

WELCOME TO CYPRESS RANCH HIGH SCHOOL



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are Clickable

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NOTE: Not all courses
listed in the course
description book are
offered at Cypress Ranch.

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NOTE:
Courses in RED are CLOSED.

Courses that end
in a 3 are full year courses, 0 is a
semester only course. Refer to
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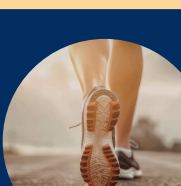
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CYPRESS RANCH ATHLETICS



1. Athletes are welcome and encouraged to participate in more than one sport. During the year, class schedules may be adjusted and athlete must be enrolled in the athletic period in order to participate.
2. An annual athletic physical must be on file before entering **ANY** sport. Forms are posted on the CFISD website at Departments; Athletics. For more information, contact our athletic trainer, Coach Kevin Russell, at Kevin.Russell@cfisd.net or 281-373-2300.
3. All sports require athletes to provide their own transportation to and from practices held during non-school hours.
4. **Those athletes who register in an athletic class but fail to make a team after evaluation and tryouts, will be placed in a PE class. This could change the student's schedule.**
5. For those interested in Cypress Ranch Athletics, Join the **General SportsYou- Code F7RGY2FE**

Course	Requirements	Special Notes
 Boys Basketball Coach Mason Huffmeister mason.huffmeister@cfisd.net	• 9th & 10th Grade Registration ok • 11th & 12th Grade Need Coaches Approval	• Tryouts held throughout 1st semester to determine teams. • Cuts are made. • Early morning practices
 Girls' Basketball Coach Megan Daniel megan.daniel@cfisd.net	• 9th Grade Registration ok	• Tryouts are held during the 1st semester to determine teams. • Cuts are made. • Early Morning Practices
 Boys' Baseball Coach Corey Cephus corey.cephus@cfisd.net	• NO Registration	• Tryouts will be held in January. • Cuts are made. • 9th graders must play on spring/summer prep team to be added to fall athletic period.
 Boys' Cross Country Coach Michael Garcia michael.garcia@cfisd.net	• 9th Grade & Returning runners registration ok • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval • Season Begins July 27th	• No Cuts are Made. • Morning Practices Start at 6:00 AM (M-F).
 Girls' Cross Country Coach Jennifer Torrez jennifer.torrez@cfisd.net	• 9th Grade & Returning runners registration ok • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval • Season Begins July 27th	• No Cuts are Made. • Morning Practices Start at 6:00 AM (M-F).
 Football Coach William Blaylock william.blaylock@cfisd.net Coach Brian Ware brian.ware@cfisd.net	• 9th Grade & Returning Players registration ok • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval • No Tryouts • Practice is Mandatory	• No Cuts are made. Can be Removed for Eligibility or discipline Issues. • JV/V practice after and/or before school. • Must be in Athletic Period. • Summer Training is encouraged.
 Boys' Golf Coach Taylor Stanton taylor.stanton@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for Returning Players ONLY • 9th Grade & All Others Interested will Tryout in August 2026 before school.	• Cuts are made. • Any student wanting to tryout should join SportsYou Group with code (XHED-JEFH)
 Girls' Golf Coach Stacey McDaniel stacey.mcdaniel@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for Returning Players ONLY • 9th Grade & All Others Interested will tryout in November	• In Order to Enroll in Golf Athletic Period, a Pre-Tryout will Take place during the First Week of School. This does not take the place of the November Tryout. • Cuts are made.

 Boys' Soccer Coach Michael Garcia michael.garcia@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• In Order to Enroll in Soccer Athletic Period, a Pre-Tryout will Take place during the First Week of School. • Tryouts are in November which will Determine Team Roster. • Cuts are made.
 Girls' Soccer Coach Teddy Carrier theodore.carrier@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• Tryouts are Held 1st Semester which will Determine Team Rosters. • Cuts are made.
 Girls' Softball Coach Sarah Mueller sarah.mueller@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• Tryouts are Held to Determine Teams. • Cuts are made.
 Sports Medicine Coach Kevin Russell kevin.russell@cfisd.net	• Contact the Athletic Trainer for more Information. • Applications available in April.	• Must have an Interest in Working Extra Hours and Attending Athletic Practices & Games.
 Swimming & Diving Coach Ricky Carnicle richard.carnicle@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• Tryouts Held the First Week of School. • Cuts are made.
 Tennis Coach Britany Fredrickson britany.fredrickson@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• Tryouts Held to Determine Teams. • Cuts are made.
 Boys' Track Coach Samuel Scott samuel.scott@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• No Cuts are Made. • Mandatory After School Practice
 Girls' Track Coach Zamyal Jackson zamyal.jackson@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• Cuts are Made. • Mandatory After School Practice. • Managers need to be able to Lift, Stand and Be Outdoors for Long Periods of Time.
 Wrestling Coach John Banas john.banas@cfisd.net	• Registration ok for 9th Grade & Returning Players ONLY • All Others Interested Need Coaches Approval	• No Cuts are Made.
 Volleyball Coach Collea McKinney collea.mckinney@cfisd.net	• No Registration	• Tryouts are Held Before School Begins to Determine Teams. • Practices are Mandatory. • Cuts are Made.

