



CATALINA FOOTHILLS HIGH SCHOOL



Quick Facts

"A Global Learning Community of Academic and Social Excellence"

PRINCIPAL

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ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

Mr. Chris Lambert

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SCHOOL PRIDE:

Mascot: *Falcon*

Colors: *Silver & Royal Blue*

TYPE OF SCHOOL:

A comprehensive four-year public high school located in the foothills of the Catalina Mountains, on the northern edge of Tucson, Arizona, USA.

HISTORY: *Established 1992. Graduated first class in 1996.*

ACCREDITATION: *North Central Commission of Accreditation (NCA), part of the AdvancED Network.*

CAMPUS / FACILITIES:

Covers 51 acres and seven main buildings in a desert setting. Includes 530-seat auditorium and 250-seat theater; three-court gymnasium, weight room, wrestling room, and athletic fields; science labs, art studios, library/media center; cafeteria; open plaza, maintenance facility. Career and Technical Education labs include graphic design computer labs and workroom, engineering lab, production broadcast studio, digital photography studio and darkroom, sports medicine lab and training room, two biotechnology labs and theatrical scene shop.

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS: *Approximately 1770 students (49% female, 51% male)*

ETHNICITY:

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| <i>African American</i> | <i>2%</i> |
| <i>Asian/Pacific Islander:</i> | <i>8%</i> |
| <i>Hispanic:</i> | <i>26%</i> |
| <i>Multi Racial</i> | <i>5%</i> |
| <i>Native American:</i> | <i><1%</i> |
| <i>White:</i> | <i>58%</i> |

OTHER:

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| <i>Students with Disabilities:</i> | <i>7.9%</i> |
| <i>Limited English Proficient:</i> | <i>1%</i> |
| <i>Free & Reduced Lunch</i> | <i>13%</i> |
| <i>Migrant Students</i> | <i>0%</i> |

STAFF:

84 classroom teachers, 1 principal, 3 assistant principals, 1 assistant principal / athletic director, 1 CTE director, 4.5 counselors, 1 school psychologist, 1 speech pathologist, 1 curriculum/technology integrator, 2 library clerks, 7 security monitors, 1 registered nurse, 1 health aide, 1 athletic trainer, 1 equipment manager, 13 custodians, 16 support staff, 3 computer techs, 9 educational assistants.

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS:

Nine departments offer 150 courses covering a Comprehensive Core Curriculum with Honors & AP course offerings, 21st Century learning initiatives, comprehensive Career and Technical Education, and comprehensive Special Education. Electives include Band, Choir, Ceramics, Engineering, Graphic Design, Guitar, Mandarin Chinese, Film and TV, Business Management, Sports Medicine, Orchestra, Photo Imaging, Speech and Debate, Steel Drums, Theatre.

SCHEDULE:

Two 18-week semesters. Class schedule contains seven 60-minute periods with a split lunch. Each class meets four times a week on a rotating schedule. Students take a minimum of six classes.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: 24 credits required

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| English | 4 credits | Fine Art/CTE | 1 credit |
| Mathematics | 4 credits | PE | 1 credit |
| Social Studies | 4 credits | Health | 0.5 Credits |
| Science | 3 credits | Electives | 4.5 credits |
| World Language | 2 credits | | |

GPA WEIGHTING:

| | Standard | Honors | AP |
|---|----------|--------|-----|
| A | 4.0 | 4.25 | 4.5 |
| B | 3.0 | 3.25 | 3.5 |
| C | 2.0 | 2.25 | 2.5 |
| D | 1.0 | 1.25 | 1.5 |
| F | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SCHOOL LABELS:

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| 2018 | Ranked #1 Comprehensive Public HS in Arizona by U.S. News & World Report |
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| 2016 | Ranked 310 th among High Schools in the U.S. and #3 Comprehensive Public HS in Arizona by Newsweek |
| 2014-2015 | AEF "A+ School of Excellence" |
| 2013-2014 | Arizona "A" |

GRADUATION RATE : 97.5% *Approximately 90% of CFHS graduates pursue higher education.*

TEST SCORES: AZMERIT: % passing

| | CFHS | Arizona |
|------------|------|---------|
| English 9 | 67 | 41 |
| English 10 | 62 | 32 |
| English 11 | 60 | 28 |
| Algebra 1 | 70 | 39 |
| Geometry | 70 | 36 |
| Algebra 2 | 77 | 34 |

SAT:

| | CFHS | National |
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| Reading/Writing | 624 | 539 |
| Math | 635 | 535 |

** CFHS averages 6-7 National Merit Finalists annually.*

ACT:

| | CFHS | National |
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| Composite | 26.7 | 21 |

CFHS CEEB CODE:030476

AIA SANCTIONED SPORTS

| FALL | WINTER | SPRING |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <i>Cheerleading</i> | <i>Girls Basketball</i> | <i>Softball</i> |
| <i>Girls Cross Country</i> | <i>Boys Basketball</i> | <i>Baseball</i> |
| <i>Boys Cross Country</i> | <i>Girls Soccer</i> | <i>Girls Tennis</i> |
| <i>Football</i> | <i>Boys Soccer</i> | <i>Boys Tennis</i> |
| <i>Girls Golf</i> | <i>Wrestling</i> | <i>Girls Track & Field</i> |
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| <i>Girls Swimming & Diving</i> | <i>Pom Line</i> | <i>Boys Volleyball</i> |
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| <i>Pom Line</i> | | |

OTHER AIA ACTIVITIES: *Speech & Debate, Chess*

AMEA ACTIVITIES: *Band, Choir, Color / Winter Guard*

STUDENT CLUBS:

Academic Decathlon, Band, Chinese, Choir, DECA, Falcon Community Club, Falcon Players (Theatre), FBLA, HOSA, Link Crew, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Science Olympiad, Speech and Debate, Student Council, Vex Robotics, Yearbook.
Skills USA: Graphic Communications, Photo, and Engineering.