

Chicago Public Schools Chicago, Illinois

SCHOOL PROFILE

Chicago Public Schools is the third largest district in the United States, offering a multitude of courses, sports, clubs and other activities. With a goal to provide unique learning opportunities to its students inside and outside the classroom, new programs are looking to help those who are interested in moving up in their education. Some of these programs include the Chicago Book Clubs, the Chicago Math and Science Initiative, and the Chicago Reading Initiative. Many students also participate in The United States Academic Decathlon, and for the past 20 years, the district has placed in the top five. Striving to create an environment where every child can achieve their full potential is the goal of the Chicago Public Schools.

Community Information - Chicago is the third largest city in the United State and is located next to the Great Lakes. Summers are hot and winters are cold, but there are plenty of places to visit and things to do year round! There are countless places to eat, including high class restaurants and local food vendors. For those who love to shop, there is the famous "Magnificent Mile", which has department stores like Saks Fifth Avenue and Nordstrom, jewelry stores, and boutiques. There's ice skating at the McCormick Tribune Ice Rink in Millennium Park, art exhibitions downtown, two educational museums, as well as 552 public parks that are open year round. The Theater District is home to five beautifully restored theaters, including world famous Chicago Theater, open and running since 1921. With so much to do, Chicago is a great city for anyone to enjoy!

Foreign Languages - Spanish, French, Sign Language

Advanced Placement Courses - U.S. History, Calculus (AB/BC), Biology, Chemistry, English Language, English Literature, Environmental Science, Physics, Psychology, Statistics, World History, French, Spanish, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Government, Studio Art, American Government, Photography

Arts - Arts, Chorus, Drama Club, Yearbook, Drill Team, Dance

Athletics

Boys Fall Football, Softball, Soccer

Winter Bowling, Basketball, Wrestling, Swim

Spring Track and Field, Intramural Football, Baseball, Water Polo

Girls Fall Volleyball, Cheerleading, Swim

Winter Bowling, Basketball, Track

Spring Track and Field, Softball, Soccer, Water Polo

Extracurricular Activities - Academic Decathlon, African American Pride Club, Yearbook, Student Council, GSA, Chess Club, National Honor Society, United Nations Club, Psychology Club, Glee Club, Field Hockey, Debate Club, Newspaper, Math Team, Yearbook, Yoga, Vegetarian Club, Baking Team



Teacher:Student Ratio - 1:25

Fall Semester Program - No

Spring Semester Program - No

ESL Offered - Yes

Graduation Offered - Yes

IB Program Offered - Yes

Enrollment Restrictions - Must be under 18, cannot have graduated





QUICK FACTS:

Estimated Start Date......Early August
Estimated End Date......Mid June
Number of High Schools in the District......55

**Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.