Cascade High School

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Mission Statement
Cascade School District, in partnership with families, community, and businesses, is committed to providing students with the lifelong learning skills necessary to assist them in becoming productive citizens in the 21st century.

Quick Facts
Type
Public

Founded
1968

Grades
9th - 12th

Principal
Matt Thatcher

School Hours
8:00 AM - 3:05 PM

School Demographics
Students: 721
- 9th Grade — 185
- 10th Grade — 177
- 11th Grade — 193
- 12th Grade — 166

Student-Teacher Ratio: 19:1
Ethnicity:
- American Indian / Alaskan Native — 2%
- African American — 1%
- Pacific Islander — 1%
- Asian — 1%
- Hispanic — 10%
- White — 85%
- 2 or More Races — 1%
Why Choose Cascade?

Cascade High School was established in 1968 just south of Salem, Oregon. The school offers a Running Start program as well as a selection of Advanced Placement (AP) courses: Biology, Calculus AB, English Language, English Literature, US Government, and US History. However, rather than focusing solely on fundamental and advanced placement courses, Cascade offers a vast selection of unique courses for students to achieve a broader education. Some of their brand new courses include:

- Law in America
- Western Civilization
- History of Aviation
- Scriptwriting
- Intro, Intermediate & Advanced Acting
- Musical & Technical Theatre
- Statistics/Probability
- Planetary Science
- Survival Science
- Field Biology
- Speed & Agility

School Community

Cascade houses numerous student activities, but two of the most popular clubs include CSAC (Cascade Student Action Council) and FFA (Future Farmers of America). Many of the residents that live close to Cascade specialize in agriculture; therefore, students are inclined to join FFA and promote plants and animals at fairs. By doing so, students are able to polish public speaking skills while reaching out to the community. CSAC is also another opportunity for students to become more involved in the community by volunteering for non-profit organizations and local establishments.

Reviews

“This school is the best school ever!” — Parent

“The AP classes, Advanced English classes, as well as the Independent Art Classes have helped me academically as a Visual Communication Design Major.” — Student

Curriculum

- English
- Science
- Math
- PE & Health
- Social Studies
- Computer Application
- Art
- AP Courses
- Electives
- World Language
  - Spanish

Electives

- Agriculture
- Business Education
- Consumer Studies
- Industrial Arts
- Music
- Drama

Sports

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Cross Country
- Football
- Golf
- Soccer
- Softball
- Swimming
- Soccer
- Track & Field
- Volleyball
- Wrestling

Mountain View
High School

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Mission Statement

Mountain View High School is committed to offering students the best academic program in the state. We also offer a wide range of clubs, organizations and sports teams for students to get involved with. We encourage students to take advantage of the many activities available. Our students' success at Mountain View High School depends on their willingness to work hard and seek support from our staff. We will do everything we can to help students along the way.

Quick Facts

Founded
1981
Grades
9th-12th
Principal
Matt Johnson
School Hours
8:35AM – 3:17 PM

School Demographics

Students: 1854
- 9th Grade — 433
- 10th Grade — 462
- 11th Grade — 473
- 12th Grade — 486

Teachers: 90
Student-Teacher Ratio: 21:1
Gender Distribution:
- 51% Male & 49% Female
- American Indian & Alaskan Native – 1%
- African American – 3%
- Asian/ Pacific Islander – 12%
- White – 61%
- 2 or More Races – 7%
- Hispanic – 17%
History

Opened in 1981, Mountain View was the second high school built in the Evergreen Public Schools after Evergreen High School and followed by Heritage High School and Union High School. The four high schools share one football stadium, McKenzie Stadium, which is located adjacent to Evergreen High School.

Why Choose Mountain View?

Mountain View High School offers a comprehensive curriculum that includes a wide variety of courses. The school also has one of the largest Advanced Placement (AP) programs in the area. Courses offered at the AP level include Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Calculus, Statistics, Computer Science, European History, U.S. History, U.S. Government and Politics, Comparative Government and Politics, Micro and Macroeconomics, Psychology, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Spanish, French, German, Human Geography, Studio Art, and Music Theory, but new course options are being added each year.

Student Life

Mountain View is home to a thriving music program. There are 3 concert bands, 2 jazz bands, two orchestras, one percussion ensemble, several choral groups, and dozens of student-organized chamber ensembles that compete at the Solo & Ensemble Contest. In addition, the school has strong academic extracurricular activities and athletic programs that fit each student’s individual preference.

Reviews

“I love this school so much!!! The music program is really great and the teachers really put us students to the test!” — Student

“We have a ton of different clubs offered here that students can get involved with, and it’s also pretty easy to start your own club if you don’t have one that meets your requirements.” — Student

“The programs are fantastic, the teachers are very involved with the students and the kids there want to learn.” — Parent

“Promoting International Understanding and Goodwill Through Cultural Exchange Since 1983.”

Curriculum

- English
- Math
- Science
- Social Studies
- College Career
- Technical Education
- Arts
- Health & Fitness
- AP Courses
- World Language
  - American Sign Language
  - Chinese
  - French
  - German
  - Spanish

Sports

- Football
- Golf
- Tennis
- Cross Country
- Soccer
- Swim
- Volleyball
- Basketball
- Swim
- Wrestling
- Bowling
- Gymnastics
- Baseball
- Track
- Lacrosse
- Softball
- Track
Northwest Academy

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Mission Statement

Northwest Academy is committed to inspiring students to discover their intellectual and artistic voices in a creative and supportive atmosphere fueled by curiosity and constructive challenge. The school will be recognized as a center of excellence in proficiency-based education, artfully blending academic instruction and experience. Graduates of the school will be innovative thinkers who chart their own futures and excel in a diverse global society.

