

Cañon City High School

# February

Newsletter

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## Principal's Message

### Top 5 Colorado CDIP Earning Schools:

School	20-21	21-22
Warren Tech		784
<b>Canon City High School</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>560</b>
Grandview High School		257
Coronado High School		244
Adams City High School		241
Centaurus High School	236	
Warren Tech	233	
Boulder Technical Edu Ctr	171	
Eaglecrest High School	135	

The Career Development Incentive Program (CDIP) tracks the number of industry-standard certifications earned by each high school in Colorado. Certificate examples include Auto Technology, Welding, Engineering, Business, Medical, Culinary Arts, Carpentry, Machining, and Hydrology competencies. These certificates fall within career areas that the state deems high-need in our future workforce, leading our students to more immediate higher-paying wages. Internships also count in the state's tally. The Colorado Department of Education reports this information back to the public. Over the past two years, the chart above shows that Canon City High School was either first or second in the state in providing these tremendous opportunities to our students ... and our students are taking advantage! Thank you to the teachers at CCHS for holding the future careers of Fremont County students in such high esteem.

Bill Summers  
Principal, Canon City High School  
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Wow! It's already time for your students to choose their classes for next year! With that in mind, I'd like to share with you the courses that are most helpful for students who plan to earn an associates degree from Pueblo Community College and/or transfer credits to a four year college or university. Take some time to discuss your students' plans with them. For more clarification as to whether the credits will count, check the degree plans on the websites of the colleges that interest you.

## **English:**

American Literature or AP Language & Comp will count for ENG 1021 - the first semester of freshman English. World Literature or AP Literature will count for ENG 1022 - the second semester of freshman English (must earn credit for American Lit or AP Lang first in order to receive the college credit) Analytical Reading & Writing will count for ENG 1031 - one semester of English credit (often found in trades, technical or engineering degree plans) Creative Writing will count for ENG 2021 - an English academic elective or a humanities credit for the associates of general studies degree. Honors Speech counts as COM 1150 and is a requirement in almost all two-year and four-year degrees.

## **Math:**

Career Math, Technical Math, and Financial Math can count as math credits on a basic associate degree but will not generally transfer as math credit on a four year degree. Career &/or Technical math are required for automotive, welding, and carpentry programs. College Algebra and/or College or AP Statistics will count as math for an associate degree and most bachelor degrees.

## **Science:**

Any of the following courses will give credit for college level science courses. Students should make their choice based on their interests or intended career field/degree plan. H Chemistry, H Principles of Biomedical Science, H College Biology, H College Physiology & Anatomy (must take H College Biology first), AP Chemistry, AP Physics, AP Biology, and either H Hydrology & Watersheds or H Water Quality & Ecology (these two classes give the same credit)

## **Social Studies:**

H US History will count for HIS 1220 on almost all degree plans. H Colorado History will count for HIS 2135 and can be used as social studies credit on some plans or academic elective on most others. Intro to Criminal Justice (taken on Friday afternoons) is CRJ 1010, a criminal justice elective course. Psychology or AP Psychology will count as PSY 1001. This course is almost always either a required course or an academic elective in most degrees. Human Growth and Development will count as PSY 2440. It is a good course for medical or education degrees but can also count as an academic elective for many others.

## **Arts & Humanities:**

Advanced Studio Art will count as ART 1110, an art appreciation course that usually fulfills a college humanities requirement. For an associates degree at PCC, the following courses will usually count as the humanities requirement (some degree plans designate specific courses, so check your plan): Ceramics I/II taken in the same semester, Advanced Ceramics, AP Art & Design, Drama II or III, Creative Writing

## **Electives:**

We are fortunate to offer a wide variety of elective courses in many specific areas as concurrent enrollment courses. Check last month's newsletter for the (almost) complete list of courses - we have added more this year so the list will be updated and posted on the website later this month.

If you have any questions, feel free to email our concurrent enrollment counselor at [sharon.carlton@canoncityschools.org](mailto:sharon.carlton@canoncityschools.org)

*Coming up...*



February 18 at 6:30 pm – Dinner Theater

February 20 – Winter Band Concert

February 22 at 6 pm – Capstone Expo

February 25 – Band Dinner and Jazz Fundraiser

March 9 at 6 pm – 8th Gr. Club Crawl

March 10 – End of the 3rd Quarter



COME JOIN US FOR CCHS

8TH GRADE

CLUB

CRAWL

FCCLA/CULINARY

GYMNASICS

WELDING

PCC

YAC

NHS

GSA

BASEBALL

JROTC

FLY FISHING

MOUNTAIN BIKING

VOLLEYBALL

SKILLED TRADES

March

9th at

6:00 pm

TIGER DOME /  
COMMONS

Check out the many different  
clubs CCHS has to offer.

THERE WILL BE DRAW PRIZES!



*Inspiration*

# CCHS CAPSTONE NIGHT

Capstone Scholarship  
Competition  
Feb 22 & 23  
in the Auditorium  
6-8 pm

*Innovation*

  
  
*Ideas*

**Wednesday**  
**February 22 @ 6 pm**  
In the Tiger Dome

# Senior Spotlight of the Month



Zoe Kies  
Lions Student  
of the Month



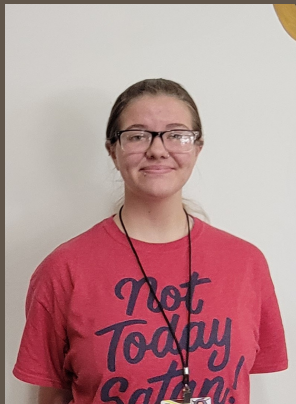
Lucy Chan  
Rotarian of  
the Month

## Students of the Month



Brett Jones  
-Integrity-

Nominated by:  
Mrs. Berger



Claire Foster  
-Civility-

Nominated by:  
Mrs. Berger



Brianna Aldag  
-Knowledge-

Nominated by:  
Mrs. Bolton



Luke Epperson  
-Civility-

Nominated by:  
Mrs. Bolton



Rebecka Chaney  
-Tenacity-

Nominated by:  
Mr. Benker



## Everyday Matters.



Caiden Allen  
-Leadership-

Nominated by:  
Mr. Benker