING CODES FOR OTHER AREAS
Grade Definition
S Satisfactory Performance
N Needs Improvement
U Unsatisfactory Performance
X Areas to Develop

Throughout the report card there are opportunities for teachers to note areas that need to be developed or improved.

Did You Know?
All students will be evaluated within the first 30 days of the school year. Your child’s teacher will let you know how well your child is progressing.
The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program establishes lottery-funded scholarships to reward Florida high school graduates for high academic achievement. To find out more about Florida Student Scholarships & Grant Programs:

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HOLIDAY - LABOR DAY
Elementary

GRADES 1-5 REPORT CARD

Five letters are used to describe student performance

Grade | Score
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A | 90-100
B | 80-89
C | 70-79
D | 60-69
F | 59 -

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Questions? Contact: Renè Johnson
Director of Teaching & Learning
352-726-1931, ext. 2412
JohnsonR2@citrusschools.org
Did You Know?

Citrus County Schools offer MyPaymentsPlus:

- Manage your student’s meal account
- Check your student’s account balance
- Monitor the items your student purchases
- Receive email notifications when the account reaches a low balance
- Make a prepayment into your student’s meal account
Students receive electronic report cards every nine weeks. They also receive mid-term progress reports every 4-5 weeks. Most academic and elective subjects are given a grade percentage ranging from 0 to 100% where the ranges represent the following progress.

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Questions? Contact: Shawyn Newman
Director of Curriculum & Instruction
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**FLORIDA FAMILY ENGAGEMENT IN EDUCATION MONTH:**
A time to celebrate the crucial role parents and families play in their children’s education. When schools work together with families to support learning, children are more motivated to succeed, not just in school, but throughout life.

Nutrislice (nutritional analysis software) is available on our website for parents and students to track the nutrient content and food allergens of our menu items. It is also available in a mobile app.
The opportunity to participate in the Citrus County School District’s athletic program is a distinct privilege. With that privilege comes certain responsibilities as well as the rewards and honor of being a part of an interscholastic athletic program.

The Citrus County School District, through policy and action, supports the belief that a strong program of extracurricular athletics provides a balance in educational programming for its students. Our successful athletic program includes dedicated coaches, active support from the student body, outstanding leadership from school administrators, and most importantly, a great sense of pride fostered by the entire community.

We are looking forward to seeing our student athletes compete and have success both in and out of the classroom!

Questions? Contact: Robert Verlato, District TOSA-County Athletics, 352-726-1931, ext. 2250, VerlatoR@citrusschools.org
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- **Encourage Children to Read!** Have your child catch up on reading he/she enjoys. Let your child pick a book because it looks interesting. Help your child discover the joy of reading!
- **Cook up an Easy Lesson!** Invite your child into the kitchen to help with a special dish — from holiday treats to potato pancakes. Recipe measurements are great practice with fractions.
- **Build Something Together!** Whatever the medium — clay, paper, Legos, wooden blocks — building is a great way to stretch a child’s imagination and help him/her think creatively! Building is the starting point of engineering.
Student Testing

Florida’s Assessment of Student Thinking (F.A.S.T.) progress monitoring and coordinated screening program includes VPK through grade 10 English Language Arts and VPK through grade 10 Mathematics assessments that are aligned to Florida’s Benchmarks for Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) Standards and are administered three times per year.

In addition to F.A.S.T., the following are state assessments that take place at the end of a course:
- Grade 5 & 8 Statewide Science Assessment
- Grades 4-10 Writing
- Algebra 1 EOC
- Geometry EOC
- Biology EOC
- US History EOC
- Civics EOC

QUESTIONS?

Contact: Amy Crowell, Director of Assessment, Accountability & Monitoring Department
726-1931 x2237
CrowellA@citrusschools.org

Family Portal

The Family Portal provides a central location for Florida families to access their students’ statewide test results.
Log into Skyward Family Access and click “District Links” from the home page. Select “Statewide Assessment Scores” to access your students’ test results beginning with Spring 2021.

For a detailed assessment calendar, you may access our Uniform Statewide Assessment Calendar on the district website at www.citrusschools.org/calendars.
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ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every student, every day

#EveryDayCounts
Any Student, Any Academy

Academy of Health Careers — CRHS: Encourages students to become health care workers and to assist students into post-secondary education in the pursuit of the health care career of their choice.

Academy of Computer Science - CHS: Provides students with the best foundation possible in the computer sciences arena. Students will learn coding using the Python programming language, take Advanced Placement courses and more.

Lecanto School of Art — LHS: A program designed especially for students with a high interest in visual arts. Hundreds of students have graduated from this program, many of which have received offers for art scholarships worth a combined total of over two million dollars.

Academy of Environmental Science — AES: Located on the beautiful Salt River in Crystal River, the waterfront location of the Academy provides the perfect setting for 9th- and 10th-grade students to explore their environment. Classes are created to offer hands-on, project-based learning opportunities to ensure connections to the real world.

