



FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Known. Loved. Valued.

ABOUT US

Founded in 1958, Fort Worth Christian School is an independent, coeducational, Christian college-preparatory school located on approximately 40 acres northeast of Fort Worth, Texas. The school educates students in grades preschool through grade 12 and currently enrolls over 700 students. There are about 250 students in grades 9-12, and the class of 2025 has 71 members. 100% of FWC graduates are accepted to four-year colleges and universities.

FWC is within minutes of two of the largest cities in the nation, Fort Worth and Dallas. These two cities provide access to a thriving metropolitan community. The area is home to many corporations, including American Airlines, Baylor Scott and White, and Lockheed Martin. The Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex is also home to world-renowned museums, zoos, professional sports teams, and a variety of performing arts.

Fort Worth Christian School welcomes students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

ENGLISH	4 CREDITS	FOREIGN LANGUAGE	2 CREDITS
BIBLE	4 CREDITS	FINE ARTS	1 CREDIT
MATH	4 CREDITS	ATHLETICS	1 CREDIT
SCIENCE	4 CREDITS	ELECTIVES	6 CREDITS
HISTORY	4 CREDITS		

In addition to the course requirements above, the following are required: Daily CHAPEL attendance and participation in CARDINAL SERVICE WEEK.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

The Upper School curriculum is available online at www.fwc.org.
Average Classroom - 10-15 students
Upper School Faculty - 35 | Student-to-Faculty Ratio - 8:1 | Classes meet for 45 minutes three times per week and once per week for 85 minutes for a total of 220 minutes per week.

STANDARDIZED TESTING [2022]

ACT			
FWC Top 25%	27.4		
FWC	23.0		
State Average	20.2		
National Average	20.6		
SAT			
FWC Top 25%	640	716	1356
FWC	575	588	1163
State Average			1020
National Average			1059

LOCATION

6200 Holiday Lane
North Richland hills, Texas 76180
817.520.6200 | fwc.org

MISSION STATEMENT

Fort Worth Christian is a Christ-centered, college preparatory school where every student is known, loved, and valued, taught excellence in and out of the classroom, and empowered by a biblical worldview.

STUDENT BODY

Lower School [PS-5]	316
Middle School [6-8]	152
Upper School [9-12]	255
Total Student Body	723
Class of 2025	71

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

DR. TERRY RODGERS
President and Head of School

UPPER SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

NICK HINRICHSEN
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ACCREDITATION & MEMBERSHIPS

Council on Educational Standards & Accountability [CESA]
National Christian Schools Association [NCSA]
Texas Private School Association [TPSA]
Cognia
Texas Association of Private & Parochial Schools [TAPPS]
The College Board

CEEB CODE

442517

SIGNATURE PROGRAMS

Cardinal Service Week: Each spring, the Upper School at FWC offers an opportunity for all students to serve throughout the world. Students have served internationally in Costa Rica, Germany, and Tanzania and domestically in Colorado, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, and Waco.

Daily Chapel: An FWC tradition is for students and faculty to attend chapel services daily for fellowship and worship to encourage and promote each student's individual spiritual growth.

Honor Code: Students sign the school's honor code to not lie, cheat, steal, or plagiarize each year as a commitment to uphold the standards of the FWC honor code.

Hope Squad: Students are selected by their peers each year as trained members of the school's Hope Squad as a resource for other students if they are struggling with thoughts of depression, anxiety, or suicide.

Student Ambassador Program: Select students are invited to interview to become trained student ambassadors who work with the admission office to showcase the FWC community to new and prospective families.

Student Worship Team: Students who are members of our school's worship team lead worship each week through prayer and contemporary Christian music.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The School year consists of two semesters of approximately 18 weeks. Semester grades are used to determine Honor Roll and Academic Status. Letter Grades are indicated by the scale below, and the unweighted Grade Point Average (GPA) of each student is determined on a 4.0 scale for courses completed in grades 9-12. Weighted averages are calculated to determine the class ranking of the top ten percent of the senior class.

GRADING SCALE

90-100	A	4.0	70-76	C	2.0
87-89	B+	3.3	65-69	D	1.0
80-86	B	3.0	60-64	F	
77-79	C+	2.3			

SAMPLE OF COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES [2021-2023]

Abilene Christian University	Louisiana State University	University of Alabama
Arizona State University	Loyola University	University of Arizona
Auburn University	Lubbock Christian University	University of Arkansas
Austin College	Marquette University	University of California, Berkeley
Baylor University	Midwestern State University	University of Colorado Boulder
Bentley University	Missouri Baptist University	University of Dallas
Bethel College	Montana State University	University of Houston
Brown University	Ohio Northern University	University of Incarnate Word
Bryant University	Oklahoma Baptist University	University of Kansas
Case Western Reserve University	Oklahoma Christian University	University of Mary Hardin-Baylor
Clarke University	Oklahoma State University	University of Mississippi
Clemson University	Pepperdine University	University of Missouri
Colorado School of Mines	Rice University	University of Nebraska
Colorado State University	Ringling College of Art and Design	University of North Dakota
Columbia College	Samford University	University of North Texas
Creighton University	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Notre Dame
Dallas Baptist University	Seattle University	University of Oklahoma
Dordt College	Southern Methodist University	University of Oregon
Duke University	Southern Nazarene University	University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill
East Texas Baptist University	Southwestern University	University of Rhode Island
Emporia State University	St. John's University	University of Roehampton London
Evangel University	Stanford University	University of South Dakota
George Washington University	Stephen F. Austin University	University of South Carolina
Georgetown University	Tarleton State University	University of Southern California
Grand Canyon University	Texas A&M University - College Station	University of Tennessee Knoxville
Hardin-Simmons University	Texas A&M University - Commerce	University of Texas at Arlington
Harding University	Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi	University of Texas at Austin
Hendrix College	Texas A&M University - Galveston	University of Texas at Dallas
High Point University	Texas Christian University	University of Texas at El Paso
Hope College	Texas Lutheran University	University of Texas at San Antonio
Houston Baptist University	Texas State University	University of Texas at Tyler
Howard University	Texas Tech University	University of Virginia
Iowa State University	Trinity University	Wichita State University
Ithaca College	U.S. Air Force Academy	Xavier University
Lipscomb University	U.S. Naval Academy	

ADVANCED COURSES

ENGLISH

Honors English I
 Honors English II
 Honors English IV
 AP Language and Composition
 AP Literature and Composition
 Dual Credit English Composition I
 Dual Credit English Composition II

MATH

Honors Geometry
 Honors Algebra II
 Honors Pre-Calculus
 AP Calculus - AB/BC
 Dual Credit Calculus
 Dual Credit College Algebra
 Dual Credit Statistics

SCIENCE

Honors Biology
 Honors Chemistry
 AP Chemistry
 Honors Anatomy and Physiology
 Honors Medical Microbiology
 AP Biology
 Dual Credit Physics

HISTORY

Honors Cultural Geography
 Dual Credit US History
 Dual Credit World History
 Dual Credit American Government and Politics
 Dual Credit Macroeconomics

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Honors Spanish III
 Dual Credit Spanish III/IV

BIBLE/RELIGION

Dual Credit Ethics
 Dual Credit New Testament
 Dual Credit Spiritual Formation

FINE ARTS

Honors Art I, II, III
 AP Art Studio
 Honors Art of Films

ELECTIVES

Dual Credit Psychology

ETHOS SCHOOL*

AP Psychology
 AP Computer Science Principles
 AP Computer Science A
 AP Macroeconomics
 AP Physics C
 AP Statistics
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