

Quick Facts

UPPER SCHOOL

THE UPPER SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

STUDENTS AND TEACHERS

319 9-12 grade students; 30% of the 9th grade class is new to Catlin Gabel; 15:1 student teacher ratio.

SCHOOL DAY

School Day 8:25 a.m.-3:25 p.m.

CURRICULUM

Over 150 classes (many honors level) in English, history, math, science, modern language (Spanish, Mandarin, French), arts, PE, computer science; additional classes through Global Online Academy.

ADVISORY AND ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

Small, mixed-grade groups meet regularly with faculty advisors; 2 dedicated librarians, 2 counselors, 2 college counselors, learning specialists, equity and inclusion staff.

CONFERENCES AND FEEDBACK

Conferences in November; written reports in January, April, and June.

LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Student government, outdoor education, student ambassadors, affinity groups, Diversity Summit, clubs, and more.

ATHLETICS

Cross-country, soccer, volleyball, basketball, swimming, track and field, baseball, golf, tennis.

CLUBS

Over 40 student-run clubs, including Science Bowl, Model UN, Mock Trial, Just Dance League, Engineering and Robotics, Yoga.

SENIOR PROJECT

A month-long project or internship in May of senior year.

IMMERSIVES

Focused 2-week activity in spring. Examples: Wildlife Observation, Investing and Finances, Art Making, Rock Climbing, Pizza Making.

FUN

Dances, Take Away Day, Homecoming, Basketball Tourney, multi-day class trips, and much more.

TRANSPORTATION

Catlin Gabel a.m. / p.m. bus routes, carpool system, and TriMet.

CATLIN GABEL AT A GLANCE

MISSION AND VALUES

Catlin Gabel fosters compassionate and curious citizens of the world by inspiring in every student a love of learning and the courage to take responsible action. Values: integrity, inclusion, and kindness.

PRINCIPLES OF PROGRESSIVE EDUCATION

Experiential Learning, Spirit of Inquiry, Teaching the Whole Child, and Educating for Democracy.

2024-25 TUITION AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Tuition is \$43,800; Financial assistance (FA) available; over \$6M allocated this year; 27% of students received FA.

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATIONS AND LANGUAGES

Students come from 60 zip codes in metro area; 40 different languages spoken.

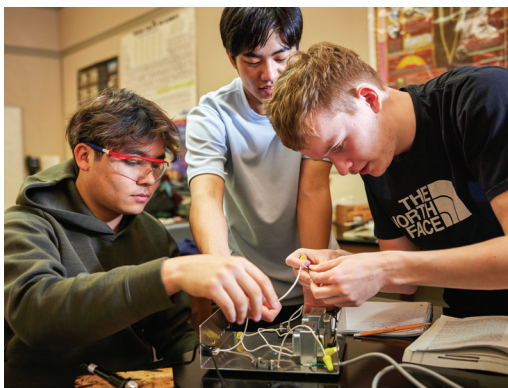
CAMPUS

67-acre main campus with fir grove, apple orchard, athletic fields, and trails; 8.5-acre east campus for Community Arts Programs.

UPPER SCHOOL STUDENTS

RACE AND ETHNICITY

13%	Asian / Asian American
2%	Black / African / African American
2%	East Asian / East Asian American
2%	Latinx / Hispanic
24%	Multiracial
4%	Southeast Asian / Indian
50%	White
3%	Not listed / Prefer not to answer



Sample Schedule

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2024–2025

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8:25–9:30am	English	Math	Arts or Computer Science	Foundations	Social Studies
9:30–9:40am	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
9:40–10:25am	Science	Modern Languages	Assembly/ Community	English	Math
10:30–10:45am			Advisory		
10:50–11:20am	Advisory & Break	Clubs & Activities	Clubs & Activities	Clubs & Activities	Advisory & Break
11:25am– 12:30pm	Clubs & Activities (11:25-11:55am)	Foundations	Social Studies	Science	Clubs & Activities (11:25-11:55am)
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12:30–1:10pm	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:10–2:15pm	Arts or Computer Science	English	Math	Assemblies, Class Meetings, Flex Time	Modern Languages
2:20–3:25pm	Social Studies	Science	Modern Languages	Arts or Computer Science	Foundations

Note: Students can enroll in up to seven classes. Each class meets three times a week for 65 minutes.

There is also time during the school day for assemblies, advisory, clubs, and other activities.

To learn more about the Upper School curriculum, please visit catlin.edu/upper-school.