



# JEFFERSON ACADEMY

EXCELLENCE | INTEGRITY | CHARACTER | INSPIRE

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**100%**

Graduation Rate

6% Other 1% Military

**93%**

Enrolled in College

**80%**

Four-Year Enrollment

**\$5.7 million** Scholarship \$ awarded among 97 Class of '21 graduates

## JA By The Numbers

- 673** Students
- 93** Seniors
- 37** Teachers
- 6** College Instructors



## VISION STATEMENT

Jefferson Academy envisions a community of parents, teachers, students, and educational and business leaders working together to create a learning environment that engenders growth in character, academic achievement, and the love of learning, resulting in responsible, productive citizens.

## WHO WE ARE

Jefferson Academy (JA) is a school of excellence that works to prepare students for college, develop their character through rigorous expectations, and support them to discover and surpass their potential. As the oldest charter school in Jeffco, we have had years to grow and excel in preparing students for life beyond high school. We are a close-knit group of young scholars who thrive in a challenging academic environment. We are a community that feels like family, develops students with a strong work ethic and good character, provides a curriculum both rich in content and rigor. Our faculty, staff, and administration are devoted to providing the most innovative educational experiences to our students.

### Awards

- US News & World reports List of Best High Schools
- 7-time John Irwin Schools of Excellence Award winner
- 5280 Award - Top 20 High Schools in Colorado
- Newsweek Top STEM High School List 2020

### Quick Facts

- Block schedule: Zero Hour (50 min), A/B/C/D (90 min)
- 37 Full-time Teachers
- 20 Teachers with Advanced Degrees
- 100% of Administration and Student



### Graduation Requirements

English.....	4.0	Math (Algebra I or higher)...	4.0
Social Studies.....	4.0	Science.....	3.0
Physical Education...	2.0	Foreign Language.....	2.0
Technology.....	1.5	Fine Arts.....	1.5
Teen Choices.....	0.5	Geography.....	0.5
Freshman Seminar...	0.5	Senior Seminar.....	0.5
Electives.....	3.0		

Total credits necessary - 27

### Grading Scale

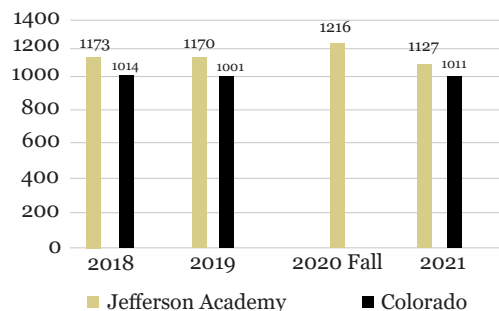
	A	B	C	D	F
Unweighted	4.0	3.0	2.0	1.0	0.0
Weighted	5.0	4.0	3.0	2.0	0.0
	90-100%	80-89%	70-79%	60-69%	Below 60%

### Grade Point Average Ranges - Class of 2021

Highest Weighted GPA: 4.68 after six semesters  
 Median Weighted GPA: 3.58  
 Highest Unweighted GPA: 4.0 after six semesters  
 Median Unweighted GPA: 3.39

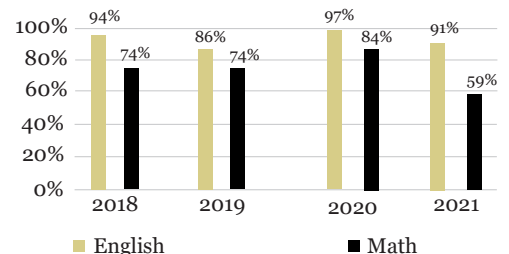
Honors, Advanced Placement, College courses are weighted. This is included in a student's GPA and class rank calculations. Class rank is based on weighted GPA.

### SAT Summary 2018 - 2021



### % of Students Meeting College

#### Readiness Benchmarks 2018 - 2021



# COLLEGE, ADVANCED PLACEMENT, AND HONORS COURSES

Jefferson Academy Secondary became a Front Range Community College accredited site in the Fall of 2015. We offer numerous college courses (up to 60 credit hours), on a rotating basis, directly on our campus. Students can earn up to an Associates Degree while at JA.

