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Caprock Academy High School Awarded Among 2025-2026 Best High Schools in Colorado by U.S. News & World Report

Grand Junction, CO – August 26, 2025 – Caprock Academy is proud to announce its recognition as one of the 2025-2026 Best High Schools in Colorado and in the Nation, according to the prestigious rankings published by U.S. News & World Report. This marks the sixth year Caprock Academy High School has earned this honor, with previous acknowledgments received in 2017, 2020, 2021, 2023, and 2024.

In the latest rankings, Caprock Academy High School has achieved outstanding placements, underscoring its commitment to academic excellence and robust educational programs:

- Ranked #1 High School in Grand Junction
- Ranked #1 Highest Graduation Rate in the State of Colorado
- Ranked #50 among all Colorado High Schools
- Ranked #1 among State Charter School Institute High Schools
- Ranked #273 in National Charter High Schools
- Ranked #1,651 in National High Schools

"We are thrilled to once again be recognized by U.S. News & World Report," said Matt Diers, Interim Head of School of Caprock Academy. "These rankings are a testament to the hard work of our students, the dedication of our faculty and staff, and the continual support from our community. This achievement motivates us to keep pushing the boundaries of what is possible in education."

The [methodology](#) focuses on six factors: college readiness; reading, math and science proficiency; reading, math and science performance; underserved student performance; college curriculum breadth; and graduation rates.

"We believe every student deserves access to clear, actionable data when choosing their educational path," said LaMont Jones, managing editor for education at U.S. News. "In an era where navigating educational opportunities can feel overwhelming for families, the 2025-2026 Best High School rankings help students and parents identify schools that align with their goals and empower informed decisions that shape students' futures."

About Caprock Academy

Caprock Academy is a tuition-free, K-12 public charter school in Grand Junction, Colorado. It offers a rigorous classical education that emphasizes character education, accountability, and high academic standards. Through a dedicated focus on the development of the whole student, Caprock Academy prepares young individuals for success in college, career, and life. For more details about Caprock Academy's programs and achievements, or to schedule a visit, please visit our website at www.caprockacademy.org



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