



"This school is a highly academic, spiritually nurturing environment. The leadership is excellent and the families create a community that is supportive, inclusive and friendly."

Parent

Private School

# Paradise Valley Christian Preparatory Arizona

Paradise Valley Christian Preparatory (PVCP) is a private day school in Phoenix offering a college-preparatory curriculum grounded in Christian values. The school emphasizes strong academics, STEM exposure, and character development.



PRIVATE



COED



CITY



SUNNY



SPORTS



DIPLOMA  
YEAR

## Quick Facts

Founded: 1974

Niche.com Score: A

Students: Co-educational

Climate: Mild winters / Hot summers

Population: 1.6 million

School Population: 345

Accepting students: Grade 9-12

Diploma Year offered: Yes

English as Second Language (ESL) support: No

University Acceptance rate: 100%

## Academic Excellence

PVCP offers a **rigorous college-preparatory curriculum** that integrates faith-based learning with strong academic expectations. Students have access to dual enrollment courses through local community colleges and benefit from small classes and personalized instruction. The school places notable emphasis on STEM, supported by modern science and technology labs that enhance hands-on learning. Dual enrollment is available through Arizona Christian University. PVCP offers five elective tracks for upper school students: STEM, Fine and Applied Arts, Classical Studies, Biblical Studies, and Public Leadership. PVCP maintains a **100% graduation rate**, and students regularly earn substantial scholarship awards, averaging over \$135,000 per graduate.

## Student Accomplishments

- Graduates earn substantial scholarship awards, averaging over \$135,000 per student.
- Consistently high academic performance and top rankings among private Christian schools in Arizona.



## Recent University Acceptances

- Arizona State University
- Baylor University
- Chapman University
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- Emory University
- Grand Canyon University
- Northern Arizona University
- Pepperdine University
- Purdue University
- University of Arizona
- University of California
- University of Southern California
- University of the Pacific



## Stats

**18:1**

Student Teacher Ratio

**9-12**

Grades at School

**100%**

University and College Acceptance

**#1**

of the Best Christian High School in AZ

**26**

Average ACT Score

**1310**

Average SAT Score



## Campus Facilities

PVCP's campus includes **state-of-the-art academic, science, and technology facilities** that support advanced coursework and hands-on learning. **Modern classrooms, dedicated science labs, arts spaces, and athletic fields** contribute to a vibrant learning environment. The school's facilities are designed to support both academic achievement and student development through athletics, arts, and extracurricular activities.

## Athletics and Arts

PVCP fields competitive teams across multiple sports and emphasizes teamwork, skill development, and healthy competition. International students can play varsity sports at this school (unlike most Arizona schools).

Students explore creative pathways through programs in visual arts, music, drama, band, percussion, and choral ensemble. The arts program fosters self-expression and provides opportunities for performance and artistic growth.



## Highlights

**Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Beach Volleyball, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee**

**Arts: Art, Band, Choral Ensemble, Performing Arts, Percussion**

**Advanced Placement courses: Calculus AB, European History**

**Clubs and extracurriculars: Chess Club, Community Service, National Junior Honor Society, Yearbook**

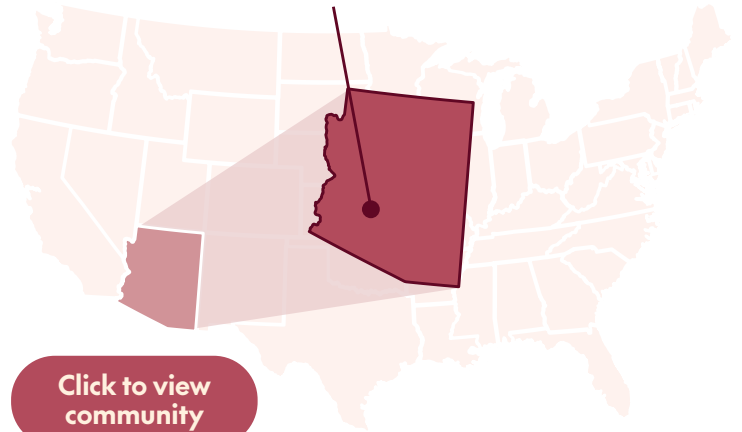
**Tech and innovation courses: Robotics**



PARADISE VALLEY  
CHRISTIAN PREPARATORY

## Community

Located in Paradise Valley Village in Phoenix, the school sits within a large, vibrant metropolitan area of nearly 1.6 million residents. Students have access to cultural attractions, outdoor activities like hiking Camelback Mountain, and institutions including the Desert Botanical Garden. Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX) provides convenient travel access.



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## Climate in Phoenix, Arizona

Warm desert climate with mild winters and very hot summers.



### Video

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about  
the school

