

THE Gregory School

CEEB code: 030506

School Enrollment & Class Profile

The Gregory School (formerly St. Gregory College Preparatory School), founded in 1980, is an independent, nonsectarian day school serving grades 5-12.

Upper School Enrollment 159
Total Enrollment 336

Class of 2019

46 seniors
29 Females/17 Males
GPA Range: 3.12 - 4.23
Average GPA: 3.70

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Academic Requirements

- All Upper School courses taught at honors level
- Block schedule: courses meet every other day for 75 minutes
- Typical academic course load: six per semester
- Grades issued: mid-January and late May
- Average class size: 15

Graduation Requirements (A minimum of 26 credits are required)

Academic Area	Credits
English	4
Mathematics	4 (at least three earned in grades 9-12)
Science	4 (three must be lab sciences)
Social Sciences	4
Foreign Languages	3 (in same language; at least two earned in grades 9-12)
Fine Arts	1
Physical Education/Athletics	1

Please see https://www.gregoryschool.org/images/pdf-forms/2019-20_TGS_US_Curriculum_Guide_7.16.19.pdf for our course curriculum guide and course descriptions.

Seniors must complete a 60-hour internship that they identify, propose to a faculty committee, and provide a capstone presentation upon completion.

TGS Grading Scale

Students are graded on a 0 – 4.3 scale.
Advanced Placement courses are weighted with an additional 0.5.

Letter	Numeric	Percentage	Letter	Numeric	Percentage
A+	4.3	(98-100)	C+	2.3	(77-79)
A	4.0	(93-97)	C	2.0	(73-76)
A-	3.7	(90-92)	C-	1.7	(70-72)
B+	3.3	(87-89)	D+	1.3	(67-69)
B	3.0	(83-86)	D	1.0	(63-66)
B-	2.7	(80-82)	D-	0.7	(60-62)
			F	0.0	(0-59)

High Honor Roll: 3.90-4.30 (all grades A- or above).
Honor Roll: 3.50-3.89 (all grades B- or above)

Rank Policy

The Gregory School does not rank our students. Students are encouraged to explore the full range of curricular offerings and to personalize their course choices through options such as independent study and dual enrollment free of worry about impact on potential ranking.

College Entrance Examination Results

Mean ACT Scores

Year	# Students Tested	Composite Score
2015	34	25.1
2016	22	25.9
2017	27	25.0
2018	12	25.3
2019	12	24.0

Mean SAT Scores

Year	# Students Tested	Composite Score
2018	29	1180
2019	42	1227

Advanced Placement Exams

In May of 2019, 41 students took AP exams in 17 different subject areas. 75% earned a 3 or higher; 45% earned a 4 or 5.

15 AP Courses Offered in 2019-2020 Academic Year

Biology	Computer Science	Physics: Electricity/Magnetism	Statistics
Calculus AB	English Literature and Composition	Physics: Mechanics	United States Government and Politics
Calculus BC	French Language and Culture	Spanish Language and Culture	United States History
Chemistry	Latin Literature	Spanish Literature and Culture	

The Gregory School (TGS), a diverse learning community, challenges and supports students to achieve excellence in character, scholarship, leadership, and innovation. Our mission is to prepare students to make a positive impact in the world through pursuing their passions, appreciating and creating beauty, and solving problems.

