



CYPRESS WOODS HIGH SCHOOL

WELCOME TO

Freshman Year

Building The Foundation For The Next Four Years



WILDCAT EXCELLENCE

A TRADITION OF SUCCESS



ACADEMICS

- **Top 3 in CEISD** on every 2026 EOC assessment
- AP World
- AP European
- AP Chemistry
- UIL Academic
- UIL Computer
- UIL Mathematics



STUDENT

- FBLA National
- Public
- Game
- Broadcast

COLLEGE

859
GRADUATES



FINE ARTS

- **Crimson Cadettes**



“When your student **walks through our doors**, they become part of a community where **excellence is expected**, **celebrated**, and **achievable** for every Wildcat.”



CYPRESS WOODS
HIGH SCHOOL

years
akes at every level



- Boys Soccer **BI-District Champions**
- **State qualifiers** in Swimming and Wrestling
- Girls Basketball returned to the **playoffs** for the first time in 10 years

It's not just about championships.
It's about creating champions in life.”

We are 212°

Cone Leadership Team



Assistant Principal Team



Counselor Team



Instructional Team



211°

= ORDINARY

212°

= EXTRAORDINARY

ONE DEGREE MAKES A DIFFERENCE.



THE 212° WAY



P O W E R

PRIORITIES

OWNERSHIP

WILLINGNESS

ETHICS

RESPECT

STUDENT SCHEDULES

Info



Your student received their tentative schedule this evening. They will receive their official schedule on the first day of school. Please note that changes may occur as schedules are still being finalized.

Class balancing occurs during the first few weeks of each semester and can continue throughout the semester, if necessary.

Counselors cannot accommodate requests for specific teachers, class periods and lunch periods.



A DIFFERENT WORLD FROM

Middle School

MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Teachers Remind
- Short Term
- Practice
- More Structure



HIGH SCHOOL

- Students Responsible
- Long Term
- Performance
- More Independence

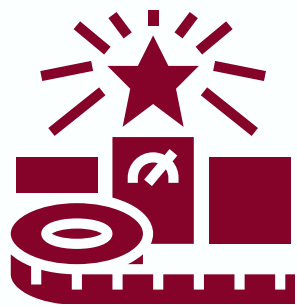


- ✓ Increased academic expectations
- ✓ Greater personal responsibility
- ✓ More independence and freedom
- ✓ More opportunities—and more consequences
- ✓ Students begin building their permanent transcript



EVERY YEAR HAS A

Purpose



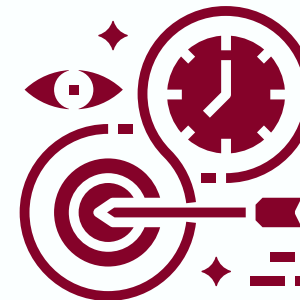
- Build habits
- Explore interests
- Earn strong grades

