

2021-2022 School Profile

CEEB Code # 030669

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

OUR MISSION

Connections Academy schools have an important mission: to help each student maximize his or her potential and meet the highest performance standards through a uniquely individualized learning program.

OUR PROGRAM

Arizona Connections Academy is accredited by the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI), an accrediting division of Cognia, formerly AdvancED. Arizona Connections Academy includes a four-year comprehensive high school program. The school has 38 licensed professional staff with advanced degrees. School is in session for 180 days between the months of August and May.

STUDENT POPULATION

Arizona Connections Academy has an enrollment of 813 high school students. Plans for the Class of 2021 include:

Plans	%
Two-year college	33
Four-year college	32
Employment	11
Vocational Training	7
Other	17
Total	100

CONTACT INFORMATION

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SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

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DIRECTOR OF COUNSELING: Megan Hines

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COUNSELING STAFF: Laurie Conaway, Misty Little, Sarah, Mena, Marlo Smith,

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ACCREDITATIONS



SAMPLING OF COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Arizona State University, Cornell University, Northern Arizona University, Stanford University and University of Arizona



ADVANCED COURSE OPTIONS

AP Course Offerings Include: Art History, Biology, Calculus, Computer Science, English Language & Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, United States Government and United States History **Honors Course Offerings Include:** Algebra I and II, American Government, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, English 9-12, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, U.S. History, and World History.

Please feel free to view all our high school courses at: http://www.connectionsacademy.com/arizona-online-school/curriculum/high-school/courses

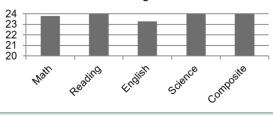
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

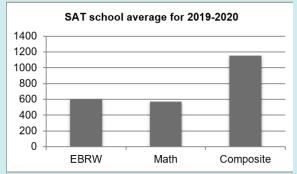
Arizona Connections Academy operates on a semester system utilizing Carnegie units. One semester class equal one-half of a high school credit. Students who have taken high school level courses while in middle school may have been granted high school credit. The typical course load is six classes per semester.

Area/Subjects	#Units for Graduation
Language Arts	4
Math	4
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Fine Arts	1
Electives	7
Total	22

Due to the nature of the learning environment at Arizona Connections Academy, courses and standards were unaltered during the pandemic and students were able to continue completing courses as usual.

Act school average for 2019-2020





AP Results for 2020-21

Average AP Score: 3



GRADE SCALE

Student transcripts reflect weighted grades if the student took Honors or Advanced Placement courses.

The numerical grading scale is as follows:

Grade	Numerical Percentage	Non-Weighted	Weighted (Honors)	Weighted (AP)
Α	90–100	4.00	5.00	5.00
В	80–89	3.00	4.00	4.00
С	70–79	2.00	3.00	3.00
D	60–69	1.00	2.00	2.00
F	0–59	0.00	0.00	0.00