ABOUT THE DISTRICT

The Paradise Valley Unified School District offers a world-class education to their students. The goal of the district is to be a national leader in education, by setting high standards for student achievement and creating a college-ready environment. The district offers numerous Advanced Placement (AP) and dual enrollment courses. The district is also in the Top 20 "Best School Districts" in the State of Arizona according to Niche.

FACILITIES

Paradise Valley Unified School District schools have great athletic facilities and sports fields on campus. There are also computer and tech labs, as well as libraries and theaters at each school, catering to students interested in both STEM and the Arts.

PARADISE VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Phoenix, Arizona

QUICK FACTS:

# of Students: 1571
# of High Schools in District: 7
Estimated Start Date: Early Aug.
Estimated End Date: Late May
Graduation Offered: Yes
Is ESL Offered: No
Fall Semester Program: No
Spring Semester Program: No
Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:17
Nearest Airport: Phoenix International Airport
Airport Code: PHX
COURSES OFFERED

Math
- Algebra I-IV, Math Essentials, Geometry (Honors), Pre-Calculus (Honors), College Algebra, Calculus (Honors, AP), AP Statistics, Trigonometry (Honors), Applied Math

Science
- Biology (Honors, AP), Chemistry (Honors, AP), Physics (Honors, AP), Anatomy and Physiology, Earth Science, Astronomy, Environmental Science, Health Care Science

Social Studies
- US History (AP), World History (AP), European History (AP), American Government, US Government & Politics (AP), Economics, AP Microeconomics, AP Macroeconomics

English
- English (Honors, AP), English Grammar Basics, AP English Literature & Composition, College Level Composition, Communications, Journalism, Creative Writing

Languages
- French, German, Spanish, Mandarin

The Arts
- Culinary Arts, Intro to the Studio, Photojournalism, Dance Fusion, Theater Arts, Film Study, Fashion Design & Merchandising, Sound Engineering

Electives

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

BOYS
- **Fall** Football, Cross Country, Golf, Swim & Dive
- **Winter** Basketball, Wrestling, Soccer
- **Spring** Baseball, Track, Tennis

GIRLS
- **Fall** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Swim & Dive, Golf, Volleyball
- **Winter** Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer
- **Spring** Softball, Tennis

SCHOOL CLUBS
- Ceramics Club
- Comedy Club
- DECA
- Drama Club
- Film Club
- Forensics Club
- National Honor Society
- Speech and Debate
- Writing Club
- Gay-Straight Alliance
- International Students Club
- Key Club
- Culinary Club
- Yearbook
- Chorus
- Band
- Orchestra

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Age: Students must be ages 14-18
ELTIS: 215-220
F-1 Students Can Practice Sports But Not Participate In Games
Already Graduated Students: No

**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

Phoenix is the sixth largest city in the United States and is vibrant with culture. The wonderful climate enables residents to be outdoors all year round, hiking and biking can be enjoyed at any time! The magnificent Grand Canyon is about a three hour drive from Phoenix; the amazing scenery is too incredible to pass up. A whopping 21 national parks and 27 state parks can be visited in this state full of beauty and adventure.

Population: 1,660,272
Nearest Major City: Phoenix, AZ
Temperature Range: 4°C to 41°C