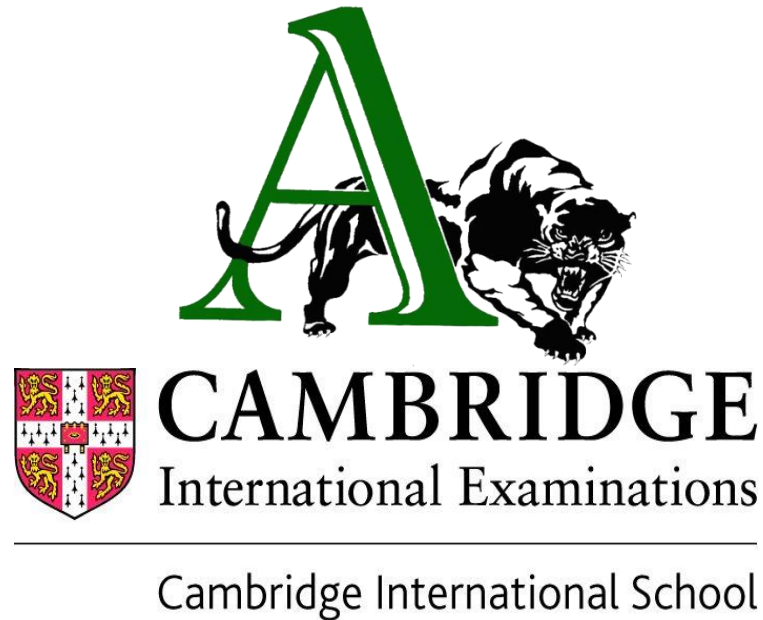




# The Cambridge Academy at Amphitheater High School





# Cambridge Academy Goals

- College and Career Readiness
- Rigorous Curriculum
- Grand Canyon Diploma

# Grand Canyon Diploma

**GOAL:** Foundational College and Career Readiness

Qualification for a Grand Canyon Diploma signifies to students that they are ready to do college-level work without remediation and opens up a variety of education and career pathways within and beyond high school.



# What's the Difference?

## TRADITIONAL DIPLOMA

Seat Time – minutes, semesters

22 Credits

Inconsistent Comparison  
between schools & states

Doesn't guarantee admittance

4 years

## GRAND CANYON DIPLOMA

Mastery of Curriculum

5 Specific Board Exams

International Comparisons

Guaranteed Admittance to  
Community College System

2 years

# Cambridge Academy Educational Pathways

Community  
College  
Enrollment

(Grand Canyon Diploma)

College  
Preparatory  
Courses

Advanced  
Placement,  
Cambridge

CTE and  
JTED  
Course of  
Study &  
Internships

Current  
High  
School  
Programs  
of Study

## Cambridge Curriculum

Board Exam System leading to the Grand Canyon Diploma

Grand Canyon Diploma awarded as early as end of 10<sup>th</sup> grade year.

Students do not have to take the board exam.

# Grand Canyon Diploma Requirements

- **Qualifying Score – English First Language**
- **Qualifying Score – Mathematics**
- **Qualifying Score – History (World or American)**
- **Qualifying Score - Science (Biology, Chemistry, or Physics)**
- **Qualifying Score – Board Exam (English, History, Science)**
  
- **Class & Board Exam Completion – Additional Board Exam**
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- **Local Fine Arts or CTE Class Completion or Local Offering**
  
- **Local Economics Class Completion (Taken in Summer)**

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Courses

- First Language English (IGCSE)
- World History (IGCSE)
- Biology (IGCSE)
- Mathematics (IGCSE)



**\*Economics taken during the summer**

## IGCSE Board Exams

- First Language English
- World History
- Biology

## 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Courses

- English Literature (IGCSE)
- American History (IGCSE)
- Chemistry or Physics (IGCSE)
- Mathematics (IGCSE)



**\*Economics taken  
during the summer**

## IGCSE Board Exams

- First Language English
- World History
- Biology
- Mathematics



# Master Schedule Balancing

English	2	3	4	5	Lunch	6	7
Bokneviz	Link Crew	English 12	English 12	Camb. Eng. 10		Camb. Eng. 10	Camb. Eng. 10
Griffith	AP Literature	English 11	English 11	English 11		AP Literature	Plan
Woolsey	Camb. Eng. 9	Camb. Eng. 9	Camb. Eng. 9	Pre-AP Eng. 10		Plan	Pre-AP Eng. 10
Millerd	---	Plan	English 9	English 9		English 9	English 9
Harts (Wolfel)	English 10	English 10	English 11	Plan		English 11	English 10
Taylor	English 9	English 9	Plan	English Prep 9		English 9	English 9
Ousley	English 11	English 10	English 10	Plan		English 10	English 11
Ramsey	English 12	English 12	AP Lang. & Comp.	English 12		AP Lang. & Comp.	Plan
History	2	3	4	5	Lunch	6	7
Bultman	Student Gov.	Avid 12	Camb. Amer Hist.	Camb. Amer Hist.		Camb. Amer Hist.	Avid 11
Burrow	Plan	US History	US History	US History		US History	Psychology/Sociology
Lange	Avid Coord.	Economics	Economics	Economics		Avid 9	Avid 9
Smith, S	Avid 10	W History	W. History	W. History		W. History	Plan
Smith, C	US History	US History	US History	Plan		W. History	W. History
Van Sice	AP US Government	US Government	US Government	US Government		US Government	Plan
Rossi	Camb. W. History	Camb. W. History	Camb. W. History	Camb Coordinator		Camb Coordinator	AP US History
Math	2	3	4	5	Lunch	6	7
Mendivil	Intermed. Alg.	Intermed. Alg.	Intermed. Alg.	Intermed. Alg.		Plan	----
Faulkner	Pre-Calc.	AP Calc BC	Pre-Calc	Plan		Algebra II	Algebra II
Lise	Geometry	Geometry	Algebra I	Algebra I		Algebra I	Algebra I
Dermer, G	Geometry	Plan	Geometry	Geometry		Geometry	Geometry
Hamrich	Algebra I	Algebra I	Algebra I	Algebra I		Intro to Engineering	Plan
Reynolds	Plan	AP Calc AB	Camb. Geometry	Camb. Geometry		Camb. Algebra	Camb. Algebra
Zelov	Adv. Algebra II	Intro to Calc.	Financial Algebra	Financial Algebra		Financial Algebra	Plan
Scheel	Plan	AP Stats	Math Lab (cr)	Math Lab (cr)		Statistics	Statistics