



Getting to know Gorges

The city of Gorges is located in the northwest of France, in the Loire-Atlantique area within the Pays de la Loire region.

Notwithstanding its proximity to Nantes, Gorges also benefits from a strong Breton influence.

The famous city of Nantes is only 30km northwest of Gorges and is easily accessible by public transit. With 600,000 inhabitants, Nantes is steeped in history and strongly focused on the arts. There you can discover the Cathedral of St Pierre, the Castle of the Dukes of Brittany, the Marine Worlds Carousel, the Machines of the Isles of Nantes and many other local treasures. The city center has a large number of shops and tourist attractions.



Charles Péguy is a dynamic private high school and college created in 1961.

Charles Péguy is fully committed to welcoming students from all backgrounds, help them capitalize on their personal experience to ensure their academic success.

The teaching staff all share common values of respect, tolerance and cooperation to help each student grow in their own individuality.

Charles Péguy heavily relies on technology, providing each student with a digital tablet for schoolwork, learning resources, messaging and even meal ordering.

14-18

AGE RANGE

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PRIVATE SCHOOL

**SEMESTER/
AYP**

DURATION

CHARLES PÉGUY HIGH SCHOOL

Seconde (Year 10)

The primary aim of the "classe de Seconde" is to provide students with as many choices as possible when it comes to their education. It is designed to give them a core educational foundation, while allowing them to discover new fields of study. It combines a common set of compulsory courses with optional subjects.

COMPULSORY

French : 4hrs

Foreign Languages : 5h30min
(English + Spanish, German or Italian)

Mathematics : 4hrs

Physics & Chemistry : 3hrs

History & Geography : 3hrs

PE : 2hrs

Economics & Social Sciences : 1h30min

Digital & Technological Sciences : 1h30min

Ethics & Civics : 18hrs/year

ELECTIVES

Drama : 2hrs

Arts : 2hrs

Cinematography : 2hrs

PE : 3hrs

Italian (as a 3rd language) : 2hrs

European Section :
2hrs of class taught in English

Business Class : 1h30min

Science Laboratory : 1h30min

Ecology, Agronomy and
Sustainability : 3hrs



CHARLES PÉGUY HIGH SCHOOL

Première & Terminale (Year 11 & 12)

The "classe de Première" introduces specialty teachings while keeping a significant amount of compulsory core subjects. Students must choose 3 specialties (4 hours per week per subject) and can only choose one additional elective.

The "classe de Terminale" reinforces specialization from a higher education perspective. Students must choose 2 specialties (6 hours per week per subject) and may only choose one additional elective.

COMPULSORY

PREMIERE

TERMINALE

SPECIALTIES

French

4hrs

N/A

Mathematics

Philosophy

N/A

4hrs

History, Geography & Political Sciences

Foreign Languages

5hrs

5hrs

Digital & Computer Sciences

Science

2hrs

2hrs

Humanities, Literature & Philosophy

History & Geography

3hrs

3hrs

Biology & Natural Sciences

PE

2hrs

2hrs

Economics & Social Sciences

Ethics & Civics : 18hrs/year

Arts : Cinematography OR Theater

ELECTIVES (may only choose one)

Cinematography : 2hrs

PE : 3hrs

Arts : 2hrs

Drama : 2hrs

Italian (as a 3rd language) : 2hrs

Business Class :
1h30min

Science Laboratory :
1h30min

European section :
2hrs of class taught in
English

Foreign Languages
(English)
Contemporary World Studies
(English)



WHY CHOOSE CHARLES PÉGUY?

FEATURES AND BENEFITS



QUALITY INFRASTRUCTURE

- Auditorium
- Meeting room
- Amphitheater
- Gymnasium
- Weight room
- Computer lab, Dance studio, Art studio, Film Room, media center, Science lab
- Large dining hall, cafeteria, deli, 1001 Pasta

VARIOUS ACTIVITIES

- Christmas pageant
- Creative workshops (music, nature, dance, communication, chess)
- Dance workshops
- Theme weeks
- Prom night, graduation ceremony (Terminale only)
- Athletic clubs

INTERNATIONAL MINDED

Discovering other countries and cultures is a priority at Charles Péguy school. Exchange students are welcomed throughout the school year, which is made possible by ongoing programs and partnerships. FLE (French as a second language) courses are available to foreign students to help them improve on their language skills and quickly assimilate into the French school system.

SCHOOL OF ART

A School for the Performing Arts was created in 2018. Students may take part in various productions, dance workshops (contemporary, hip-hop, world dances, etc.) and art projects over the holidays.