CYPRESS RANCH PERFORMING & VISUAL ARTS



Course	Course Description/ Requirements	Course Fees
 <u>Mustang Band</u> Alex Denton Head Band Director Alex.Denton@cfisd.net	The Cypress Ranch Band currently serves 250+ students who participate in marching band, four concert bands, two jazz bands, large and small chamber ensembles, and color guard.	Anticipated Fees \$400-500
 <u>Ranch Choir</u> Cynthia Douglas Head Choir Director cynthia.douglas@cfisd.net	The Cypress Ranch Choir program consists of eight ensembles which provide a variety of opportunities for students who would like to develop their singing and musicianship skills. Singers in Ranch Choir have the opportunity to sing in large choirs, small ensembles, and as soloists in a variety of styles ranging from classical to pop and jazz.	Anticipated Fees \$75-100
 <u>Ranch Color Guard</u> Andrea Noriega Color Guard Director andrea.noriega@cfisd.net	Color guard incorporates dancing, performing, and manipulating props such as flags, rifles, and sabres. During the first semester we are a part of the marching band and attend all football games and contests throughout the fall semester. During the second semester, we compete and perform as a separate group to prerecorded music inside gyms and compete throughout February and March.	Anticipated Fees Approx. \$550 Fall / Approx. \$400 Spring
 <u>Classics Dance Team</u> Kara Thayer Drill Team Director kara.thayer@cfisd.net	<u>Dance I – II</u> students will learn fundamentals in these dance techniques: ballet, modern, jazz, tap, hip-hop, folk, character and world dance. <u>Classics Dance Team I-IV</u> – Auditions are in the spring. Students have daily rehearsals and perform at pep rallies, football games, competitions and various other opportunities throughout the year.	<u>Dance I – II Anticipated Fees</u> \$25-50 <u>Classics Dance Team</u> Fee varies. Specifics are discussed at parent meeting prior to try-outs
 <u>Ranch Orchestra</u> Elizabeth Ledford Head Orchestra Director elizabeth.ledford@cfisd.net	The Cypress Ranch Orchestra program is dedicated to fostering musical growth, creativity, and excellence in our students. Performances include concerts, large and small ensembles, and individual opportunities.	Anticipated Fees \$60
 <u>Technical Theatre</u> Seth Bales Technical Theatre seth.bales@cfisd.net	<u>Technical Theatre I</u> – Students learn and demonstrate practices in safety awareness. The course emphasizes theatre safety. Students prepare to safely apply technical knowledge to create scenic elements. It also includes an introduction to basic theatrical design and its history. This course is an overview of every aspect of Technical Theatre <u>Technical Theatre II-IV</u> – Class Time and After School Time requirement for this course. Heavy, intensive, in-depth study of Technical Theatre and Design. Hands on and prior experience is necessary and required. (Technical Theatre I or Theatre Production and prior approval of the course instructor is required) <u>Technical Theatre Production II-IV</u> – Varsity Course, Director Approval and after school participation required.	<u>Technical Theatre I</u> Anticipated Fees \$50 supplies for class projects <u>Technical Theatre II-IV</u> Production Fees – Cost depends on costuming & royalties for class show



Theatre Arts

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Head Theatre Arts
Director
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Theatre Arts I - A basic Theatre course to introduce the student to: improvisation, creativity as it relates to personal expression, develop stage movement to express thoughts and feelings, portray theatre as a reflection of life and offer and receive criticism for performances. Some of the activities will include pantomime, acting scenes, monologues, and group scripts.

Theatre Arts II-IV Class Time and After School Time requirement for this course. The course will enhance and cultivate the creative gifts of each student while encouraging a sense of self-confidence. The course will enable students to study and perform the varied styles of musical theatre with special attention to the principles of stage movement, stage vocal technique, stage choreography, acting, characterization, and all other aspects of a musical production. Course will culminate each semester in a Fall and Spring class musical. Note: After school rehearsals are required. (Theatre I or Musical Theatre I, Audition and Teacher Approval)

Theatre Production II-IV (VARSITY - College Prep - Acting Emphasis) - Note: In class & After school rehearsals are required. In Class & After School time is spent in rehearsals and preparing for all productions and events in the auditorium in short, doing everything required to stage a live theatrical production. This course prepares students who will go on to major or minor in Theatre at the university level. Advanced characterization, theatre history, costuming, etc... will be explored in depth. (Audition & Prior approval from course instructor is required.)

Theatre Arts I -
Anticipated Fees
\$50 or less

Theatre Arts II-IV
Production Fees - Cost depends on
costuming & royalties for class show

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Visual Arts

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Department Chair
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Art I Drawing & Painting- Foundation course that uses 2D and 3D materials with an emphasis on drawing and painting.

Art I Sculpture - Foundation course that uses 3D and 3D materials with an emphasis on sculpture and ceramics.

Art I Photography - Foundation Course with an emphasis on photographic media.

Art I Digital Art & Media- Foundation course that uses computers and other digital media along with 2D and 3D materials.

Other Advanced Level Art
Course are listed here

Art I Drawing and Painting (DP)
\$85 - \$150

Art I Sculpture (S)
\$150

Art I Photography (P)
\$250-\$300
Photography requires access to a
35 mm camera

Art I Digital Media (DM)
\$100-\$135

Full List of Art Fees

Click underlined links under course name to be taken to the program website (if available)

Notes:

- 1.If a student is participating in a school-sponsored trip, trip fees are paid in addition to course fees.
- 2. The fees listed above are estimates and may be adjusted.
- 3. The fees listed do not include any Advanced Placement tests.

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- Course Planning
- AP/Dual Credit
- Tutoring Resources



Mental Health & Wellness

- Request to see a counselor
- Crisis Support
- Managing Stress and Anxiety



Transcript Requests

- All official and unofficial transcripts



Verification of Enrollment (VOE)



Excessive Absences (EA's)

Contact AP's



College and Career Readiness

- College Planning Timeline
- Scholarships & Financial Aid Info



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ACT Test Registration



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