- Currently, there are 18 college courses offered with additional opportunities for students to take courses at the FRCC campus.
- We offer five Advanced Placement courses on campus including AP European History, Physics, Calculus A/B, Computer Science, and Studio Art.
- We offer nine Honors courses in core subject areas for 9th and 10th graders before they advance into college/concurrent enrollment courses.
- Students must demonstrate readiness for college courses and have a track record of success prior to enrollment each semester. Care is taken to not overwhelm a student in any given semester with advanced courses.

## Front Range Community College Courses

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|------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| • Art 110                          | • Math 135                |
| • Biology 111                      | • Math 166                |
| • Biology 112                      | • Math 201                |
| • Chemistry 111                    | • Philosophy 112 (Ethics) |
| • Chemistry 112                    | • Philosophy 114          |
| • Communications 115               | (Comparative Religions)   |
| • Econ 202 (Micro)                 | • Psychology 102          |
| • English 121                      | (Gen. Psychology II)      |
| • English 122                      | • Psychology 235          |
| • Geography 105                    | (Human Growth & Dev.)     |
| • History 121                      | • Sociology 101           |
| • History 122                      |                           |
| • Humanities 115 (World Mythology) |                           |
| • Literature 115                   |                           |
| • Math 121                         |                           |

\*2018 - 2022 courses

## Advanced Placement & Honors Courses

- | <u>Advanced Placement</u> | <u>Honors Courses</u> |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| • European History        | • Algebra 2           |
| • Physics                 | • Biology             |
| • Studio Art: Drawing     | • Chemistry           |
| • Computer Science        | • Geometry            |
| • Spanish                 | • English 9           |
|                           | • English 10          |
|                           | • English 11          |
|                           | • World History       |

## College Matriculation 2019 - 2021

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|---|---|
| • Adams State University                        | • MidAmerican Nazarene University*              |
| • Allen Community College*                      | • Montana State University (3)                  |
| • Auguste Escoffier School of Culinary Arts     | • Northern Arizona University                   |
| • Aveda Institute of Denver                     | • Oklahoma University                           |
| • Barclay College                               | • Pace University*                              |
| • Baylor University (2)                         | • Phoenix College                               |
| • Belmont University                            | • PIMA Medical Institute (2)                    |
| • Brigham Young University (2)                  | • Portland State University (2)                 |
| • Butler University (2)                         | • Queens University of Charlotte                |
| • California Baptist University (2)             | • Red Rocks Community College (9)               |
| • Central College*                              | • Regis University (14)                         |
| • College of International Esthetics (2)        | • Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design (3)    |
| • Colorado Christian University (3)*            | • Saint Louis University                        |
| • Colorado Mesa University (5)*                 | • Savannah College of Art & Design              |
| • Colorado School of Mines (9)*                 | • Soka University of America*                   |
| • Colorado State University (35)*               | • Texas A&M                                     |
| • Community College of Denver                   | • University of Chicago                         |
| • Concordia University*                         | • University of Utah                            |
| • DeSales University                            | • United States Naval Academy                   |
| • Doane University*                             | • University of Arizona (2)                     |
| • Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University          | • University of Colorado - Boulder (28)         |
| • Fort Hayes University                         | • University of Colorado - Colorado Springs (9) |
| • Franklin University - Switzerland             | • University of Colorado - Denver (9)           |
| • Front Range Community College (9)             | • University of Illinois                        |
| • Georgia State University*                     | • University of Miami                           |
| • Grand Canyon University (8)                   | • University of Montana                         |
| • Harvard University                            | • University of New Mexico - Albuquerque        |
| • Hastings College (2)*                         | • University of Northern Colorado (16)*         |
| • Jacksonville University                       | • University of Rochester                       |
| • John Brown University                         | • University of San Diego                       |
| • Kansas State University                       | • University of Wyoming (7)                     |
| • L'Institut Superior des Art                   | • Western Colorado University (2)               |
| • Loyola Marymount University                   | • Westminster College - Utah                    |
| • Metropolitan State University of Denver (12)* | • Youngstown State                              |

\* denotes Scholar Athlete

