

Middle School Newsletter

APC + Program

The Advanced Placement Choice Program is a structured program for academically talented and highly motivated students. Our mission is to guide, to inspire and to recognize students who pursue a specific program of academic excellence. The AP Choice Program offers students academic challenges and introduces them to college-level work. Students entering the APC+ Program take several Pre-AP (APC+) courses in ninth and tenth grade to introduce them to the demands of college-level work and to prepare them for Advanced Placement classes. Throughout their high school years, APC+ students have the opportunity to earn college credits and/or advanced course placement in college. Visit the "APC+ Program" under the Guidance tab on the TCHS website for information. Please contact Mrs. Abromavage with any program questions: Dorothea.Abromavage@ocps.net



AP Human Geography

Advanced Placement courses give high school students a chance to earn college credit and set themselves apart when they apply for college and university admission. As a freshman at Timber Creek, AP Human Geography is your first opportunity to take an Advanced Placement course! We learn about people around the world, their cultures, their histories, their cities, and the political and economic systems and institutions that they participate in. The course is perfect for students who are interested in social studies and history in general, and want to deepen their knowledge and challenge themselves to learn more about our world and all the people in it.

Business and Entrepreneurship Principles

Do you want to own a business? Work in Business? Study Business in College? Take our Business and Entrepreneurship Principles course where you will plan a business of your own. Pre-Requisite: Digital Information Technology. Contact: Teresa.pierce@ocps.net.

Business Management Program

Complete 3 business courses and be a business management program completer! As a program completer, you will be eligible for a Business Program stole for graduation. Our business courses include: Digital Information Technology, Business & Entrepreneurship, and Accounting Principles 1. If you already completed DIT in middle school, then you only need two more business classes to complete the business management program. teresa.pierce@ocps.net

PLTW Engineering

More than just another high school engineering program. It is about applying engineering, science, math and technology to solve complex, open-ended problems in real world context. Students focus on the process of defining and solving a problem, not on getting the "right" answer. They learn how to apply STEM knowledge, skills and habits of mind to make the world a better place Contact: jennifer.kane@ocps.net or alex.kane@ocps.net

PLTW Biomedical Science

A series of 4 rigorous relevant science subjects such as human medicine, physiology, oncology, molecular genetics, microbiology, and public health. Each course focuses on laboratory skills through the use of new technology and helps students solve real world problems. The third level course also offers industry certification through the University of Florida. The fourth level course allows students to perform and expand upon scientific research in class. These courses are closely correlated to Premed Club, SWAT (Students Working Against Tobacco) and SNHS (Science National Honors Society). Contact: anna.stevens2@ocps.net.

Vet Assisting

Want to work with animals? Interested in learning about the ins and outs of veterinary medicine? Vet Assisting encompasses the love of animals with the practical applications of working with them. From hands-on activities, related field trips and everyday animal interactions, Vet Assisting can help you pursue your animal career goals. Start with Vet Assist I and see where this program can take you. Advanced classes give you the opportunity to work in our Vet Clinic lab and dogs, cats, snakes and more are used daily in hands on animals experiences in our immersive class. For further information please email Zuleika.hubble@ocps.net.

Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)

Is a healthcare career in your future? Health Occupations Students of America-Future Health Professionals (HOSA-FHP) may be for you! HOSA-FHP is a medical competition team with a variety of different events to choose from. Students compete at the Regional, State, and International levels in areas such as Veterinary Science, Nursing Assisting, CPR/First Aid, and so much more. All high school students, regardless of age or experience level, are welcome to join. HOSA-FHP goes hand in hand with the PLTW Biomedical Science program, and is the perfect way for students to apply their knowledge of medicine, science, and technology outside of the classroom. For more information, contact timbercreekhosa@gmail.com

Bring Change 2 Mind

Bring Change to Mind is a national club dedicated to encouraging dialogue about mental health, raising awareness, and empathy. BC2M activates and empowers you to join our fight to end stigma and discrimination surrounding mental illness. United, we will create and advance innovative approaches and partnerships to start conversations around mental illness, share resources, and tell stories so everyone can thrive in a stigma free world. Join BC2M if you would like to share information about mental health issues, coping strategies, and/or resources to help increase discussions and reduce stigma on campus. To join please contact Liz French at Elizabeth.French@ocps.net

Early Childhood Education: Interested in a teaching career working with children?