Upper School Course List

<p>ENGLISH English 1 English 2 English 3 English 4 AP English (Literature and Composition) Journalism Program Beginning Yearbook Advanced Yearbook</p> <p>FINE ARTS Intermediate Band Advanced Band A/Advanced Band B Advanced Band Choir 2A/Choir 2B Choir 2 Beginning Guitar Intermediate Guitar Studio Art 1A/Studio Art 1B Studio Art 2 Studio Art 3 Advanced Studio Art Photography 1 Photography 2 Photography 3 Digital Design 1 Digital Design 2 Digital Design 3 Digital Design 4 Digital Painting & Illustration Dance 1 Dance 2 Choreography Lab Stagecraft A/Stagecraft B</p>	<p>Theater Production 1 Theater Production 2 Theater Design Beginning Drama A/Beginning Drama B Intermediate Drama 1 Intermediate Drama 2 Advanced Drama</p> <p>LANGUAGES French 1 French 2 French 3 AP French Language and Culture Francophone Literature and Cinema (Francolit) Advanced French Latin 1 Latin 2 Latin 3 Latin 4 AP Latin Literature Beginning Mandarin Intermediate Mandarin Spanish 1 Spanish 2 Spanish 3 Spanish 4 Conversation/Spanish 5 AP Spanish Language and Culture AP Spanish Literature and Culture</p> <p>MATHEMATICS Algebra 1 Geometry Advanced Geometry</p>	<p>Algebra 2 Algebra 2/Trigonometry Precalculus Advanced Precalculus Elements of Calculus Statistics AP Statistics AP Calculus AB AP Calculus BC</p> <p>PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT The Farmyard Classroom - Interdisciplinary Studies of Real Life Garden to Table Introduction to Leadership and Innovation Advanced Leadership Junior College Seminar Senior College Applications Seminar Upper School Physical Education Yoga Dance 1 Dance 2 Choreography Lab Physical Conditioning for Athletes</p> <p>SCIENCE Biology (Lab science) Chemistry (Lab Science) Physics (Lab science) Physical Geography of the Southwest (lab science) Organic and Biochemistry (lab science) Human Anatomy and Physiology (lab science) AP Biology (lab science)</p>	<p>AP Chemistry (lab science) AP Physics C - Mechanics (lab science) AP Physics C - Electricity and Magnetism (lab science) Computer Science A Computer Science B Computer Science C Computer Science D AP Computer Science Technology Innovations: Design and Build</p> <p>SOCIAL SCIENCES Topics in World Civilizations: A History through Trade United States History AP United States History Gender and Diversity Studies in World History Middle East History through its Religious Traditions AP U.S. Government and Politics Microeconomics Macroeconomics Psychology and Literature Advanced Psychology</p>
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Faculty

53 Faculty
 8% - Doctoral Degrees
 70% - Graduate Degrees

Learning and Technology Innovations

MIT Fabrication Lab: We are proud to host the first and sole school-based MIT Fab Lab in the state of Arizona. In partnership with MIT, we have fully equipped and staffed a lab where teachers can bring classes to create models and “invent” using modeling software, laser cutters, vinyl cutters, CNC mills and other design tools. The Fab Lab students have produced a solar powered car, a champion robotics team, and an international team of "safe crackers" who participated in the International Physics competition in Rehovot, Israel.

Weekly Explorations give students the opportunity to pursue areas of interest that intentionally integrate academic themes and our 6 C's: Creativity, Communication, Critical Thinking, Collaboration, Compassion, and Community. 24 opportunities each year, upper school students attend four self-selected workshops presented by faculty, staff, community members and peers.

Interim Weeks extend academic learning and the 6C's through experiential adventures and travel for all upper school students. Interim week experiences are held annually and by grade-level, and have included Shakespeare Festivals in Utah, Art and Cultural studies in New Mexico, and Environmental Leadership at the Grand Canyon.

Co-Curricular Clubs

Community Leaders Unblocking Barriers	High School Democrats of America	National Junior Classics League Chapter
Drama Club	Italian Club	Robotics
Fantasy Football Club	Mathematics Club	Roots and Shoots
Film Club	Middle East Peace Alliance	Travel Club
French Club	Mock Trial	
Girl Up	Music Creativity	

Athletics

Students have the opportunity to be active in a wide variety of interscholastic teams including boys and girls basketball, cross-country, golf, swimming, tennis, track & field, and volleyball, and a co-ed soccer team that plays in the boys division,

Community Service

The Gregory School is committed to providing students with opportunities to engage in community service; these experiences are essential in the development of character, scholarship, leadership and innovation. A goal of TGS is to make volunteering a normal and regular activity, and one that is both rewarding and fun. To help our students live this philosophy, The Gregory School has adopted hourly requirements for each grade level: 9th and 10th grade – 10 hours per year; 11th grade – 15 hours per year; 12th grade – 60 hours as part of the senior Internship.