

**IN BRIEF**

Pine View earns place on 'best' list

SARASOTA COUNTY — Pine View School has scooped up another plaudit, this time being named as the 15th best public high school in a report by Newsweek.

The Osprey school, which admits only gifted students, was also ranked as the 4th best Florida high school in Newsweek's America's Best High **Schools** 2012 report. Last year, it was ranked 14th nationally and 3rd in the state. The study ranks **schools** on their ability to turn out students ready for college.

To gauge that, it considers how many students graduate and go onto college, how many students take and pass college-level classes such as Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate, and how students perform on college entrance exams like the SAT.

Pine View's graduation rate was 100 percent. Its students scored an average of 1,968 on their SATs, according to the study.

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