Early Childhood Education may be the program for you! This four-year CTE program provides 60 hours of child care training, CPR training, and nationally-recognized industry certifications. Gain real-world work experience volunteering and teaching in our on-campus Wolf Pup Learning Center preschool lab. Many students leave this program with college credit, industry certifications, and jobs in the child care industry. There is an application process to be accepted into Early Childhood Education and the application can be accessed on the TCHS Website under the Guidance Tab—Class/Course Applications, or by scanning the QR Code. Please keep in mind that you must be logged into your student email account to access it. The application is due Friday, March 15th, 2024 and must be turned into the front office at Timber Creek High School.



Contact: Jennifer.Houston@ocps.net or Kristen.Wright@ocps.net for more information.

Pre-Med/ SWAT (Students Working Against Tobacco) Club

What Pre-Med/SWAT Is:

- Learning more about the medical field, science, and forming long-lasting friendships
- Working with several programs such as SWAT (Students Working Against Tobacco) helping raise awareness about Tobacco Misuse and Nicotine Dangers as well as our GMTNS (Give Me Time and Space) program which works towards raising awareness about Autism and creating a friendlier environment that fosters inclusivity, empathy, and understanding.
- All grade levels accepted (9th-12th)
- Being an active member in the club (actively volunteering in events)
- Working towards advocacy and partaking in Leadership with Officer Positions

Activities Done in Pre-Med/ SWAT:

- Volunteering at many medical organizations such as the Ronald McDonald House, Special Olympics, hospitals, and many other fun volunteer activities in Orlando and performing dissections of various animals to better understand their anatomy and physiology
- Doing at Lunch events to help raise awareness about Tobacco and Nicotine Abuse especially for the high school audience
- Guest speakers come in from all different types of medical fields to help students in their Biomedical journey

Please email Ms. Stevens at Anna.Stevens2@ocps.net.

Digital Video Production (WOLF TV)

Are you interested in Radio/TV Broadcasting, or Filmmaking? Digital Video Production is the perfect class for you! WOLF TV is an award-winning program where students create a live news show every day for over 3,500 students by using technology that is up to industry standards! The students will have the ability to edit videos using Adobe Premiere Pro Creative Cloud. At the completion of the course, Digital Video students will be taking an industry certification exam. Passed exams will be placed on the student's transcript and resume to be used in the workforce or college.

Computer Science

Ever wonder how your smart phone works? Want to know how and why companies are storing your information online? Want to know how computer science affects your daily life? AP Computer Science Principles answers these questions, plus gives you an understanding of computer programming (coding), software development, computer security and the social changes that technology has brought. Sign up for this today and as a freshman earn college credit.

Contact: daniel.foster@ocps.net.



Cyber Security Program

The Cybersecurity Career & College Pathway Initiative is a pilot collaboration to provide OCPS students with an opportunity to earn their high school diploma while simultaneously completing an Orange Technical College Career Certificate in Applied Cybersecurity. Students will then continue with high school while working on a Valencia College Technical Certificate. Successful progress in this program will afford students the ability to earn articulated college credit towards completion of a Valencia College Associate in Science degree in Networking Technology. Also, students will have the opportunity to earn TestOut and CompTIA Industry Certifications. This program is for students interested in computers, who have strong problem-solving skills, and who are ready to put the work into a rigorous curriculum in Information Technology, Computer Hardware, Computer Software, Computer Networking, and Cyber Security.

Richard Matias (Richard.matias@ocps.net).

Modeling, Game, and Simulation

This college level course provides introduction of the dynamic field that is utilized in engineering, science, health care, business, education, training and many other disciplines. Due to its dynamic nature, the Model & Simulation field has tremendous potential for creating student interest in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) disciplines. Content includes, but is not limited to, history of the industry, algorithms, operating systems, geospatial technologies (i.e. GPS, GIS, remote sensing), gaming, medical and scientific imaging, animation, artificial intelligence, engineering drawing, transportation, distribution, warehousing, 2 dimensional & 3 dimensional asset creation, and architectural drawing. Opportunity to earn Industry Certifications in Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, and Unity Artist.

Contact: Jonathon.frankos@ocps.net

Latinos in Action

What is 'Latinos In Action'

Latinos In Action (LIA) offers an asset-based approach to bridging the graduation and opportunity gap for Latino students, working from within the educational system to create positive change. We accomplish this by focusing on four pillars: leveraging personal and cultural assets, excelling in education, serving the community, and developing leadership skills.

Why should you join?

Do you want to experience a leadership position? Do you enjoy working with young children? The Latinos in Action program might be the perfect fit for you! In LIA you have the opportunity to earn community service hours and become college and career ready! Please email your applications to Katherine.gonzalez@ocps.net. Applications can be found on the TCHS website under "Guidance".



