



ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Poudre is the 9th largest school district in Colorado, offering a high-performing educational program and many Advanced Placement courses. PSD has received seven Blue Ribbons from the US Department of Education since 2003 and led students to win dozens of world, national, and state championships in theater, athletics, arts, music, writing, and science due to its outstanding guidance, support, and encouraging culture! Poudre provides students with a variety of athletic opportunities and each high school has a full-time Athletic Director who is charged with overseeing the athletic programs.

POUDRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fort Collins, Colorado

QUICK FACTS:

of Students: 26,730

of High Schools in District: 4

Estimated Start Date: Early August

Estimated End Date: Late May

Graduation Offered: Yes

ESL Offered: Yes

Fall Semester Program: Yes

Spring Semester Program: Yes

Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:17

Nearest Airport: Denver International Airport

Airport Code: DEN



FACILITIES

Poudre maintains over 4 million square feet in 73 buildings sitting on 965 acres, including 4 comprehensive high schools, 1 district stadium, and many other sites. The District offers computer and career development labs, a fully-equipped television studio, a 600-seat auditorium, state-of-the-art media center, a modern fitness center, athletic facilities, and exceptional performing arts areas.



COURSES OFFERED



Math

Statistics (AP), Pre-Calculus, Calculus I, II & III (AP), College Algebra, College Trigonometry, Economics



Science

Biology (Honors, Pre-AP, AP), Earth Systems Science, Geospace Science, Chemistry (AP), Physics (AP), Astronomy, Engineering Physics, Environmental Science (AP), Plant Sciences, Animal Sciences



Social Studies

World History, World Geography, US Government (AP), US History (AP), Psychology (AP)



English

English Language & Composition (AP), English Literature & Composition (AP)



Languages

French (AP), German (AP), Spanish (AP)



The Arts

Music Theory, Studio Art, Visual Arts, Performing Arts, Art & Photography, Design & Multimedia Arts, Theater



Electives

Anatomy/Physiology, Botany/Microbiology, Cell Biology & Genetics, Forensic Science, Zoology, Bio Technology, Computer Science Principles (AP), Architecture & Construction, Business & Marketing, Culinary & Hospitality, Web Design, Robotics & Automation, Aerospace Engineering, Game Design, Social Media for Business, Interior Design



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

SCHOOL CLUBS

BOYS

- Fall** Football, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Cross Country
- Winter** Basketball, Wrestling, Nordic Skiing, Ice Hockey*
- Spring** Soccer, Swimming & Diving, Baseball, Track, Lacrosse*, Volleyball*

GIRLS

- Fall** Softball, Volleyball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey*, Gymnastics*
- Winter** Basketball, Swimming & Diving, Wrestling*, Nordic Skiing
- Spring** Soccer, Volleyball, Tennis, Track & Field, Golf, Lacrosse*

- Band
- Choir
- Orchestra
- Speech & Debate
- Dance Team
- Leadership Club
- Language Clubs
- Bike Club
- Drones Flyer Club
- E-Sports Club
- Fashion Club
- National Art Society
- Mathematics Society
- Science Olympiad
- School Newspaper

*(Sports with an * are not offered by all comprehensive high schools).*

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Age: Students must be ages 15-18

ELTiS: 226 (690 online)

Already Graduated Students: No

F-1 Students Must Show Proof That They Have Not Competed in Varsity Sports Within The Last 12 Months

Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Poudre School District serves students across 1,856 square miles and encompasses several communities, including Fort Collins, Laporte, Timnath, Wellington, Red Feather, Livermore, Stove Prairie, and parts of Windsor. Nestled against the foothills of the Rocky Mountains and alongside the banks of the Cache La Poudre River, Fort Collins is located 5,000 feet above sea level and has a moderate climate with an average of 300 days of sunshine and 14.5 inches of precipitation a year.



Population: 165,609

Nearest Major City: Denver

Temperature Range: -7°C to 31°C