



## GPA and Grade Scale

CCA reports an unweighted GPA for each student on their high school transcript. Grade points are awarded on the following scale, regardless of the level of course.

### UNWEIGHTED GPA

Numerical Grade Range	Letter Grade	Points Awarded
90-100	A	4.00
86-89	B+	3.67
83-85	B	3.33
80-82	B-	3.00
76-79	C+	2.67
73-75	C	2.33
70-72	C-	2.00
0-69	F	0.00

Students entering 9<sup>th</sup> grade in 2016-17 will also receive a weighted GPA on their transcript. The weighted scale is intended to adequately reflect the grades obtained in courses of varying levels of difficulty (standard, honors, dual credit, etc.).

### WEIGHTED GPA

Grade	Letter Grade	Honors/Dual Credit	Standard	Modified Curriculum
97-100	A+	5.0	4.0	3.5
93-96	A	4.8	3.8	3.3
90-92	A-	4.6	3.6	3.1
87-89	B+	4.4	3.4	2.9
83-86	B	4.2	3.2	2.7
80-82	B-	4.0	3.0	2.5
77-79	C+	3.8	2.8	2.3
73-76	C	3.6	2.6	2.1
71-72	C-	3.4	2.4	1.9
70	F	3.0	2.0	1.5
0-69	0	0	0	0

## Advanced Programs

### DUAL CREDIT COURSES

Qualified students may take dual credit courses offered through partnerships between CCA and John Brown University (JBU), Colorado Christian University (CCU), and Collin College (CC).

#### Dual credit course offerings:

- Calculus I, Calculus II, Calculus III (CC)
- Cell Biology (JBU)
- College Algebra (CCU, CC)
- Differential Equations (CC)
- Elementary Spanish I, Elementary Spanish II (CCU)
- Elementary Statistics (CC)
- Intermediate Spanish I, Intermediate Spanish II (CCU)
- Introductory Psychology (JBU)
- Plane Trigonometry (CC)
- Pre-Calculus (CCU, CC)

### HONORS COURSES

CCA offers dedicated Honors level courses for students in their junior and senior year. To qualify for entrance into an Honors class, students must exhibit readiness by securing at least a 90 average in a current corresponding on-level course or an 80 average in a current corresponding subject in an Honors course.

## CCA Graduates are Accepted to Top Colleges

1. Abilene Christian University
2. Austin College
3. Baylor University
4. Belmont University
5. Colorado Christian University
6. Crown College
7. Dallas Baptist University
8. Duke University
9. Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Univ
10. Johns Hopkins University
11. Hardin-Simmons University
12. Laurentian University
13. LeTourneau University
14. Liberty University
15. Midwestern State University
16. Oklahoma Baptist University
17. Oklahoma State University
18. Ouachita Baptist University
19. Pepperdine University
20. Pomona College
21. Purdue University
22. Rhodes College
23. Rice University
24. Sam Houston University
25. Southern Methodist Univ
26. Stephen F. Austin State Univ
27. Tarleton State University
28. Texas A&M University
29. Texas Christian University
30. Texas State University
31. Texas Tech University
32. Texas Woman's University
33. University of Arizona
34. University of Arkansas
35. Univ of Central Oklahoma
36. Univ of Mary Hardin-Baylor
37. Univ of Minnesota Rochester
38. University of North Texas
39. University of Oklahoma
40. Univ of Southern California
41. Univ of Texas at Arlington
42. Univ of Texas at Dallas

# CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

## 2020-2021 PROFILE



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## Cornerstone Christian Academy

Inaugurated in 2004, Cornerstone Christian Academy now serves Kindergarten through 12th grade. The school is located just southwest of downtown McKinney, Texas. Cornerstone Christian Academy is a certified University Model School® (UMS), operating under parental authority to produce disciples who will influence our culture for Christ. University Model Schooling® is a unique approach that integrates the best of homeschool, traditional, full-time private and public school, into an affordable, exciting, biblical (a-denominational) educational model!