Spanish

Spanish is a popular second language, with 400 million speakers; it's the fourth most commonly spoken language in the world. It is an official language on four continents and is of historical importance elsewhere. By learning Spanish, you'll be better able to communicate with Spanish speakers. Being able to speak Spanish greatly enhances your resume. If you are bilingual, you are more competitive in the workplace - including medicine, engineering and education. You'll find your opportunities expand by knowing this language! And wherever you live, if you're in any occupation that involves international trade, communications or tourism, you'll similarly find opportunities to use your new language skills. Lastly, taking two consecutive years of a foreign language is a requirement for College applications. Timber Creek High School offers Spanish 1, 2, 3, AP Spanish Language and Culture and AP Spanish and Literature. Contact: Ida.vincenty-rolon@ocps.net

German

Do you want to make more money? Americans who speak German earn, on average, 4% more than those who don't. Do you want to join the world leader in technology, engineering and innovation? German is the second most commonly used scientific language in the world. 40% of scientists in the U.S.A. recommend the study of German. Do you want to enhance your career prospects? Germany has the largest economy in Europe and the fourth largest in the world. Knowing German could jumpstart your career with one of the German giants such as Allianz Worldwide, Deutsche Telekom, BMW, and SAP. Do you want to converse across Europe? German is the most widely-spoken native language in the European Union, and one of the ten most commonly spoken languages in the world.

Contact: Dietlind.kettler@ocps.net



Chinese 1,2,3 & AP

Timber Creek High school has Chinese 1, 2, 3, 4 and AP for 2024-2025 school year. Chinese 4 is for students who still want to learn Chinese, but are not ready for AP Chinese. Be sure to consider taking Chinese classes if you are interested in trying something new and fun! Chinese is the most spoken language around the world; it is not only helpful for college applications, but it also opens many possible careers in Asia and the United States. Knowing Chinese is beneficial here in many career fields, including law, high tech, and business. More information on the Chinese classes by contacting Timber Creek's Chinese teacher. Contact: Rongli.sun@ocps.net.

Latin

Most colleges and universities require at least two years of a foreign language...make the most of yours! If you are taking any courses in the sciences, legal department, or English, this class would be a perfect fit. Many TCHS Latin students boast near-perfect SAT English scores. In addition, many of our members have made it into top colleges such as Yale, U Chicago, Duke, and more in a variety of majors. By taking Latin at TCHS, you are also eligible to join Latin Club. With creative and academic projects, this club has something for everyone. Yearly, our members bring home 100+ awards! P.S. If you wish to decode all those whimsical spells in Harry Potter, this class is perfect! Please email Mr. Germain at Daniel.Germain@ocps.net.

Yearbook

TCHS Legends Yearbook Staff produces award winning yearbooks. Most recently the 2022 and 2023 yearbooks won the Walsworth Publishing Company's Gallery of Excellence Award. If you want to be a part of a talented group of students who work together to create an amazing product, sign up for Journalism 1. This pre-requisite course will cover things like interviewing, writing feature stories and articles (including articles for the school newspaper), photography, design and Photoshop. Contact: Samantha.bell@ocps.net.

Student Government Association (SGA)

Interested in learning the skills required to be a leader? Leadership Skills Development course is the one for you! An application and face-to-face interview is required. This is the first step in becoming a member of Timber Creek SGA (student gov't association). Visit www.timbercreekhs.ocps.net for information, the application, and the interview dates and times (click on guidance tab and then class/ course applications). All paperwork will be turned in at the interview. Please email Mrs. Feeney dawn.feeney@ocps.net.

Air Force JROTC: Let Your Future Take Off!

- Complete Private Pilot Ground School and your FAA Written Exam for certification, while earning college credit from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University
- Fly one of our four state-of-the art flight simulators (unique to Central Florida high schools)
- Two years of AFJROTC classes fulfils the graduation credits for Fine Arts and HOPE
- Be a member of the Timber Creek award winning Color Guard and Drill Team. Compete against other schools and travel around Florida performing at event
- Develop and sharpen leadership skills as you advance in rank and position yourself for post high school employment and higher education opportunities
- Build long-lasting friendships through events such as National Academic Bowl competitions, Airplane, Drone & Model Rocketry activities, Military Ball, and Summer Flight Academy



Earn valuable Community Service hours, critical for scholarship/Bright Future opportunities, through charitable activities such as contributing to the betterment of our TCHS community.