Quick Facts

Type
Private

Founded
1993

Grades
6th – 12th

Head of School
Chris Schuck

Mascot
Angry Pigeon

School Hours
8:30 AM – 3:50 PM

School Demographics

Students: 213

- 6th Grade — 30
- 7th Grade — 40
- 8th Grade — 40
- 9th Grade — 25
- 10th Grade — 25
- 11th Grade — 27
- 12th Grade — 26

Teachers: 33
Student-Teacher: 7:1
History

In 1993, founder and principal, Mary Folberg, created Northwest Academy to educate the area’s creative and intellectual people. Northwest Academy offered its first elective programs in visual, performing, and media arts in 1996. By 1997, Northwest Academy High School was established and its Middle School was established shortly in 2002.

Why Choose Northwest Academy?

Individual student talent is a major value at Northwest Academy embraces and fosters. The school believes that education in both academics and arts, results in a more complete and balanced individual who, while being productive, also leads an inspired and meaningful life. In addition, Northwest Academy has 5 distinct components that set them apart:

1. Challenging academics and intellectual curiosity
2. Proficiency-based learning
3. Strong academic and arts partnership
4. Small class sizes and passionate faculty
5. Downtown Portland campus

Urban Campus

Northwest Academy’s downtown campus is enhanced by close proximity to cultural institutions, colleges, and even the assortment of food carts where many of our high school students gather at lunch. Being part of a thriving city allows teachers to expand classroom instruction with field trips to museum exhibits, lectures and films, and theater and musical performances.

Reviews

“My daughter completed middle and high school at Northwest Academy and has become a lifelong learner curious about the world around her.” — Parent

“AMAZING! Great academics and superb arts. Absolutely fabulous! I love this school, and the location is great.” — Student


Ethnicity

- American Indian / Alaskan Native – 2%
- African American – 3%
- Asian – 6%
- Hispanic – 3%
- Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander – 2%
- White – 81%
- 2 or More Races – 3%

Curriculum

- English / Humanities
- Social Studies
- Math
- Science
- Arts Diversity
- Physical Education
- Community Service
- World Languages
  - Chinese
  - French
  - Spanish

Extracurricular Activities

- Dance
- Guitar
- Digital Arts
- Costume & Makeup Design
- Sound Design
- Project Theatre
- Robotics
- Improv
- Etc.
Mission Statement

Jesuit education fosters the harmonious development of the adolescent's gifts: spiritual, religious, intellectual, physical, emotional, and aesthetic. Jesuit High School hopes to accomplish this development by demonstrating a personal concern for individuals, a special concern for the poor, an articulate wisdom, enthusiasm, and a sense of community. In so doing, the school hopes to graduate leaders who are committed to serve God and their fellow men and women. Our hope is that our students develop a profound sense of justice founded in love, i.e., leaders who are "men and women for others."

Quick Facts

Type
Private

Founded
1956

Grades
9th-12th

Principal
Paul Hogan

Mascot
Crusader

School Hours
7:30 AM – 2:30 PM

School Demographics

Students: 1285
- 9th Grade — 310
- 10th Grade — 349
- 11th Grade — 323
- 12th Grade — 303

Students of Color: 28%

Teachers: 90

Student-Teacher Ratio: 18:1
About

Jesuit High School, located in Portland, Oregon, was founded in 1956 by the Society of Jesus and is part of a 450-year Jesuit educational tradition. Jesuit’s curriculum is founded in the educational philosophy of Jesuit founder, St. Ignatius of Loyola, and takes a holistic view of adolescent education, which includes nurturing the spiritual, physical, emotional, intellectual, and aesthetic gifts each student brings to campus.

Why Choose Jesuit?

Jesuit High School is a competitive and academically-focused school. Every year, many students are recruited to participate in a college-level team after graduation, and over 98% of its high school seniors move on to college. To ensure student involvement in the Jesuit community, the school also offers over 50 for students to participate in:

- Astronomy Club
- Chess Club
- Computer Game Design Club
- Dance Club
- Entrepreneurial Innovation Club
- French Club
- Game Club
- Model United Nations
- Ping Pong Club
- Robotics
- Science Bowl
- Etc.

Reviews

“The community is really great and Jesuit prepares you for college very well.” — Student

“My children are thriving at Jesuit. The teachers truly care about the kids in and out of the classroom. You can really see that the teachers love teaching and being a part of the Jesuit family.” — Parent

Curriculum

- Theology
- Christian Service
- English
- Mathematics
- History
- World Language
  - Chinese
  - French
  - Spanish
- PE & Health
- Science
- Fine Arts
- Electives
- AP Courses

Other Courses

- Student Government
- Photography
- Broadcast Journalism
- Tutoring
- Etc.

Sports

- Cross Country
- Football
- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Basketball
- Swimming
- Ski Racing
- Baseball
- Softball
- Tennis
- Golf
- Lacrosse
- Track & Field