

Northwest Christian School

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Founded: 1980

Enrollment: 1453 Entire School
440 High School

Accreditation: AdvancEd and Association of Christian Schools International

Mission: **The mission of Northwest Christian School is to provide a Bible-based program of education which enables students to develop a Christian worldview.**

Academic Program: All students are guided towards further education at post-secondary institutions upon completion of high school. Ninety-six percent of the Class of 2014 enrolled in either two or four-year colleges, two percent joined the armed services, and two percent went into the workforce.

Graduation Requirements: NCS requires 26 specific requirements to graduate. The requirements are: four credits each of English, Bible, and Math; three credits each of Social Studies and Lab Science; three and one-half credits of General Electives; one and one-half credit of Technology; one credit each of a Foreign Language, Physical Education, and a Fine Art.

Courses Offered: Northwest offers 20 high school 5.33 (5.0 for 2019 and beyond) or Honors courses: Honors World and United States History, Honors Government, Honors Geometry, Honors Algebra 3-4, Honors Calculus 1-2/3-4, Honors Biology, Honors Chemistry, AP Physics 1/2, Honors Anatomy/Physiology, Honors Spanish 5-6/ 7-8, Honors Sign Language 5-6, Honors French 5-6, and Honors English 1-2/3-4/5-6/7-8.

Dual Enrollment: Honors English 5-6, Honors English 7-8, Honors Algebra 3-4, Honors Calculus, 1-2, Honors Calculus 3-4, Honors World History, Honors US History, Psychology, Graphic Design, and Speech.

Cumulative GPA Distribution:

Class of 2015

5.33 – 4.50	7
4.49 – 4.00	27
3.99 – 3.50	30
3.49 – 3.00	6
2.99 – 2.50	14



SAT/ACT 3 Year Averages:

<u>SAT I Averages:</u>	NCS	AZ	National
	1556	1550	1495

<u>ACT Composite Scores Average:</u>	NCS	AZ	National
	23.4	19.7	20.9

Calculating the GPA: The formula Northwest Christian School uses to calculate the cumulative GPA is based on equating percentages with a quality point. The quality points used by NCS are:

<u>Grading Scale</u>	<u>Quality Points</u>	<u>Grading Scale</u>	<u>Quality Points</u>
98 – 100	4.33	77 – 79	2.33
93 – 97	4.00	73 – 76	2.00
90 – 92	3.67	70 – 72	1.67
87 – 89	3.33	67 – 69	1.33
83 – 86	3.00	63 – 66	1.00
80 – 82	2.67	60 – 62	0.67
		0 – 59	0.00

*The graduating class of 2019 and beyond will only go up to 4.0 (5.0 for honors). A= 93-100 worth 4.0 points, everything else remains the same. To calculate the GPA, the semester grade for each class is equated to one of the above quality points. The additional quality point for a 5.33 class (5.0 for 2019 and beyond) is added after all quality points have been totaled. The total quality points are divided by the number of classes that have been taken for credit. The final result is the GPA (grade point average). At the end of each semester, the GPA is recalculated for the cumulative grade point average.

Northwest Christian School Graduates Have Been Accepted To:

Abilene Christian University	Hope International University	Seattle Pacific University
Arizona State University	Indiana Wesleyan University	South Mountain Community College
Arizona Culinary Institute	John Brown University	Southern Nazarene College
Art Institute of Phoenix	Kaplan College	Stratford University
Asbury Christian College	Lake Superior State University	Taylor University
Azusa Pacific University	Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts	Texas A & M
Baylor University	Le Tourneau University	Texas Tech University
Bethel College	Lewis-Clark State College	Texas University
Biola University	Liberty University	The Masters College
California Baptist University	Linfield College	Trinity International University
California Lutheran	Lubbock Christian University	Trinity University
California Polytechnic University	Mesa Community College	United States Air Force Academy
California State University	Michigan State	United States Army
Carsten Beauty Institute	Moody Bible Institute	United States Marines
Cedarville University	McMurray	United States Military Academy West Point
Central Arizona College	North Carolina at Chapel Hill	United States Naval Academy
Central Christian College of the Bible	North Carolina State	United States Navy
College of the Ozarks	North Central University	United States Navy Seals
Colorado Christian University	North Park University	University of Arizona
Colorado School of Mines	Northern Arizona University	University of Denver
Colorado State University	Northwest Christian University	University of Hawaii
Concordia University	Northwest Nazarene University	University of North Carolina
Dallas Baptist University	Oklahoma Christian University	University of Northern Colorado
DeVry University	Oral Roberts University	University of Puget Sound
Dordt College	Oregon State University	University of Redlands
Drake University	Paradise Valley Community College	University of San Diego
Duke University	Parsons-The New School of Design	University of Southern California
Elmhurst College	Pensacola Christian College	University of Vermont
Embry Riddle Aeronautical University	Pepperdine University	Vanguard University
Emmaus Bible College	Phoenix Art Institute	Warner Pacific
Estrella Community College	Phoenix Community College	Wayland Baptist
Evangel University	Phoenix First Pastor's College	Wayne State University
FIDM	Pitzer College	West Coast Baptist Bible College
Fort Lewis College	Point Loma University	West Virginia State University
George Fox University	Princeton University	Western Kentucky University
Glendale Community College	Rio Salado Community College	Westminster College
Grand Canyon University	Saint Olaf	Westmont College
Grove City	San Diego Christian College	Wheaton College
Harding University	San Jose Christian College	Whittier College
Hawaii Pacific University	Savannah College of Art and Design	Whitworth University
Hesston College	Scottsdale Community College	Yale University
Hofstra University	Scottsdale Culinary Institute	