- Incoming Freshmen and 1st Year cadets are invited to attend Drill Camp, weekdays 9am to 12pm, July 24th through August 2nd
- Learn basic formation skills, get your uniform early, and meet new friends in a fun, encouraging environment that welcomes you to Timber Creek Visit: www.sites.google.com/view/tchsafjrotc

For additional information, contact the Timber Creek AFJROTC at JROTC-R1-FL-20041@au.af.edu.

Like to Sing? Join the Timber Creek High School Choral Program!

Timber Creek Chorus provides high level musical opportunities for students of all abilities. Students receive music literacy and voice instruction in a group setting, culminating in multiple performances throughout the year. Students regularly have opportunities to participate in extracurricular opportunities including Disney's Candlelight Processional, performing at Disney Marathons, performances and volunteering in the community, Honor Choirs (at the County, State, Regional and National level), college tours, socials, and more. Those new to Chorus at Timber Creek should join Bella Voce (Soprano and Alto voices) or Varsity Voices (Tenor and Bass voices). We will host our annual Choir Camp on July 31st, August 1st, and August 2nd, 2024 from 9am-12pm in the Timber Creek Chorus Room. Choir Camp is free and open to any student interested in singing at Timber Creek. Hope to see you there!

If you have questions email Ms. Prematilleke at Sanuki.Prematilleke@ocps.net or Ms. Leaman at Sarah.Leaman@ocps.net.

Booster Club

On behalf of the Timber Creek High School Athletic Boosters, welcome to Timber Creek High School. As your TC Athletic Booster Club, we invite you to get involved as a member or as a partner. Check us out at the website: timbercreekathletics.com and click the Booster Club tab. If you have kids that play sports or like to watch sports then the Athletic Boosters is for you.



Theater

Timber Creek Theatre Department offers a variety of courses in Theatre, Acting, Musical Theatre, and Stagecraft. A class fee is assessed for each theatre course, which assists with covering supplies and production costs. Advanced Acting Auditions and Musical Theatre class Placement Auditions will take place in late April/early May. Information and dates will be passed along to MS Theatre teachers in April. We would love to have you as part of our program.

Feel free to contact us via email with any questions: Justin.Horn@ocps.net, Ryan.Skiles@ocps.net.

TCHS Speech & Debate

What are the benefits of joining Speech & Debate?

- Students develop resilience, leadership skills, and learn how to engage in respectful civil discourse to develop a deeper understanding of complex issues.
- Speech & Debate can help students improve their public speaking skills, gain confidence, and learn self-advocacy regardless of social anxiety.
- Every underclassmen student is paired with an upperclassmen to help them feel comfortable and ease their transition into high school.
- Students can re-learn communication and social skills that were lost during virtual classes.
- Students can earn community service hours that can be applied to Bright Futures. Participation is regarded highly by college admissions officers and research shows that debate students score higher on standardized tests.



Color Guard

Have you previously been involved in dance, cheer, martial arts or baton? Are you interested in an athletic activity that's not a sports team? Do you want to belong to a group of peers who are positive, accepting and work towards a common goal? Would you like to perform with the state champion Regiment marching band? You may find your perfect place with the Timber Creek Color Guard! Interested 9th grade students can sign up for the Eurythmics 1 course held 7th period in the band room.

Not sure what Color Guard is? Would you like to see our current students in action? Come see us perform at our Winter Showcase on Feb. 6th, 2024 @7pm in the TCHS Gym. The Color Guard functions as part of the Timber Creek band program and holds summer rehearsals and events that are required for all students. Details will be provided at the event dates listed below. It is important that both students and parents attend.

Important dates:

- 9th Grade Parent Meeting and Concert Showcase: May 1st, 2024
- Regiment Open House: May 13th, 2024

For additional information or questions – please contact Vance Anderson at timbercreekhs.guard@gmail.com
Katie Hoey at Katie.Hoey@ocps.net

Band

All 9th grade students are welcome and invited to become a member of the Timber Creek Regiment— the 2023 State Champions! This nationally recognized band program strives to provide a positive and engaging environment in which students can build their individual and ensemble musicianship skills among highly motivated peers. All students enrolled in any band class are included in The Regiment – the marching band. Regiment members have the unique opportunity to travel frequently and perform alongside a cohesive group of students spanning all grade levels 9-12. Incoming 9th grade students need to sign up for our Freshmen Band (Band 1) course. There is NO audition necessary for entry into the band program, but previous experience in a band class is highly recommended. The band program also offers courses in Percussion Ensemble and Jazz Band. These are additional courses that incoming 9th grade students can take but are not listed on the schedule form, as they need director approval. Please email band directors listed below.

