



FOSTER HIGH SCHOOL

2022-2023

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Associate Principal: Amy Araguz

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Dana Nowlin • Laura Robinson

College & Career Facilitator: Jennifer Nowak

Professional Registrar: Lezli Steffen

SCHOOL INFORMATION

- Four-year public high school accredited by Texas Education Agency.
- FHS is one of six comprehensive high schools in LCISD.
- Semester system with classes meeting 50 minutes per day, maximum of 7 class periods per day, 5 days each week.
- School Year: August 22, 2022 – May 25, 2023
- 2022-2023 Enrollment: 2380
 - Seniors: 523, Juniors: 560, Sophomores: 635, Freshman: 662
- Number of Faculty: 145
- UIL sports: basketball, baseball, cheer, cross country, diving, football, golf, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track, volleyball, and wrestling
- Co-curricular programs include choir, band, orchestra, drill team, student government, service cord, theater, academic clubs, and Academic Decathlon.

CURRICULUM

- Foster High School provides a diverse curriculum with four levels of instruction: Academic, Pre-AP, PAP, Dual Credit, and Advanced Placement as well as career/technical programs for all students and special education and emergent bilingual (EB)/ English learner services for eligible students.
- Gifted and talented programs are offered through English, math, science, and social studies.
- 13 honors level courses, 16 AP courses and 28 dual credit courses are offered
- Highest level math course offered: BC Calculus

ETHNIC DISTRIBUTION

American Indian/Alaskan Native	.25%
Asian	10.00%
Black/African American	26.1%
Hispanic/Latino	31.6%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	.13%
Two or More Races	3.31%
White	28.3%
Free or Reduced Lunch	34.41%

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4 credits	Math	4 credits
Science	4 credits	Social Studies	3 credits
Foreign Language	2 credits	Physical Education	1 credit
Fine Arts	1 credit	Electives	7 credits
TOTAL		26 credits	

****Select students are allowed to complete a reduced plan of 22 credits when deemed appropriate by the counselor, admin, and family. Students must also meet End-of-Course testing requirements as outlined by the state.**

LCISD Mission Statement: To educate all students by ensuring access to a superior education through inspired leadership among parents, teachers, administrators, and staff, allowing students to achieve their full potential to participate in future social, economic, and educational opportunities in their community.

ADVANCED ACADEMIC COURSE OFFERINGS

Pre-Advanced Placement	Dual Credit	Advanced Placement	Advanced Placement
Algebra	Art History	Art History	Human Geography
PAP	Biology	Art IV Portfolio	Music Theory
Advanced American Language	Chemistry I/II	Biology II	Physics I/II/C
III and IV	College Algebra	Calculus AB/BC	Psychology
Algebra II	Communications	Chinese IV	Research & Seminar
Biology	Applications	Computer Science A	Spanish IV (Language & IV (Literature))
Chemistry	Economics	Computer Science Principles	Spanish V (Literature)
Chinese III	English III & IV	Economics	Statistics
French III	Environmental Science	English III & IV	US Government
Geometry	Geo-Science	Environmental Science	US History
Pre-Calculus	Physics I/II	European History	World History
Psychology	Pre-Calculus	French IV (Language)	
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Spanish III	Statistics		
Spanish Speakers III	Texas Government		
World Geography	US Government		
World History	US History		

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS TESTING

SAT EBRW	FHS	TEXAS	INTL
2021-2022	527	506	529
2020-2021	518	505	533
2019-2020	525	510	528
SAT MATH	FHS	TEXAS	INTL
2021-2022	516	495	521
2020-2021	511	498	528
2019-2020	520	500	523

ACT COMPOSITE	FHS	TEXAS	NATIONAL
2021-2022	23.2	19.8	19.8
2020-2021	23	20.1	20.3
2019-2020	22.6	20.2	20.6
ACT ENGL/MATH	FHS	TEXAS	NATIONAL
2021-2022	22.8/21.9	18.7/19.5	19/19.3
2020-2021	22.9/22.7	18.9/20	19.6/19.9
2019-2020	22.7/22.5	19.1/20.1	19.9/20.2

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLAR PROGRAM

	Commended	Semi-Finalist
2021	15	3
2020	2	1
2019	3	1

DISTRICT GPA AND RANK CALCULATION FOR CLASS OF 2023

The Weighted Numerical GPA will be used for the purposes of **CLASS RANK**:

AP/Dual Course Multiplier = 1.3

PreAP Course Multiplier = 1.2

Academic Course Multiplier = 1.1

Leveled Academic Course Multiplier = 1.0

CLASS OF 2020 COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

(fall following high school graduation)

Total	66.5%
4-year college	36.8%
2-year college	29.7%

AP Testing

Number of Exams Taken	889
Number of Students Testing	521
% of Students Scoring a 3 or Higher	55%
Number of AP Scholars	52
AP Capstone	3