

Front Range Christian School Profile 2012/2013

a resource and transcript supplement for college admissions offices

EXPLANATIONS

CLASS RANK is a relative standing of a student in his/her class and is determined by weighted cumulative grade point average (GPA). Only full-time students are awarded a ranking.

GPA COMPUTATION: A student's GPA is obtained by dividing the total number of grade points earned in high school courses by the total number of grade points attempted. Weighted grades for successful completion of Advanced Placement (AP) or Concurrent Credit Program (CCP) courses

and Honors classes are factored into this calculation. Front Range Christian School uses a 4.0 scale as follows:

Grading Scale		Standard Classes	Honors/AP/CCP Classes
90-100	A	4.0	5.0
80-89	B	3.0	4.0
70-79	C	2.0	3.0
60-69	D	1.0	1.0
0-59	F	0	0

CLASS OF 2013

Consists of 44 students with an average GPA of 3.46. Specific cumulative GPA info through August 2012:

GPA	# of students	% of class
4.0+	2	5%
3.75-3.99	11	25%
3.5-3.74	10	23%
3.0-3.49	16	36%
2.5-2.99	4	9%
< 2.5	1	2%

TESTING

Seniors: SAT, ACT, AP Sophomores: PSAT; PLAN
 Juniors: PSAT, SAT, ACT, AP Freshmen: EXPLORE

Standardized Test Scores (as of September 2012)

Test	FRCS Top 25%	FRCS Average	National Average	Colorado Average
ACT	29	24.55	21.1	20.6
SAT	1930	1748	1500 <i>(in 2011)</i>	1699 <i>(in 2011)</i>

2012 AP Exams at FRCS
 AP Exams Administered: 40
 % Scored > 3: 65%
 AP Scholars with Honors: 1
 AP Scholars: 1

COLLEGES

From 2003-2011, FRCS students were invited to matriculate at the following colleges and universities:

Air Force Academy
 Alabama University
 Auburn University
 Azusa Pacific University
 Bethany College
 Bethel University
 Biola University
 California Baptist University
 Calvary Chapel Bible College
 Cedarville University
 Chadron State College
 College of the Ozarks
 Colorado Christian University
 Colorado Mesa University

Colorado School of Mines
 Colorado State University
 Cornerstone University
 Denver University
 Dordt College
 Fort Lewis College
 Gordon College
 Grand Canyon University
 Grinnell College
 Gustavus Adolphus College
 Hastings College
 Hawaii Pacific University
 Indiana Wesleyan University
 LeTourneau University

Liberty University
 Mesa State College
 Messiah College
 Metropolitan State University
 Montana State University
 Moody Bible Institute
 Northwestern University
 Oklahoma Baptist University
 Oral Roberts University
 Pepperdine University
 Point Loma University
 Providence College
 Seattle Pacific University
 Southern Nazarene University

Southwest Baptist University
 Sterling College
 Trinity Bible College
 Trinity Western
 University of Colorado
 University of Colorado at Denver
 University of Northern Colorado
 University of Puget Sound
 University of Wyoming
 Walyand Baptist University
 Wheaton College
 Whitworth University

FRCS General Information

MISSION

Front Range Christian School exists to partner with the Christian home in training children for life and equipping them to impact the world for Christ.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

FRCS is committed to a liberal arts education for our students, as we believe that a mind well equipped to serve the Kingdom of God will be academically well-rounded. To that end, we required students to be meaningfully engaged in a broad spectrum of disciplines. Teachers work carefully to teach a Christian worldview in every subject.

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY

Established in 1994 with 36 children, Front Range Christian School is now home to over 400 students, PreK-12, and is located the southwest Denver suburb of Littleton, Colorado.

ACCREDITATIONS & AFFILIATIONS

- Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)
- AdvancED
- The College Board

ADVANCED COURSE OFFERINGS

- **English:** AP Composition, AP Literature, Honors World Literature
- **History:** AP U.S. History, AP European History
- **Mathematics:** Saxon Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus AB

- **Science:** Honors Biology, AP Biology
- **Foreign Language:** Honors Spanish IV
- **Fine Arts:** Advanced Vocal, Advanced Music Theory

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCES

- Becoming Like Christ (a course that affords students the chance to disciple younger students through the exploration of Christ's love for the Father and for others)
- Spiritual Life Committee (gives students the chance to be a part of the growth of the spiritual life of grades 7-12 through planning weekly chapel and more)
- Student Government
- Justice Club (for students who have a passion to see God's justice right the injustices of the world, including, but not limited to human trafficking, slavery, land-grabbing, exploitation of widows and orphans, etc.)
- Practicum (annual, week-long opportunities with emphasis on training, service, community, and missions)
- Go! Wednesday (a variety of monthly service projects designed to engage students in becoming other-centered and impact the world for Christ)
- Campus-wide discipleship and mentoring (students may participate in discipleship groups)
- Technology Initiatives (1-to-1 iPad program, use of My Big Campus as online classroom learning environment and collaboration tool, emphasis on digital citizenship, etc.)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Course	Honors Track	College Prep Track	Standard Track
Bible	4	4	4
Math	4	4	3 (through Algebra II)
Social Science	4	4	4
Language Arts	4	4	4
Natural Science	4	4	4
Foreign Language	2 (through level 3)	2 (through level 3)	1 (through level 2)
Fine Arts	1.5 (speech required)	1.5 (speech required)	1.5 (speech required)
College/Career Planning	0.5	0.5	0.5
Electives or Work Study	1.5	1.5	3.5
P.E.	0.5	0.5	0.5
Practicum	1	1	1

Honors Track students must complete at least four (4) Honors/AP/CCP courses; at least one (1) must be AP/CCP. Honors students must graduate with a weighted GPA of 3.5 or higher to maintain honors status.

Practicum gives 0.25 credit for each year the student attends FRCS.

