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STUDENT PROFILE

Secondary Enrollment:
252 students

Student-to-Faculty Ratio
10:1

Average Class Size: 14
International Students 4%
Need-based Financial Aid

Recipients 12%
Male 49%
Female 51%

DEMOGRAPHICS

African American 3%
Asian 50%
Caucasian 9%
Hispanic/Latino 3%
South Asian 11%
Multi-Ethnic 13%
Pacific Islander 2%
Other 1%
Undeclared 8%

ACCREDITATION

Western Association of Schools
and Colleges (WASC)

Association of Christian Schools
International (ACSI)

FREMONT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

High School

2021-2022 Profile

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BIG-SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES IN A SMALL-SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

Fremont Christian School strives to provide every child with a safe place to grow, learn and explore their faith. Though we wholeheartedly encourage students to explore Christianity, students of all faiths are welcome in our community. FCS is a private, co-educational college preparatory school established in 1968 as an educational outreach of Harbor Light Church.

At FCS, we desire for every student to see themselves and everyone around them as the Imago Dei: unique individuals made on purpose, in the image of God. We value providing students with a wide variety of opportunities for growth through classroom experiences with dedicated teachers, participation in competitive sport teams, and access to an exceptional and robust fine arts program. We believe that any amount of time your child spends with our school is a chance to learn and grow further into the person God has called them to be.

APPROACH TO EDUCATIONAL INSTRUCTION

FCS provides a growth-oriented advanced college-preparatory curriculum that reflects a biblical worldview. Guided Language Acquisition Design (GLAD), a research-based model rich in advanced vocabulary, supports instruction across content areas, promotes metacognition, encourages gradual release of responsibility, and embodies 21st-century learning. The GLAD model emphasizes problem-solving, respecting others, and making wise decisions. Metacognitive learners are able to reflect on and analyze their own learning: *Does this make sense? How am I doing? What am I doing well? What can I do better?*

TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION

We incorporate a broad range of platforms and web applications to help prepare students for life beyond FCS. Some of the platforms that we integrate into our curriculum, including Canvas, Zoom, Turnitin, NoRedInk and Kami, are used at universities and workplaces across the nation.

ATHLETICS

FCHS competes in the Bay Counties League (BCL) in the Bay Area Conference (BAC) in the North Coast Section (NCS) of the California Interscholastic Federation (CIF). Our FCS Warriors and Lady Warriors hold 74 league championships and nine section championships. Our Boys' Varsity Baseball won the 2019 NCS CIF Championship. High school students have the opportunities to try out for teams including baseball, basketball, cross-country, esports, soccer, girls' tennis, track and field, and volleyball.

FINE ARTS

The Fine Arts Department produces award-winning choral, traditional band, jazz, and handbell ensembles, while student dramatists bring professional-grade musicals and classic plays to our stages. Choral and instrumental groups tour and perform at a variety of venues across the nation and internationally, such as Carnegie Hall and the Montreux Jazz Festival. *Please note that these activities may be limited during COVID-19 restrictions.*

ACTIVITIES & CLUBS

Regular Activities: Dances, intramural competitions, Spirit Week, Worldwide Warrior Week, and more. All student life events are sponsored by the United Student Body (USB) council.

Club Options: At FCS, students are encouraged to start and join clubs, which meet under the supervision of an advisor. Finance, medical research, speech and debate, Best Buddies, Interact, Mandarin choir and martial arts are some of the clubs students have organized this year.

JANUARY TERM

Between the first and second semesters, FCS offers a specialized two-week (J-Term) session that provides students the opportunity to explore new classes beyond the typical college-prep curriculum. Potential J-Term opportunities may include psychology, service-learning travel, programming, engineering, photography, culinary arts, native planting, and internships. J-Term concludes with the perennially popular high school retreat in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

ACADEMIC & COLLEGE COUNSELING

FCS Academic & College Counseling provides a supportive environment in which students can identify their goals, reflect on their talents and passions, and make confident decisions about higher education. We provide them with the support they need to successfully navigate high school and college. FCS uses Naviance for college and career planning and engagement. All students and parents have access to this thorough and well-regarded resource.

- The 1-1 course planning and advising formally begin in 8th grade with a counselor to help students start to envision their post-secondary goals and create a strong academic record.
- Our small community allows our Academic and College Counseling Office to get to know each student personally and provide tailored guidance to each family.
- Our counselor offers financial aid navigation and supports students as they find and apply for scholarships, aid, and grants.
- Hands-on opportunities to explore through on-campus college fairs, college representative visits, local college trips, overnight college tours, and college application workshops. Our Annual Fall College Fair has a range of thirty to forty colleges represented, available to both our high school students and their parents. *Please note that these activities may be limited or virtual during COVID-19 restrictions.*
- The Academic & College Counseling Office is located among the secondary classrooms, making it readily accessible. Students stop in with quick questions and easily schedule longer sit-down appointments. Parents are encouraged to schedule in-person or virtual meetings with their child's counselor as well. We implement software tools as an additional support for college and career exploration. Each student will have a personalized profile where they are able to engage career assessments, scholarship search resources, resume building tools, and college search information.

