***2015-16 School Profile***

***Corinth High School Academic and Performing Arts Center***

CEEB Code: 250-697

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* Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) since 1919.
* Innovative School offering Cambridge International Exam Curriculum- Excellence for All Program
* Opportunity for students to graduate early by showing college and career readiness through Cambridge end of course exams

**Demographics**

616 Students 61% White 32% Black 6% Hispanic 1% Other 140 Seniors

**Curriculum**

* Currently, students have over 80 course offerings from which to choose.
* Units of credit are determined by the Mississippi Department of Education and the Commission on School Accreditation.
* Classes meet 50 minutes per day, 5 days per week for 18 weeks per semester. A class that meets for a semester earns ½ unit, and one that meets the entire year earns one Carnegie unit.
* International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) Classes-9 courses with 1.02 weight
* International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) Extended/Honors Classes- 6 courses with 1.03 weight
* Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) & Advanced Placement Classes- 13 courses (each have 1.05 weight)
* Dual Enrollment- CHS and Northeast MS Community College (NEMCC) work together to provide several dual enrollment opportunities. CHS students can earn college credits in College Algebra, College Trigonometry, College Calculus I, and College Anatomy & Physiology I & II.

**Marking System and Class Rank**

A 93-100 4 grade points 5 grade points for AP & AICE classes

B 85-92 3 grade points 4 grade points for AP & AICE classes

C 75-84 2 grade points 2 grade points for AP & AICE classes

D 70-74 1 grade point 1 grade points for AP & AICE classes

F 69 or below 0 grade points

All classes receiving high school credit are used to determine grade point average and class ranking. GPA is calculated using semester averages. Class rank is determined by the numerical average of all subjects in which Carnegie units can be earned.

**Graduation Requirements**

MS Regular High School Diploma- Students are required to earn a minimum of 25 units of credit to graduate from CHS. A student must earn 4 credits in English, 4 credits in mathematics, 4 credits in science, and 4 credits in social studies. Computer Proficiency, Health, PE and Fine Arts are also required courses. The student must also achieve a passing score on the state-mandated exams or the equivalent Cambridge exams.

MS Early Graduation Diploma- Students are required to earn a minimum of 17.5 units of credit to graduate from CHS. A student must earn 2 credits in English, 2 credits in mathematics, 2 credits in science, and 2.5 credits in social studies. Computer Proficiency, Health, PE and Fine Arts are also required courses. The student must also achieve a college and career readiness score on specific Cambridge exams. A community college would be the next academic option for a student with the early graduation diploma.

**2014-15 Data**

* 58% Enrolled in Two-Year College
* 32% Enrolled in Four-Year College
* 3% Enlisted in Armed Forces/Military
* 1% Enrolled in a Technical Program
* Over $900,000 College Scholarships Offered