

OUR HIGH SCHOOL

FOUNDATIONS
FOR THE FUTURE
CHARTER ACADEMY

Committed to excellence in academics, character and leadership, in a supportive learning environment.



FFCA South High School



Land Acknowledgement

FFCA SHS would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the people of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot Confederacy (including the Siksika, Piikani, and Kainai First Nations), the Tsuut'ina First Nation, and the Stoney Nakoda (including the Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley First Nations). The City of Calgary is also home to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 5 &6

Jenny Hill – Board Chair

FFCA Board of Directors



FFCA SHS values:
Character Development
Leadership Capacity
Academic Excellence
Parental Partnership
Supportive Learning Community



FFCA High School is distinct!

- Our leadership with character program focuses on developing effective independent and interdependent people with a strong sense of character and purpose.**
- We provide an academic program designed to provide all students the opportunity to meet post-secondary entrance requirements.**

2023 Fraser Report on Alberta High Schools

- **The Fraser Institute's school rankings use the following indicators:**
 - the average exam marks (percentage scored) in diploma exams
 - the percentage of diploma exams failed
 - the difference between the school awarded mark and exam mark in each diploma course
 - the difference between male and female students in their average value of exams marks in both English and mathematics
 - the number of diploma courses taken per student
 - diploma completion rate
 - delayed advancement rate
- **FFCA SHS ranked 6th of 197 High Schools in Alberta**
- **2nd highest ranked public school in Alberta**
- **Highest ranked public school in Calgary**



Leadership and Character Education



LWC (Leadership With Character) 9-12

Integrated into all courses:

- **K-12 Character Curriculum**
- **Continued focus on Character Virtues**
 - **Respect, Responsibility, Self-Discipline, Integrity, Compassion**

Opportunities for Character and Leadership Development!

- Athletics
- Student Council
- Speech Club
 - (Nationals and Provincials!)
- Yearbook Club
- Math/Science Competitions
- Educate and Empower Club
- Robotics Competitions
- QSA
- Teacher Assistant Positions
- Musical
- One Act
- Tech Theatre



Excellence in Performing Arts!

- **Musical Theatre**
- **Choir(Choral Music)**
- **Advanced Acting(One Act)**
- **Technical Theatre**
- **Set Creation**
- **Drama 9/10/20/30**



Excellence in Athletics!

Competitive Teams in:

- **Volleyball**
- **Cross-country Running**
- **Basketball**
- **Wrestling**
- **Soccer**
- **Track and Field**
- **Badminton**



FFCA SHS Program Sequence

FFCA students graduate with

- ✓ Leadership with Character 15/25/35
 - ✓ Phys. Ed. 10/20/30
 - ✓ Math 30-1 or 30-2
- ✓ One of Bio, Chem, Phys or Sci 30
 - ✓ CALM 20



Welcome to Grade 9!

- Grade 9 is organized in cohorts of core subjects.
- Students stay with the same core subject teachers for the year.



Grade 9 Courses	
SEMESTER 1	SEMESTER 2
English Language Arts (ELA) 9	
Social Studies (SS) 9	
Math 9	
Science 9	
Physical Education (PE) 9	
Leadership (LWC) 9	
Elective 1	Elective 2

Elective Programs!



Gr 9 - 2 electives per year - 1 in each semester.

- **Art**
- **Drama**
- **Outdoor Education**
- **New Media**
- **Robotics**
- **Choral Music (Lunch/Block 5)**
- **Tech Theatre (Block 5)**
- **Advanced Acting (Block 5)**



Elective Programs!



Additional Grade 10-12 Offerings

- **Psychology**
- **Business Ed**
 - **Marketing and Management**
 - **Entrepreneurship**
 - **Personal Finance and Investment**
- **Sports Performance 1-3 – (New)**





Student Services

- Family School Liaison Counselor
 - Ms. Kent
- Guidance and Career Counsellor
 - Ms. Hunnisett
- Inclusion Facilitator
 - Ms. Massey
- Learning Assistant
 - Ms. El-Shabrawi
- ELL Assistant
 - Ms. Salmon-South
- Psychologist
 - Dr. Shivji



School Council/Society

- Teacher Appreciation
- Fundraising
- Event Planning
- Casino
- Parent Engagement

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Any Questions?