COURSE OFFERINGS

Courses with an asterisk are approved by the University of California system.

HISTORY/SOCIAL SCIENCE

World History*
United States History*
Civics*
Economics*
AP United States History*
AP Government (U.S.) & Politics*

ENGLISH

English 9*
English 9 Honors*
English 10*
English 10 Honors*
English 11: American Literature*
AP English Language & Composition*
Honors Sci-Fi/Fantasy*
English 12: English (British)
Literature*
AP English Literature & Composition*
ELD I-IV* ELD Writing

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I*
Geometry*
Algebra II*
Analytic Geometry/Trigonometry
(Pre-Calculus)*
AP Calculus AB*
AP Calculus BC*
AP Statistics*
AP Computer Science A*

SCIENCE

Biology I*
Chemistry*
Physics*
AP Biology*
AP Physics*
Computer Science Discoveries*
AP Computer Science Principles*

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH

Spanish I*
Spanish II*
Spanish III*
Spanish IV*
AP Spanish Language*

VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

Art I: Drawing*
Art II: Design*
AP Studio Art: Drawing*
AP Studio Art: 2D Design*
Theatre Arts*
Vocal Ensemble*
Intermediate Handbells
Advanced Handbell Choir*
Intermediate Band
Symphonic Band*
AP Music Theory*

BIBLE

Understanding the Savior Bible 9
Understanding the Faith Bible 10
Understanding the Culture 11
Understanding the Times Bible 12

OTHER COURSES

United Student Body Council (USB)
Yearbook
Garden Science
Boys' Physical Education
Girls' Physical Education
Interscholastic Athletics
Concert Choir
Jazz Ensemble
Traditional Jazz Band
Rehearsal Performance: Cast & Crew

January Term courses (32+ options-
See Online Catalog)

OTHER CONNECTIONS

Lifetime Members Merit Scholars
Program
Johns Hopkins – Center for Talented
Youth (JHU-CTY) Partnership

COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS

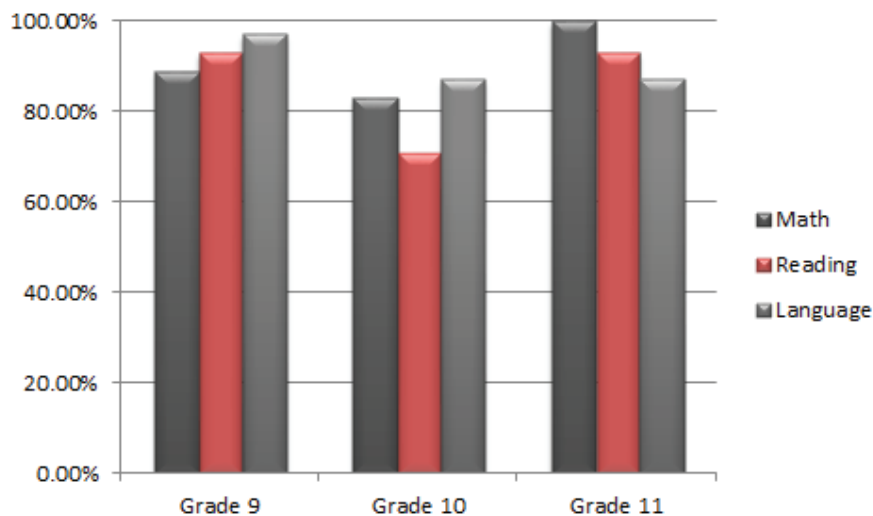
| SAT Composite Scores | FCS Top 25% | FCS Mean | California Mean 2020 | National Mean 2020 |
|----------------------|-------------|----------|----------------------|--------------------|
| MATH | 764 | 624 | 522 | 523 |
| EBRW | 736 | 611 | 527 | 528 |
| TOTAL | 1476 | 1235 | 1049 | 1051 |

| ACT Composite Scores | |
|------------------------|------|
| FCS Top 25% | 33 |
| FCS Mean | 28.9 |
| California - 2020 Mean | 23.3 |
| National - 2020 Mean | 20.6 |

MAP GROWTH ASSESSMENTS

The Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) assessment is administered at the beginning of each academic year to determine what each student is ready to learn. The MAP assessments in reading, language, and mathematics provide teachers valuable data used to differentiate and meet the needs of all learners. The RIT score, a nationally normed data point, is compared to the grade-level mean (average) using data from millions of students. The results on the following graph show the percentage of students who scored above the 2020 normative data during our recent testing session in fall 2021. According to the research-based not-for-profit NWEA, many students showed regression or lack of growth due to the continued pandemic. Our results indicate that a vast majority of our students are performing well above average, even with all of the difficulties and changes in their environment. Students will be tested again in the winter and spring, to track their personal academic growth this year.