Would you like to see our current students in action? You're invited to attend any of our upcoming 2024 performances:

- Winter Showcase – Feb. 6th @7pm, TCHS Gym
- Pre-MPA Concert – Feb. 22nd @7pm, TCHS Auditorium
- Spring Concert – April 30th @7pm, TCHS Auditorium

The band program holds summer rehearsals and events that are required for all students. Details will be provided at the dates listed below. It is important that both students and parents attend. We are excited to have you join this phenomenal group of young musicians!

Important dates:

- 9th Grade Parent Meeting and Concert Showcase: May 1st, 2024
- Regiment Open House: May 13th, 2024

For additional information or questions – please contact band directors Rhett.Cox@ocps.net and/or Katie.Hoey@ocps.net

The TCHS Orchestra Program

All 9th grade students are welcome and invited to become a member of the Timber Creek Orchestras! No experience necessary! TCO strives to provide an engaging and supportive environment where students can build their individual and ensemble musicianship skills among highly motivated peers. TCO members have the exclusive opportunity to travel and perform alongside a cohesive group of students spanning grades 9-12.

All incoming 9th grade students with previous playing experience should sign up for either our “Upper Serenade Orchestra” course (violins only) or “Lower Serenade Orchestra” (violas, cellos, and basses). Audition submissions are used to determine appropriate ensemble placements, but are not required for entry into the orchestra program! Any students signed up for orchestra without an audition submission, will automatically be enrolled in our “String Techniques” course. The Timber Creek Orchestra program also offers unique opportunities including playing in a full orchestra ensemble (Philharmonic Orchestra), a fully immersive Trans-Siberian inspired performance at PRISM, Disney and Universal Teaching Artists in a string workshops, playing in the Pit Orchestra for spring musicals, and more. We look forward to you joining our TCO family!

Important dates:

- TCO 8th Grade Concert Showcase: February 9th, 2024
- Pre-MPA Orchestra Concert: February 15th, 2024—East River High School
- TCO Spring Concert: April 18th, 2024

Please reach out to Ms. Tang for questions and more information.

Orchestra Director: Diana.Tang@ocps.net

Dance Program

Enjoy dancing? The Timber Creek Dance Program offers classes that will give all students the opportunity to become young artists in a professional and welcoming atmosphere; they will provide a foundation in dance technique and enhance an experienced dancer’s training. We mostly study Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical, Contemporary, the history of the styles, conditioning methods, and choreography skills. All classes have mandatory after school rehearsal and performance dates, as well as a production fee. No audition or prior experience is required for Dance Techniques 1 and Ballet 1. Auditions for the other levels and our Apprentice (JV) and Elite (Varsity) teams (Dance Repertory 1-4) are on Thursday, February 29th from 5:00-7:30 p.m. in the PAC. Students must fill out an audition application (which is at linktr.ee/tchsdance) by no later than Monday, February 26th. Dance Team callbacks will be on Wednesday, March 6th from 4:00-7:00 p.m. in our dance studio (309). It is highly recommended (but not mandatory) that dancers interested in auditioning for one of the dance teams attend our prep clinic on Thursday, February 22nd from 5:00-6:30 p.m. which will be held in our dance studio (309). Please see our Linktree for more detailed information. If you have any questions, please contact our dance program director, Tara Perry at tara.perry@ocps.net.



Timber Creek Cheer

Timber Creek Cheer will be holding tryouts in May for our 2024-2025 teams. Please note that TC Cheer does practice as well as attend skills training camps over the summer and anyone selected for a team can expect to have cheer obligations from June-February with the bulk of practices and events (3-4 days a week, minimum) happening from August to February. Please follow our team page (@timbercreekcheer) for updates, including dates. Contact Info: Tabitha.clear@ocps.net

Girls Volleyball

Fill out the form to be added to our mailing list to get the latest information on physicals, open gyms, tryouts, and more! Tryouts are typically the first week of August. You can follow @tchs.volleyball on Instagram or www.timbercreekathletics.com for further details. Questions: julianne.calcote@ocps.net!

Timber Creek HS's Varsity Boys Golf!