Students from elementary through high school go to classes the way most college students do, that is, three days per week. The students receive professional, highly engaging instruction at school on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from degreed, caring teachers. On Tuesday and Thursday, they engage with their studies AT HOME (the satellite classroom) under a parent's guidance. During junior and senior year, high school students may experience a true college class schedule by attending classes on a MWF and/or TTH block schedule.

### ENROLLMENT

Student Enrollment (2020-21): 353

- K-5<sup>th</sup>: 154
- 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>: 199

## Just the Facts

### ACCREDITATION

CCA is certified through the University-Model Schools International (UMSI), formerly National Association of University Model Schools (NAUMS) and was accredited through AdvancED/Cognia (SACS/CASI) in 2012. CCA is an NCAA approved institution.

### RANKING

CCA is a non-ranking school.

### SCHOOL TERM/CLASS SIZE

96 class periods in one school year.  
48 class periods in each semester (fall/spring).

MWF: 55-minute classes

TTH (11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> only): 90-minute classes

UMSI/NAUMS student/teacher class size limits:

- **Kinder-5<sup>th</sup>:** 18:1
- **6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>:** 20:1
- **9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>:** 24:1

### STATISTICAL PROFILE

	<b>GPA</b> Unweighted (4.0 scale)	<b>ACT</b> Composite Score (Nat'l Avg: 21)	<b>SAT</b> Total Score (Nat'l Avg: 1051)
<b>Class of 2020</b>	3.71	25	1122
<b>Class of 2019</b>	3.72	25	1232

CCA High Scores: (2019) ACT: 35; SAT: 1560

(2020) ACT: 34; SAT: 1360

\* Maximum possible score: ACT = 36; SAT = 1600

### AWARDS/DISTINCTIONS

**National Merit Scholarship Program:**

Finalists

Commended Scholars

**National Achievement Scholarship Program:**

Semi-Finalists

**Abydos Writing Competition:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Place State

**ACSI Graphic Design Yearbook Cover:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place/Superior

**ACSI Writing Competition:** Top Writer

**Dallas Best Robotics Competition:** 2018 1<sup>st</sup> Place

**Texas Best Robotics Competition:** 2018 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

**TCAF One Act Play:** 2018 3<sup>rd</sup> Place State Runner-up

## Graduation Plans

### GRADUATION PLANS & REQUIREMENTS

Foundation Plan OR Foundation Plan with Endorsement

	<b>Foundation Plan</b>	<b>Foundation Plan w/Endorsement</b>
<b>English</b>	4 credits	4 credits
<b>Mathematics</b>	3	4
<b>Science</b>	3	4
<b>Social Studies</b>	3	4
<b>Physical Ed</b>	1	1
<b>Foreign Language</b>	2	2
<b>Fine Arts</b>	1	1
<b>Electives</b>	4	5
<b>Applied Ministry</b>	1	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22 credits</b>	<b>26 credits</b>

## Extracurricular

**Chapel** (K-12)

**Music** (K-12)

**Theater/Drama Collaborative** (6-12)

**Athletics** (7-12)

Teams: Archery, Baseball, Basketball, Fencing, Football, Golf, Soccer, Track & Field, Volleyball

League: TAPPS (Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools)  
Accomplishments prior to 2020-21:

TCAF (Texas Christian Athletic Fellowship) - HS Varsity

Baseball: 2015 State Quarter Finalists

Football: 2014 State Quarter Finalists

Golf: 2015 State Finalists

Volleyball: 2019, 2013 State Runner-up; 2018 3<sup>rd</sup> Place State; 2019, 2018, 2016, 2013 District Champs

CSAF (Christian Schools Athletic Fellowship) - Junior High

Basketball (Girls): 2017 District Champs

Football: 2015 District Champs; 2015 Regional Runner-up

Golf: 2015 Regional Champs; 2014 Regional Runner-Up

Volleyball: 2018, 2016, 2013 District Champs; 2016 Regional Champs

