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EVERY DAY,
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Welcome to Harns Marsh Middle School, a Magnet Academy for the Arts and Academics. We prepare every student for success by providing a quality and enriching education in a safe and nurturing environment.

At Harns Marsh, our standard is excellence. Our vision is to become a world-class middle school. We operate by the credo that every student, every day, gains knowledge. Our students are learning the language and actions of employment and life.

All children have unique and diverse educational needs and learn best in an environment structured to meet those needs. Our teachers use instructional strategies to meet individual student needs and promote active engagement, which fosters better learning. The Florida State Standards guide every lesson, and we work tirelessly to help every student master these concepts.

We look forward to working closely with you and your child. We also invite you to become a school volunteer! We greatly value your participation, because a strong family-school partnership is the foundation on which your child's education can flourish.

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Linda Maere, Principal



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MAGNET ACADEMY FOR
THE ARTS & ACADEMICS

*Where Arts and
Intellect Intersect*



BULLS

ARTS PROBLEM SOLVING GROWTH MINDSET VALUES WORK ETHIC CRITICAL THINKING

ART

Students explore art from around the world through project-based activities. They compare various cultural responses in art, gaining respect for diverse perspectives and the rich heritage shared by cultures worldwide.

They have the opportunity to create two-dimensional works, which may include drawing, painting, printmaking, collage or a combination of them all.

DANCE

Students concentrating in dance will complete a course in ballet, lyrical, jazz, swing and other recognized dance styles. The program places a strong emphasis on artistic quality, the elements of dance, implementation and development of dance skills, vocabulary development, choreography and appreciation for dance as an art form.

ORCHESTRA

Orchestra composes great lives, no matter the student's background. While learning the fundamental techniques for string instruments, students also improve their self-motivation, self-esteem, cooperation and leadership.

THEATER

Students are introduced to the fundamentals of theatre and focus on imagination, pantomime, voice, movement and acting. They also practice writing for theatre and explore various theatre roles and functions. As they develop their dramatic skills, students also learn technical aspects of theatre, including lights, sound, costume, set, makeup and stage management.

KEYBOARDING

Students with little or no prior experience develop fundamental piano techniques, learn to read music, apply basic music theory and explore the role of keyboard music in history and culture.

CHORUS

Chorus is designed to help students explore their vocal talents while learning and performing various vocal styles. Chorus members develop discipline, perseverance and leadership as they learn how to sing in unison and harmony. Each year, students perform in two major concerts and are given additional performance opportunities as well.



CAMBRIDGE
International Examinations

CAMBRIDGE PATHWAY

Cambridge Pathway offers students a wide range of subjects in an advanced curriculum. Students have the chance to acquire the knowledge and skills they need to achieve at school, in college and beyond.

BAND

Band introduces students to the joys of learning to play a musical instrument. Students learn about the different families of instruments and choose one to learn. They gain an understanding of the fundamentals of music notation as they learn how to play their instrument and work together as a team.

In Concert Band, students who have completed a year of band continue their studies, becoming more proficient on their instruments and learning more challenging music. Band students perform in two major concerts each year and take additional field trips to play other venues.