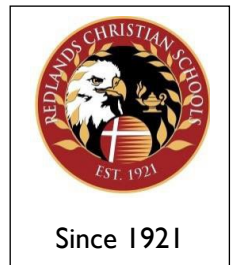




ARROWHEAD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY UPPER SCHOOL

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School Profile 2023-2024

Arrowhead Christian Academy Upper School is a division of Redlands Christian Schools; a school system founded over 100 years ago. Arrowhead Christian Academy is a college preparatory, coeducational, nondenominational Christian high school for grades 9-12. Special programs include International Student Program, Specialized Academic Instruction and Dual Enrollment for specific courses. Our mission is to provide Christ-centered excellence in education while partnering with the church and home to advance God's kingdom.

Total Enrollment High School: 436	Full-time Faculty: 29	Part-time Faculty: 5
Average Class Size: 18	Teacher to Student Ratio: 1 to 12	

Standardized Test Scores	SAT	ACT
Class of 2023 ACA Average	1134	22.75
Top 50%	1354	28.5
Top 10%	1403	30.0
California State Average	1115	26.5
National Average	1050	19.8

College attendance for the Class of 2023

62% four-year colleges and universities, 27% two-year college, 11% other (military, employment, etc.)

Colleges attended by graduates over the last four years:

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| Air Force Academy | Grand Canyon University | Texas Tech University |
| Arizona State University | Iowa Wesleyan College | The Master's University |
| Azusa Pacific University | La Sierra University | United States Coast Guard Academy |
| Baylor University | Liberty University | University of British Columbia |
| Biola University | Louisiana State University | University of California (all campuses) |
| Boston University | New York University | University of Georgia |
| Cal Baptist University | Northern Arizona University | University of Hawaii |
| California State Universities | Pepperdine University | University of North Florida |
| Calvin College | Point Loma Nazarene University | University of Redlands |
| Colorado Christian University | Purdue University | University of San Diego |
| Concordia University | Sacramento State University | University of Washington |
| University of Emmaus Bible College | San Diego State University | Vanguard University |
| George Mason University | Syracuse University | Walla Walla University |
| | Texas Christian University | Westmont College |
| | | Whitworth University |

Advanced coursework offered during the tenure of Class of 2024 is listed below. Not all courses are offered every year. AP and Honor course placement is designated through qualifying grades and test scores.

ACA Distinctives: Students with an ACA Distinctive designation on their transcript indicate dedication to a focused area of study, career development opportunities, completion of the ACT and SAT, and a student portfolio for final approval.

AP Courses: Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Government and Politics: United States, Macro Economics, Physics I, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, United States History.

Honors Courses: Algebra 2, Biology, British Literature, Chemistry, Editorial Leadership, English 9, Geometry, Philosophy of Life II, Physics, Pre-Calculus, Spanish 2, World History, World Literature, and Advanced Theater Arts.

Honor and AP class placement requires an 80% proficiency score on the PSAT or MAP Assessment in the corresponding subject area in addition to a minimum grade of B in the previous subject course.

Dual Enrollment with Colorado Christian University is available for Pre-Calculus, Honors Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus and Bible I, II. Beginning 2022-23, American Sign Language II, III and IV are available for dual enrollment.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS		GRADING SCALE		
Course	Semesters	Letter	Percent	GPA
Electives	6	A+	96.50 -100	4.0
English	9	A	92.50-96.49	4.0
Fine Arts	2	A-	89.50-92.49	3.7
Foreign Language	2	B+	86.50-89.49	3.3
Math	6	B	82.50-86.49	3.0
Philosophy of Christian Life	8	B-	79.50-82.49	2.7
Physical Education	2	C+	76.50-79.49	2.3
Science (2 lab)	5	C	72.50-76.49	2.0
Social Science	8	C-	69.50-72.49	1.7
		D+	66.50-69.49	1.3
Total	48	D	62.50-66.49	1.0
		D-	59.50-62.49	0.7
(240 credits)		F	00.00-59.49	0.0

TRANSCRIPT EXPLANATION

1. 240 units of credit are required for graduation.
2. A minimum grade of “D-” is considered a passing grade for a class.
3. A cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required for graduation.
4. Classes with a grade of “P” indicates a class “passed” and is included in minimum credits for graduation, but do not receive grade point values.
5. “R” preceding a grade indicates the class is a retake; the highest-grade point value is calculated in the GPA.
6. Cambiata is ACA’s choir. Kerygma is a select choir for which students audition.
7. Name of honor courses include the word Honors.
8. Advanced Placement course names are indicated by AP.
9. Honors and Advanced Placement grades of A through C- receive an additional grade point unless otherwise noted on transcript.
10. Class rank is based on a student’s weighted GPA.

2019-2020 Semester 2 grades of A through F reflect our school's commitment to continuous learning throughout the imposed COVID-19 quarantine period. There was no change to grading expectations, as students completed nearly all curriculum content and assessments.

Additional Student Information:

- Beginning with the 2022-23 school year, community service hours are no longer a requirement.
- Students annually participate in a week-long Intersession Program to gain life and career experience.
- Students annually attend four on-campus career workshops.
- Class of 2023 by the numbers:
 - 87 students comprised the Class of 2023
 - 52% took at least 1 AP course
 - 32% took three or more AP courses
 - 75% earned a 3 or higher on their AP exam
 - 223 AP exams were taken in 12 subject areas
 - AP Awards:
 - AP Scholar with Distinction: 8
 - AP Scholar with Honor: 5
 - AP Scholar: 17
 - 84% of students earned a GPA of 3.0 or above
- 100 students comprise the Class of 2024

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