FRESHMAN
year



- Increase rigor
- Get involved
- Prepare for leadership

SOPHOMORE
year



- College & career planning
- SAT/ACT
- Leadership
- Scholarships begin

JUNIOR
year



- Applications
- Financial aid
- Graduation
- Next steps

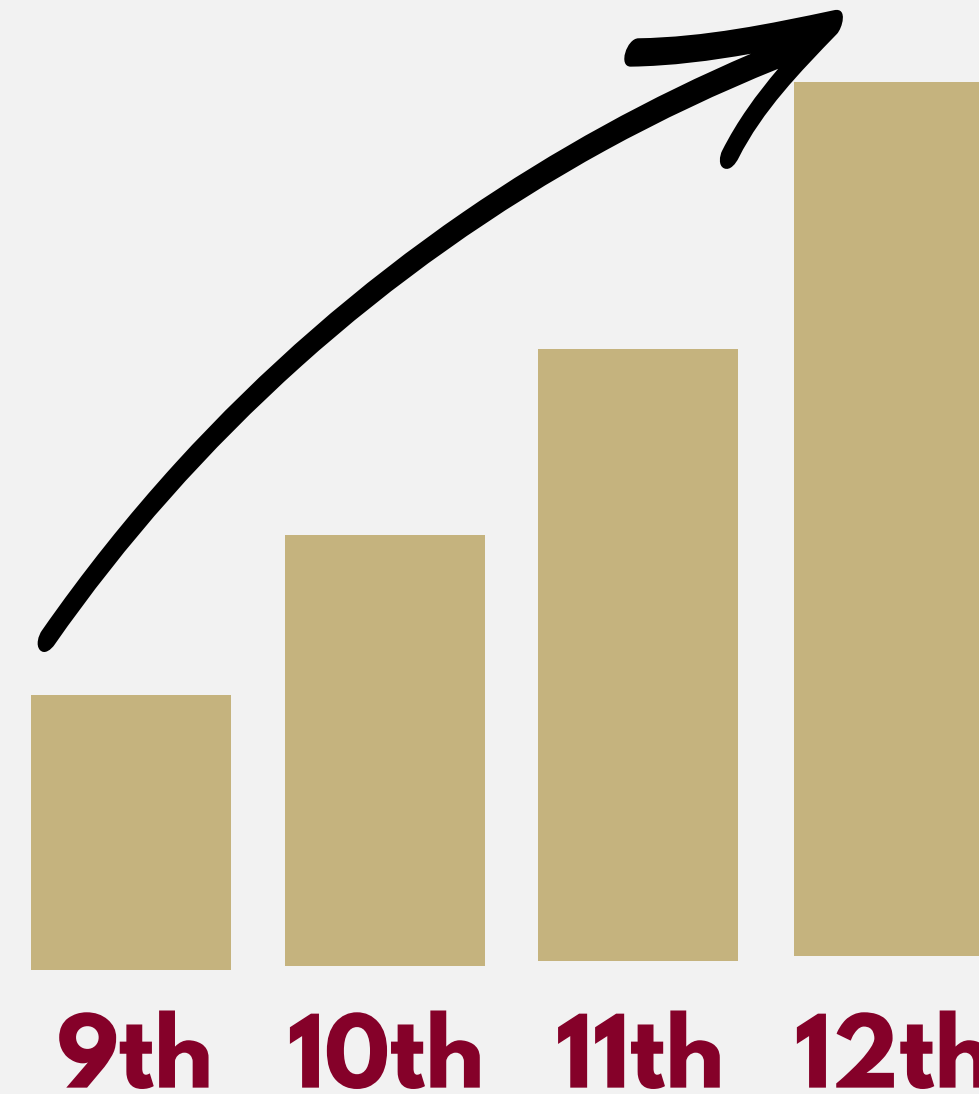
SENIOR
year



EVERY ASSIGNMENT

Counts

- ✓ GPA starts immediately
- ✓ Credits are required for graduation
- ✓ Attendance impacts achievement
- ✓ Missing work adds up quickly
- ✓ Recovery is possible—but prevention is easier



*Strong Today
Stronger Tomorrow*



SHOWING UP

Matters



- ✓ Attendance strongly predicts graduation
- ✓ Missing instruction affects learning
- ✓ Arrive on time every day; tardies matter
- ✓ Schedule appointments outside school when possible
- ✓ Communicate with teachers early



Being absent one day every other week equates to four weeks of missed instruction each year.



CAMPUS EXPECTATIONS



ELECTRONICS

- Texas law (HB 1481) requires all Personal Communication Devices to be away for the day in backpacks.
- Chromebooks should be charged and ready each day for instructional use only.

DRESS CODE

- Dress code strictly enforced.
- ID Badges: All students must wear a student ID badge, visible, on school-approved lanyards (red), during the instructional day.

LUNCH

- Lunch drop off by parent only.
- Outside food deliveries are not allowed.



YOUR INFLUENCE IS GREATER THAN YOU THINK

Parents can:

- ✓ Check grades regularly
- ✓ Ask about assignments
- ✓ Encourage tutorials
- ✓ Limit distractions
- ✓ Promote healthy sleep
- ✓ Celebrate effort—not just results
- ✓ Stay connected with teachers



CONNECTION CREATES

Success



Students connected to school are:

- ✓ More successful academically
- ✓ Better behaved
- ✓ More likely to graduate

Encourage participation in:

- ✓ Athletics
- ✓ Fine Arts
- ✓ Career programs
- ✓ Student organizations
- ✓ Academic clubs
- ✓ Service organizations



HELPING STUDENTS STAY

Healthy



- ✓ Monitor social media
- ✓ Encourage face-to-face relationships
- ✓ Prioritize sleep (8–10 hours)
- ✓ Watch for stress and anxiety
- ✓ Ask questions often
- ✓ Know who students spend time with
- ✓ Seek help early when needed



sleep



talk



support



thrive



Your Support Team



You Are Not Alone

Resources Include:

- ✓ Teachers
- ✓ Counselors
- ✓ Assistant Principals
- ✓ Coaches

Students can request to see their counselor by:

- ✓ stopping by the counseling office before/after school or during lunch
- ✓ sending an email to their counselor
- ✓ message counselor through Schoology

Encourage students to advocate for themselves.



THE FOUR-YEAR OPPORTUNITY STARTS

Today!

**"High school isn't about
surviving four years. It's about
preparing students for the next
forty."**

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212°

parent
partnerships



