History

Founded in 1965; Portledge School was the vision of Miss Stoddart who transformed her Early Childhood school into Portledge; eventually adding a grade each year until the first Portledge class graduated in 1976.

Location

Portledge’s 63-acre campus was one of the estates of Charles Coffin who was the COO of General Electric. The Coffin family built their 120-acre estate in 1912 with the Lower School, Middle School, Security House, Admissions House, Learning Center, and Maintenance building as original structures.

Character Pillars

KINDNESS
PURPOSE
HONOR
RESPECT

Geographic Diversity

Students hail from Nassau, Suffolk, Queens and Brooklyn.

Student-Faculty Ratio

10:1

Academic Motto

Explore
Create
Excel

Enrollment

530
250 UPPER SCHOOL
120 MIDDLE SCHOOL
160 LOWER SCHOOL

Key Programs

Reggio Emilia
Handwriting Without Tears
Really Great Reading
Singapore Math
Project Based Learning Model
Socratic Approach
Advanced Placement
International Baccalaureate Diploma

Students of Color

29%

Class Size

87% of middle and upper school classes have fewer than 16 students

International Students

5%

50% of middle and upper school classes have fewer than 12 students
## Financial Promise

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## Athletics & Recreation

### School Spirit
- **Nickname:** Panthers
- **Colors:** Blue & White

### Varsity Teams
- Baseball (M)
- Basketball (M/W)
- Cross Country (M/W)
- Golf (M/W)
- Ice Hockey (M/W)
- Lacrosse (M/W)
- Soccer (M/W)
- Softball (W)
- Squash (M/W)
- Tennis (M/W)

### Acceptance Rate
- **100%** of graduating seniors accepted to a 4-year college

### Students on Financial Aid
- Approximately 23%

## Other Facts

- Merit Scholarships: Additional monies are made available to recognize exceptional students based on academic data and proven talents.
- Financial Aid Budget: Nearly $2 Million
- Conference: Private School Athletic Association (PSAA)
  - 6 Conference Athletic titles won in the last year: (Boys & Girls Soccer, Boys & Girls Tennis, Baseball & Softball)
- Performing Arts: 9 All County Musicians in 2016-2017
- The Portledge Commons: Completed fall of 2017
  - 28,000+ Square Feet
  - New Dining Hall
  - 8 New Classrooms
  - Black Box Theater
  - Innovation Lab