Construction Academy — CHS: Our newest academy provides opportunities in the building construction industry and/or prepares students for the skills needed to be competitive as they enter the workforce. The curriculum is through the Home Builders Institute, the nation’s leading educational resource for CTE in the building industry.

Questions? Contact: Darrick Buettner, Director of Special Academic Programs
352-726-1931 x2241 • BuettnerD@citrusschools.org
HOPE SCHOLARSHIP

Pursuant to section 1002.40, Florida Statutes, the Hope Scholarship Program provides a public-school student who was subjected to an incident of violence or bullying at school the opportunity to transfer to another public school with capacity or request a scholarship to attend an eligible private school. To find out more, visit the Florida Department of Education:
Adult Education:
Withlacoochee Technical College offers both GED Prep and Adult ESOL classes. GED Prep classes provide the opportunity for adults who did not complete a formal high school program to obtain their high school-level equivalency credential or diploma. Adult ESOL provides English language learner adults with English language instruction that will increase their ability to communicate in English for a variety of purposes including employment, education, and life in the United States.

Integrated Education and Training:
Integrated education and training (IET) is now available for individuals who want to work on acquiring basic skills (GED) or learning to speak English (ESOL) while pursuing occupational or industry-specific training. Students are enrolled in both an adult education program (GED or ESOL) and a career and technical program and split their time between the two. Call for more information.

Questions? Contact: David Roland
Director of Withlacoochee Technical College
352-726-2430 - RolandD@citrusschools.org
1201 W. Main Street, Inverness, FL 34450
### CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) PROGRAMS

CTE programs prepare individuals for occupations important to Florida’s economic development. These programs are organized into 17 different career clusters and are geared toward middle school, high school, district technical school, and Florida College System students throughout the state. Learn more about what we offer:

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- **Student Early Dismissal**
- **Teacher Workday**

**HOLIDAY - SPRING BREAK**

**Learning that works for Florida**
Hello families! Can you believe we are in the 2023-2024 school year. Before you know it, we will be in graduation season and saying goodbye to the class of 2024!

School safety continues to be an ever-changing landscape that touches all aspects of a student's life. From practicing emergency drills with students and staff to topics such as youth mental health, safety is intertwined in it all. With the support of Superintendent Himmel, my goal is to always make student and staff safety a priority so that students can concentrate on learning while they feel safe at school.

Last year we participated in discussions with students and staff and listened to some of the challenges they were experiencing. Often, the issue of vaping was a major concern among students and their frustrations with fellow students abusing vaping devices at school. From an enforcement perspective, electronic cigarettes have presented challenges in detection since the discharge of the smoke is like water vapor that quickly dissipates and the devices themselves are easily concealable. Long gone are the days of “Smoking in the Boys Room” and the acceptance of it all. This discussion made me think about having a different approach to detection and deterrence of electronic cigarettes. Sgt. Cunningham is a law enforcement K-9 trainer and part of the staff of the Citrus County School Board Police Department. With Sgt. Cunningham’s help, we developed a program that will train K-9’s to detect vaping devices, Nicotine and THC.

We recently acquired Sammy (pictured above) from a local rescue. He is a bloodhound mix, which are known for their great noses. Sammy has been working all summer on learning obedience and odor detection with Sgt. Cunningham and his wife Trish who is also a K-9 trainer. Our hope is that Sammy provides a different approach to our vaping issue as he visits our secondary schools this year and provides an educational prevention message to our students. So, look for Sammy this year just remember he is a working dog, but does love attention.

As always, my wish is that all students, staff, and families have a great year and please remember that safety is everyone’s job as we continue to work in the greatest community in Florida!

Thank you, Chief Vincent
School District Police Chief
### MOST POPULAR PROGRAMS BY NUMBER OF COMPLETERS & MEDIAN FIRST-YEAR EARNINGS

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**Measuring the Economic Success of Florida’s Graduates**

The Florida Economic Security Report provides information on graduates of Florida’s public higher education institutions, including the State University System, Florida College System, and District Technical Centers. The chart to the left shows the highest median first-year earnings for the most popular post-secondary programs. The full report can be accessed via [https://lmsresources.labormarketinfo.com/special/ESR.pdf](https://lmsresources.labormarketinfo.com/special/ESR.pdf)
The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) represents good news for our nation’s schools. This bipartisan measure reauthorizes the 50-year-old Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), the nation’s national education law and longstanding commitment to equal opportunity for all students. The law builds on key areas of progress in recent years, made possible by the efforts of educators, communities, parents, and students across the country.
The Power of the Arts

Every young person deserves a complete and competitive education that includes the arts. The Citrus County School District provides many avenues PK-12th grade to help students find a particular activity of interest.

