



Fairfield Community High School

Home of the Mules

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The School and the Community

Fairfield Community High School (FCHS) is a four-year public school located in Fairfield, Illinois, a rural community in Wayne County of Southeastern Illinois. The district encompasses an area of 243 square miles. Total high school enrollment in 2024 is 453 students in Grades 9 through 12. Fairfield Community High School is accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education.

The Curriculum

The academic program is organized on a nine period schedule (eight 46-minute periods and one sixteen-minute seminar class) from 8:10 am-3:00 pm daily. The school year is divided into two semesters of 18 weeks each.

Honors/AP/Dual Credit Courses Offered:

Honors English I
Honors English II
Honors English III sem. 1 (ENG 1111: Composition I; FCC dual credit)
Honors English III sem. 2 (LIT 2112: American Literature Since 1855; FCC dual credit)
Honors English IV sem. 1 (LIT 2143: Understanding the Short Story; FCC dual credit)
Honors English IV sem. 2 (ENG 1121: Composition and Analysis; FCC dual credit)
Public Speaking (SPE 1101: Fundamentals of Effective Speaking; FCC dual credit)
Creative Writing (LET 2111: Creative Writing; FCC dual credit)
Honors Algebra I
Honors Geometry
Honors Algebra II/Trigonometry sem. 1 (MTH 1102: College Algebra; FCC dual credit)
Honors Algebra II/Trigonometry sem. 2 (MTH 1105: Trigonometry; FCC dual credit)
Math IV sem. 1 (MTH 1103: Liberal Arts Math; FCC dual credit)
Math IV sem. 2 (MTH 1153: Statistics; FCC dual credit)
AP Calculus (MTH 1171: Calculus & Analytic Geometry; FCC dual credit)
Health Science Anatomy (HEA 1226: Allied Health Anatomy; FCC dual credit)
Intro to Sport Management (SPM 1101: Intro to Sport Management; FCC dual credit)
Kinesiology and Sports (SPM 1103: Kinesiology and Sport; FCC dual credit)
Agriculture Business Management sem. 1 (AGR 1251: Computers in Agriculture; WVC dual credit)
Agriculture Business Management sem. 2 (AGP 1233: Farm Business Records; WVC dual credit)
Agricultural Sales and Marketing sem. 1 (AGR 2242: Agricultural Marketing; WVC dual credit)
Agricultural Sales and Marketing sem. 2 (AGR 2235: Agribusiness Management; WVC dual credit)
Creative Art Drawing (ART 1113: Intro to Drawing; FCC dual credit)
Automotive Technology I sem. 1 (AUM 1238: Engine Service & AUM 2250: Shop Organization & Management; FCC dual credit)
Automotive Technology I sem. 2 (AUM 1240: Electrical Basics & AUM 1245: Auto Topics/Skill Development; FCC dual credit)
Automotive Technology II (AUM 2223: Brake Systems; FCC dual credit)
Welding sem. 1 (WEL 1260: Combination Welding I; OCC dual credit)
Welding sem. 2 (WEL 1210: Gas Metal Arc Welding & WEL 1215: Shielded Metal Arc Welding; OCC dual credit)
Graphic Design (GAD 1201: Computer Graphic Fundamentals, GAD 1211: Computer Graphic Applications, & GAD 1214: Design Fundamentals; FCC dual credit)
CEO - Creating Entrepreneurial Opportunities sem. 1 (ENT 1210: Intro to Entrepreneurship & ENT 2210: Business Portfolio; FCC dual credit)
CEO - Creating Entrepreneurial Opportunities sem. 2 (ENT 1212: Small Business Development; FCC dual credit)

All AP courses and Honors courses are weighted courses.

Grading and Ranking

A	94-100	4
B	86-93	3
C	76-85	2
D	68-75	1
F	67 or below	0

Class Rank is based on cumulative GPA (grade point average) and is determined by semester final grades which carry credit. A cumulative unweighted GPA and a cumulative weighted GPA are reported on each student's transcript. A student's weighted GPA is the basis of class rank.

Faculty

Of the 35 certified faculty members, almost 68% have earned master's, specialist or doctoral degrees. Five faculty members teach dual credit classes.

Class of 2024

There were 78 graduates in the FCHS Class of 2024.

Post-High School Placement

- 35% matriculated to 4-year colleges and/or universities
- 36% matriculated to 2-year institutions
- 1% selected military service or technical instruction
- 28% work and 16% undecided

Test Scores

The SAT School Day Assessment by ISBE was given to the Class of 2024 in April, 2023. From the students completing the test, 30% met the math benchmark score and 49% met the ERW benchmark score. The average score was 940 on the SAT with 86 students testing. The highest score of this class was 1370 with the lowest score being 400.

College Attendance History

The following college list indicates those institutions attended by FCHS graduates over the last four years.

Frontier Community College	Millikin University
Columbia University	Culinary Institute of America
Wabash Valley College	Mississippi State University
Olney Central College	North Central College
University of Illinois @ Champaign	Oklahoma State University
Eastern Illinois University	Southeast Missouri State University
Southern Illinois University @ Carbondale	Southeastern Illinois College
University of Southern Indiana	St. John's College
Southern Illinois University @ Edwardsville	University of Central Missouri
University of Evansville	University of Mississippi
Greenville University	Murray State University
Lakeland Community College	John A. Logan College
Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis	University of Tennessee Martin
Kishwaukee College	Blackburn College

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