

WHAT IS CAMBRIDGE?

- The world's largest provider of K-12 international education programs
- A global model for academic excellence through rigorous standards and high expectations
- An educational leader in 160 countries, with programs in over 9,000 schools
- Part of England's renowned University of Cambridge

CAMBRIDGE SECONDARY 1:

The Cambridge Secondary 1 Program is an innovative and accelerated method of academic study offered solely through Cambridge International Examinations.

- Challenges students to excel in Mathematics, Science, and Languages
- Assesses student achievement based on international benchmarks
- Incorporates a global vision of learning with sensitivity to cultural differences
- Encourages critical thinking and the development of problem solving skills
- Provides access to high school courses in mathematics and science in grades 7 and/or 8
- Prepares students for accelerated academic programs in high school



CAMBRIDGE SECONDARY 1 PROGRAM: HIGHLAND OAKS MIDDLE

Highland Oaks Middle School, home of the "Panthers," is proud to offer the internationally-recognized Cambridge Program.

The Cambridge Secondary 1 curriculum builds a strong foundation in mathematics through real-world applications. Students learn problem solving skills that equip them for success in higher level math. Science exploration through the Cambridge curriculum is grounded in student-centered, hands-on activities such as lab experiments. In language arts, students develop communication skills that enhance their readiness to succeed in all content areas, and they participate in project-based learning while working in a collaborative environment. The Cambridge vision is that all students "become confident, responsible, reflective, innovative and engaged" learners.

There are many opportunities within Miami-Dade County Public Schools to continue the Cambridge curriculum that culminates with the AICE Diploma Program at the senior high level.

Committed to excellence, Highland Oaks Middle School challenges students to excel, offering academics at

"Cambridge Checkpoint tests, together with the progress checks, give schools, teachers, parents and pupils an educational tool to monitor the educational progress of pupils in multiple subjects."

-Stedelijk College, The Netherlands



the Advanced and Gifted levels, and opportunities to earn high school credits in Math, Science and Spanish. Elective options promote the exploration of art, band, computers, chorus, orchestra, guitar, law studies, oceanography, speech and debate, TV production, and Yearbook. Sports programs for boys and girls include volleyball, cross country, basketball, and softball. Clubs such as Aikido, Art, Drama, Spanish, and Robotics allow students to discover and develop their interests.



EXPLORE THE WORLD OF GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES

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The Benefits

1

An Academic Experience

Part of the University of Cambridge's Cambridge International Examinations, the Secondary 1 Program is an engaging, accelerated, academic experience for highly motivated learners age 11-14.

2

Flexible Curriculum

Students in Cambridge Secondary 1 Program are exposed to a flexible curriculum framework that is compatible with Florida's Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS) and the evolving Common Core Standards.

3

Student Initiative & Creativity

Students develop skills and understanding in the core content areas that lead to the exploration of the arts and humanities. Emphasis is placed on student initiative, creativity, and analytical thinking. Eighth graders are assessed with Checkpoint examinations that measure student progress against international benchmarks.

4

A Proven Record of Success

Students who continue in Cambridge's Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) Diploma at the high school level will follow a program with a proven record of success.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Highly motivated students interested in a challenging academic program should visit the school for details on eligibility and admission requirements.

To register or for more details visit:
<http://hom.dadeschools.net>

For more information about Cambridge International Examinations visit:
www.cie.org.uk

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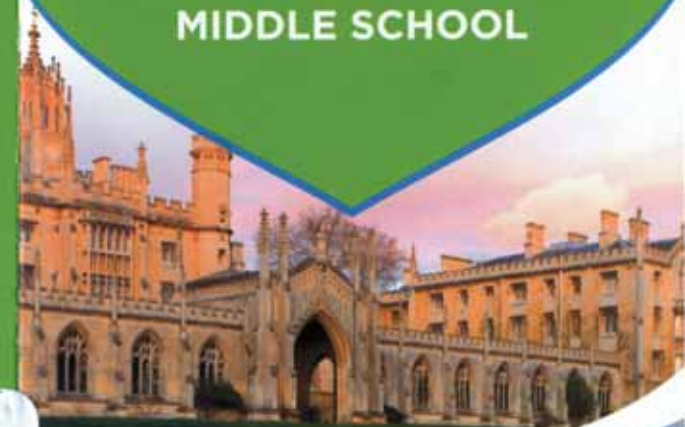
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CAMBRIDGE SECONDARY 1 PROGRAM AT:

**HIGHLAND OAKS
MIDDLE SCHOOL**



Grades: 6-8