It has been proven that involvement in the arts is associated with gains in math, reading, cognitive ability, critical thinking, and verbal skills. Arts learning can also improve motivation, concentration, confidence, and teamwork. Works of art provide a visual context for learning about historical periods. Music, painting, drama, and dance help literature come alive. Graphic designs and drawings, such as those made by inventors and engineers, complement learning about scientific and technological principles and innovations.
DID YOU KNOW?
The Citrus County School District operates a Summer Feeding Program that serves FREE breakfast and lunch to hungry children when school is out for the summer.
Health Services & Screenings:

We provide a safe, healthy, positive learning environment that fosters student achievement. We have a school nurse for every two schools in our district and a designated health room attendant in all our schools. School based health screenings will be conducted every school year as required by Florida Statute 381.0056, appropriate

Student Code of Conduct:

Parents and Families - Please take time to read and review. This contains everything from requirements for attendance, student dress and student behavior. It also provides explanations of the consequences and penalties associated with failing to meet requirements and standards set forth by this policy. We also want to emphasize the position of the Citrus County School Board on zero tolerance for school-related violent crime, controlled substances, alcohol and student victimization which are all included.

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**JULY 2024**

**STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT:**

**4th of July**

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Citrus eSchool provides a free, full-time, part-time, and home education K-12 virtual courses to students who are residents of Citrus County or students of military personnel assigned elsewhere. Virtual students can work from home with more flexibility in their schedule, completing assignments in evening hours and on weekends if necessary.

**CURRICULUM**
Our virtual program features rigorous Florida Virtual School (FLVS®) curriculum. Over 190 courses, including multiple foreign language classes and a wide array of elective courses, are available.

**CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES**
Full-time Citrus eSchool students and home education students may participate in sports and other extracurricular activities at the student’s zoned school.

**OUR TEACHERS**
Our Virtual courses are taught by dedicated, Florida-certified Citrus County teachers who are committed to achieving student success.

- One-on-one or small group support keeps students engaged and on pace
- Personalized instruction
- Frequent communication with students, parents, and counselors

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Questions? Contact: Deborah Dumas, Principal • 352-726-1931 x6450 • DumasD@citrusschools.org
The mission of the MSS is to increase student environmental literacy through hands-on laboratory and field-based educational experiences in the Gulf of Mexico coastal and near-shore habitats; to inspire student interest and involvement in environmental conservation and protection; and to promote student development of environmental stewardship ethics.

History of the Marine Science Station
Since 1967, the Citrus County School Board has operated the Marine Science Station (MSS) as an educational enrichment center for marine and environmental sciences.

As a Citrus County Schools public educational facility, the MSS provides outstanding learning opportunities for approximately 2,500+ elementary and secondary school students from Citrus County per academic year (4th grade, 7th grade science and high school science students). The hands-on laboratory and field-based educational experiences are an integral component of the science curriculum of Citrus County Schools and are offered at no charge to the schools, teachers, students, or parents.

Earnie Olsen, Supervisor
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ONE Team, ONE Goal, NO Limits, that's the motto our Food and Nutrition Services team lives by! Our employees are much like our teachers/educators, in the cafeteria. They help our students understand proper nutrition, customer service, number recall, kindness, and consideration for others, all while wearing a smile.

Our students eat breakfast and lunch for FREE thanks to the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). This program has helped eliminate the burden of collecting household applications to determine eligibility for school meal programs and focus on the important task of feeding our children.

You have enough to worry about, let us take care of breakfast and lunch. Even if you have a picky eater, we can still help by providing a drink and sides to their favorite packed entrée, at no cost to you!

You can view the menu every week by visiting our website, selecting your school, and choosing the breakfast or lunch menu. www.citrusschools.org - menu

Roy Pistone II, RDN, M.Ed., SNS
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Calendar of Events 2023-24

JULY 2023
29 Stuff the Bus 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

OCTOBER 2023
21 Schoolhouse Scramble – Inverness Golf and Country Club

NOVEMBER 2023
4 Lake Hernando Dragon Boat Festival 8:00 AM
@ Lake Hernando
17 Foundation Fest – 6:00 PM College of Central Florida

DECEMBER 2023
Galaxy of Stars

FEBRUARY 2024
Regional Science Fair

MARCH 2024
Bunco for Books
Math Field Day

APRIL 2024
6 Schoolhouse Hustle 7:00 AM @ CREST
27 Superintendent’s Golf Classic

MAY 2024
4 Citrus Kids Triathlon – 8:00 AM
@ Bicentennial Park

Join the cause to help local education by visiting www.citruseducation.org

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The Citrus County Education Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization whose mission is to support Citrus County Schools, pre-k through 12th grade, by providing resources to enhance the quality of education for present and future generations. For three decades, we’ve been funding opportunities for success in our classrooms, focusing on impacting as many Citrus County students and teachers as possible. CCEF funds programs such as Supplies 4 Success free teacher store, Foundation 4 Success classroom mini-grants, First Library early literacy program, scholarships for high school seniors, Golden Citrus Scholars, the Regional Science & Engineering Fair, Math Field Day, Men Building Men & Women Building Women mentoring programs, and investments in numerous other programs impacting more than 15,000 Citrus County students each year!

A special Thank you to our A+ donors:

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