Join the team which has produced several Metro and District Championships, along with multiple appearances in the Regional and State Finals the last few years. Tryouts will be held the first week of August with several opportunities during the summer for off-season practices. If you intend on attending tryouts, you must contact Coach Abruzere prior to the dates. Check out the TCHS Athletics website or email Damon.Abruzere@ocps.net. There will be a form posted to the site for you to fill out if you are interested. You can also get updates by following @TCHSWolvesGolf.

Bowling Team

Tryouts for the TCHS Boy's & Girl's Bowling Team will take place the week of August 19th at the Boardwalk Bowling Center on E. Colonial Drive from 3:00pm-4:30pm. Participating athletes will need a completed physical in order to try out. Transportation is not provided. For more information regarding eligibility, physicals or our program, please visit the athletics website at timbercreekathletics.com or email Salvatore.delpazzo@ocps.net.

Ebony Club

Featured guest on the High School Radio Show on WDBO Orlando's News and Talk Radio 107.3 FM 580 AM representing Timber Creek High School. Ebony Club is a club of 50-plus 9th through 12th-grade high school students at Timber Creek High School in Orlando Florida. Ebony Club spreads diversity, representation, and awareness of African-American culture through campus events and community service. Ebony Club members host on-campus events for MLK Day, Black History Month, and Diversity Day. The Timber Creek High School Ebony Club was founded in 2001 as a club that brings together students from different backgrounds. The Ebony Club provides a supporting environment for students to thrive. Ebony Club opens the door to academic scholarships and scholastic connections through college preparatory sessions and HBCU College Fairs. We focus on empowering students of color, academic excellence, and the mentoring of future academic scholars across the United States. Contact, Dr. Nikita McCaskill for more information at Nikita.mccaskill@ocps.net.

Girls Varsity Golf

Do you play golf? Well if so, the Timber Creek HS Girls Golf team is ready for you! Tryouts will start around August 1st, and there will be summer practice days. For more information, check the TCHS Athletics Website, or email Coach Schadegg @ Ronald.schadegg@ocps.net

- Fun, competitive, and rewarding experience.
- Improve valuable life skills like confidence, perseverance, and creativity.
- Coach Schadegg, Room 567, Email: Ronald.schadegg@ocps.net
- Girls Varsity Golf Web Site: TCHS Athletics Website

Girls and Boys Varsity Powerlifting

Calling all strong and fearless individuals! Get ready to unleash your power and join our incredible powerlifting teams! Whether you're a beginner or experienced, our teams are all about supporting each other, building strength, and breaking barriers. With expert coaches and a positive, empowering environment, you'll develop not only physical strength but also confidence and resilience. Join us and be part of team that holds multiple Metro and District champion titles along with many of our athletes making it all the way to the states level! The girls season starts in the winter while the boys start in the spring. Coaches: lyle.lake@ocps.net / patricia.kretzer@ocps.net

PIT Crew

PIT (Peer Inclusion Team) Crew is an elective in which students are taught how to work with students with disabilities. After training, our students assist as peer tutors in the classroom setting. Although generally recommended for 10-12 grade students, we do have limited spots available for 9th graders. This is a great opportunity to support students with a variety of needs.

Prerequisites: Must have taken Algebra 1 or Geometry in Middle School and received an A or B for final grade - must have excellent attendance. 9th grade application by 4/1/23. Contact: Christy.dove@ocps.net

IGNITE the Connection by the National Honor Society

Are you currently in the National Junior Honor Society (NJHS)? Are you looking to get a head start in participating in the National Honor Society and jumpstart your community service hours?

- IGNITE is an academic/honors and service club that welcomes incoming 9th graders who participated in their middle school NJHS chapter to participate in NHS community and school service events, gain community service hours, and leadership skills.
- TCHS NHS welcomes IGNITE members to participate in a variety of different service opportunities from donation drives, elementary school outreach, tutoring, and much more!
- Scholarships available!
- Meet new friends and attend NHS social events with junior and senior members.

Please email Mrs. Taylor at lindsay.taylor@ocps.net with any questions or for additional information.

TCHS Swim Team

Do you love to swim? Join the TCHS Swim Team! Practices are held from 4:30–6:00 at Englewood Community Center. New swimmers should have familiarity with all 4 competitive strokes but no experience is necessary. Tryouts will be the first week of August. For more information, please visit www.timbercreekathletics.com or email Coach Nicole: nicole.arslanbas@ocps.net.

TCHS Water Polo

Join one of the fastest growing high school sports - water polo! Water Polo is a spring sport and practices will begin in January. Listen to school announcements for interest meeting information in December. For more information please contact Coach Ley@ dannyley@aol.com