Percentage of Students that Scored Higher Than the National Average by Grade Level



2021 NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS 3

2021 AP PROGRAM STATISTICS

Total Exams: 242
 Scored 3 or higher: 168
 With Honor: 8

Total Students: 95
 Total AP Scholars: 13
 With Distinction: 22

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Since 2017, students of Fremont Christian School have been admitted to these universities. The class of 2021 received 4.1 million dollars in scholarships and grants and 11 members received the California Scholarship Federation Lifetime Membership award. Schools in bold are US News and World Report top 50 schools for 2021.

Academy of Art University, Adelphi University, Alabama A&M University, American Academy of Dramatic Arts, American University, Arizona State University, Art Center College of Design, Austin College, Azusa Pacific University, Babson College, Baylor University, Bentley University, Binghamton University, Biola University, Boise State University, **Boston College**, **Boston University**, Brigham Young University, Bryn Mawr College, California Baptist University, California College of the Arts, California Institute of the Arts, California Lutheran University, California Northstate University, California Polytechnic State University - San Luis Obispo, California State Polytechnic University - Pomona, California State University Maritime Academy, California State University - Bakersfield, California State University - Channel Islands, California State University - Chico, California State University - East Bay, California State University - Fresno, California State University - Fullerton, California State University - Long Beach, California State University - Los Angeles, California State University - Monterey Bay, California State University - Northridge, California State University - Sacramento, California State University - Stanislaus, Calvin College, **Carnegie Mellon University**, **Case Western Reserve University**, Chapman University, Clark University, Clarkson University, Cogswell College, College of the Holy Cross, Colorado School of Mines, Colorado State University, Communication University of China, Concordia University, Corban University, Dallas Baptist University, Drexel University, Ecole Hoteliere de Lausanne, Switzerland, **Emory University**, Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising (FIDM), Fashion Institute of Technology, Florida Institute of Technology, Fordham University, Gallaudet University, George Fox University, **Georgia Institute of Technology**, Gettysburg College, Gonzaga University, Gordon College, Grace College and Theological Seminary, Grand Canyon University, Grinnell College, Hampshire College, Harvey Mudd College, Hawaii Pacific University, Hofstra University, Holy Names University, Humboldt State University, Indiana University at Bloomington, **Lehigh University**, Lewis & Clark College, Liberty University, Linfield College, Long Island University, Loyola Marymount University, Manhattanville College, Maryland Institute College of Art, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, McDaniel College, McMaster University, Menlo College, Miami University, Michigan State University, Mills College, Molloy College, Montana State University, **New York University**, North Central University, **Northeastern University**, Northern Arizona University, Northwest University, Notre Dame de Namur University, **Ohio State University**, Oral Roberts University, Oregon State University, Otis College of Art and Design, Otterbein University, Oxford College of Emory University, Pace University, Pacific University, Pennsylvania State University, **Pepperdine University**, Point Loma Nazarene University, Portland State University, Pratt Institute, **Purdue University**, Reed College, **Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute**, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Rutgers University, Saint Edward's University, Saint Mary's College of California, Salve Regina University, San Diego Christian College, San Diego State University, San Francisco State University, San Jose State University, **Santa Clara University**, Sarah Lawrence College, Savannah College of Arts and Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, School of Visual Arts, Seattle Pacific University, Seattle University, Seton Hall University, Simon Fraser University, Simpson University, Sonoma State University, Southern Methodist University, Stony Brook University, SUNY Maritime College, Syracuse University, The American Academy of Dramatic Arts, The Art Institute of California, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, The College of Idaho, The Culinary Institute of America, The Evergreen State College, The George Washington University, The King's University, The New School, The Ohio State University, The University of Arizona, The University of British Columbia, The University of Iowa, The University of Texas at Dallas, Trinity College, **Tulane University**, **United States Military Academy West Point**, University at Buffalo, University of Alabama at Birmingham, University of Alberta, **University of California - Berkeley**, **University of California - Davis**, **University of California - Irvine**, **University of California - Los Angeles**, University of California - Merced, University of California - Riverside, University of California - San Diego, **University of California - Santa Barbara**, University of California - Santa Cruz, University of Colorado at Boulder, University of Connecticut, University of Delaware, University of Denver, **University of Georgia**, University of Hawaii, University of Idaho, University of Illinois at Springfield, **University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign**, University of Iowa, University of La Verne, University of Maine, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, University of Maryland, **University of Massachusetts - Boston**, **University of Miami**, University of Minnesota, University of Missouri, University of Nevada, University of Oregon, University of Ottawa, **University of Pennsylvania**, University of Pittsburgh, University of Portland, University of Puget Sound, University of Redlands, University of Rhode Island, **University of Rochester**, University of San Diego, University of San Francisco, University of Silicon Valley, University of South Florida, **University of Southern California**, University of the Pacific, University of Toronto, **University of Virginia**, University of Washington, University of Waterloo, **University of Wisconsin - Madison**, Vanguard University of Southern California, Vassar College, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Washington and Jefferson University, Washington State University, West Virginia University, Western Oregon University, Western Washington University, Westmont College, **Wheaton College**, Whittier College, Whitworth University, Wilfrid Laurier University, Willamette University, William Jessup University, Woodbury University, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Xavier University, York St. John University