

OUR MISSION

Xceed Preparatory Academy prepares students for college and beyond using personalized learning approaches for students who want the flexibility to pursue their own interests and talents in a supportive, innovative environment.

OVERVIEW

Xceed is a network of Cognia accredited blended learning schools located in Florida. Xceed utilizes a rigorous online college preparatory curriculum, delivered in brick and mortar campuses, with live subject-certified teachers. Upon enrollment, each student collaboratively creates a personalized learning plan that includes graduation trajectory, weekly schedule, future college and career goals, and social and emotional needs. Students participate in leadership, service, and special interest clubs of their choice.

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At Xceed, teachers provide tailored, attentive guidance necessary for student success. During the school day, teachers facilitate student progress and provide individual support by utilizing several different means of communication i.e. one-on-one sessions, small group lessons, email, text, chat and videoconference.

PERSONALIZED LEARNING PLAN

The Personalized Learning Plan (PLP) created by the student, parent/guardian and Head of School is used as a guiding tool throughout the school year. The PLP designates goals, expectations, the course selection, and schedules. Parents/Guardians and the Head of School discuss and review the student's PLP during scheduled meetings throughout the year.

Students and parents/guardians view student progress through PowerSchool, Xceed's Student Information System. Parents/Guardians receive PowerSchool login information upon student enrollment and students receive login information on their first day of school. Please contact the Head of School for PowerSchool login assistance.

STUDENT CLUBS

Students may choose to participate in two nationally recognized clubs: Student Council and National Honor Society/National Junior Honor Society. Club involvement is recommended for both personal enrichment and to supplement the college application.

DIGITAL FEATURES

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GUIDANCE PROGRAM

The Xceed College Guidance Program goes beyond helping students get into college. Personalized college counseling begins in 9th grade and focuses on resume building, ACT/SAT preparation, college tours, scholarships and financial aid. Each student receives an individualized college plan, one-on-one counseling and digital tools that help them prepare for the college admission process. The student participates in workshops, meet with college advisors, and attend field trips to college fairs. Students complete activities that culminate in the completion of their college application prior to the start of their senior year.



CURRICULUM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

HONORS LEVEL OFFERINGS

High school students are required to complete 40 hours over the course of their high school career. While Xceed requires 40 community service hours to graduate, many college scholarships require more than 40 hours. For example, the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program requires a minimum of 100 community service hours.

HONORS LEVEL OFFERINGS

Xceed administers a standardized test to middle school students in the spring. As a college prep school, Xceed recommends that juniors and seniors take the ACT or the SAT. The PSAT provides students with standardized test practice and are recommended for 9th grade students and is required for 10th and 11th grade students. The PSAT is used by scholarship programs to identify eligible students,

HONORS LEVEL OFFERINGS

High School Regular and Honors English, Algebra I and II, Geometry, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, World History, United States History, Economics with Financial Literacy, Spanish III and IV

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HONORS LEVEL OFFERINGS

Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Government and Politics, Human Geography, Language and Composition, Language and Literature, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Psychology, United States History

GRADING SYSTEM

- A** 90-100
 - B** 80-89
 - C** 70-79
 - D** 60-69
 - F** 59 and below
- Honors courses receive an extra point for Cs and above
 - Dual Enrollment and AP courses receive an extra two points for Cs and above
 - All academic courses are counted on the transcripts with no exceptions
 - Grade forgiveness is recommended for all Ds and required for all Fs
 - Xceed is a non-ranking school

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Ana G. Mendez University (Puerto Rico)	Palm Beach Atlantic University
Angelo State University	Palm Beach State College
Barry University	Rider College
Broward College	Rollins College
Coastal Carolina College	Savannah College of Art & Design
Emerson College	Seattle Pacific
Flagler College	Skidmore College
Florida Atlantic University	Stetson University
Florida Gulf Coast University	St. Leo University
Florida Institute of Technology	Southern Wesleyan University
Florida International University	Tallahassee Community College
Florida Southern University	Texas A&M Kingsville
Fordham	Universal Technical Institute
Holy Names University	University of Central Florida
Hunter College	University of Florida
InterAmerican University (Puerto Rico)	University of North Florida
Jacksonville University	University of South Carolina Beaufort
Lynn University	University of South Florida
Miami Dade College	University of Tampa
Nova Southeastern University	Valdosta State College

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