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Robinson Secondary School

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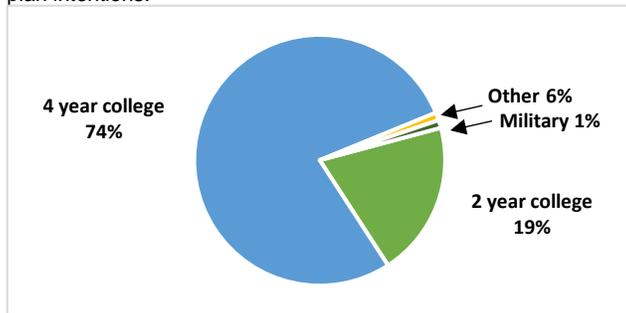
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Class of 2022 Statistics: Through an annual survey of all seniors, the class of 2022 reported the following postsecondary plan intentions.



DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES: Dual Enrollment classes, designated with a "DE" after their title on a student's transcript are taught by a high school teacher and offer college credit through a college or university.

HONORS COURSES: Honors classes (with the exception of level 4 and 5 of World Language courses, STEM Engineering, and STEM Advanced Engineering) are labeled with (HN) on the student's transcript. In addition to the courses just named, the honors courses offered are: English (9,10,11,12), Geometry, Algebra 2, Biology, Geosystems, US & VA History, US & VA Government, and Economics and Personal Finance.

Enrollment: 3576 (Grade 7-12)

Seniors: 641
Number of IB Courses: 57
Number of AP Courses: 5
Number of Honors Courses: 11

Demographic: Asian 14%, Black 7%, Hispanic/Latino 17%, White 55%, Other 8%; Free/Reduced Lunch: 14%; English Learners 4%

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE & ADVANCED PLACEMENT:

International Baccalaureate and Advanced Placement courses are indicated by the designation (IB or AP) preceding the course title on the transcript.

RSS offers the following *International Baccalaureate* courses as both Standard Level (SL) and Higher Level (HL) options, unless otherwise noted: Biology, Business Management, Chemistry, Design & Technology (SL only), Economics, English Literature, Environmental Systems (SL only), Film Studies, French, Geography (SL only), German, History of the Americas (HL only), Language & Literature, Latin, Math Analysis, Math Applications, Philosophy (SL only), Physics, Psychology, Social Anthropology, Spanish, Theatre Arts (HL only), Theory of Knowledge, Topics 20th Century (HL only), Visual Arts, World Religions (SL only)

RSS offers the following *Advanced Placement* courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Comparative Government & Politics, United States History.

SAT Mean Scores			
	Composite	Math	Read & Writing
Robinson	1204	598	607
Virginia	1151	567	584
US	1060	528	533

ACT Mean Scores					
	Comp.	English	Math	Reading	Science
Robinson	26	25.5	24.5	27	25.5
Virginia	25.5	25.5	24.5	26.5	25.1
US	20.3	19.6	19.9	20.9	20.4

SAT and ACT statistics provided by College Board and ACT respectively. The scores above represent the Class of 2022 Robinson school averages. Scores for state and national averages for public school students are for the Class of 2021.

Grading Policy Changes Affecting the 2020-21 School Year: To provide flexibility to students and ensure they were not penalized by the challenges of distance learning, FCPS made the following changes to the high school grading policy for the 2020-21 school year only. These changes were announced in March of 2021. They included:

- Use of No Mark (NM) instead of F grades for all courses. No credit was awarded, and the course was not factored into the student's grade point average (GPA).
- Student/families could choose a mark of "P" (pass) instead of passing letter grades as their final mark in up to two current high school courses. Students had the opportunity to choose this through fourth quarter. This flexibility is in addition to the allowances for designating courses as pass/fail at the beginning of the school year. Therefore, a student's transcript may include more marks of "P" than typically seen on an FCPS transcript.



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School Profile

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Mission Statement:

Fairfax County Public Schools inspires and empowers students to meet high academic standards, lead healthy, ethical lives, and be responsible and innovative global citizens.

Community:

Robinson Secondary School is a 7th-12th grade public school located in Fairfax County, Virginia, a residential suburb of Washington, DC. Robinson is a fully authorized International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme (DP) and Middle Years Programme (MYP) school.

Robinson opened in 1971 and is named in honor of Sergeant James W. Robinson, Jr. the first Virginia resident to receive the Medal of Honor for conspicuous gallantry and heroism in the Vietnam conflict. Sergeant Robinson provides a model for character and leadership that extends to all facets of our school program.

At the high school level, Robinson strives to prepare students to successfully meet the many challenges of a global society. We recognize that those challenges include technological, cultural, environmental, ethical, and societal issues that, in turn, demand strong technical and interpersonal skills. Consequently, our curriculum is diverse and includes a broad range of courses in the humanities, arts, and sciences with an emphasis on the use of technology across the curriculum.

FCPS is the tenth largest school system in the nation with approximately 188,000 students attending 198 schools and centers. FCPS students come from countries around the world and speak more than 200 different languages. Nearly half of the students enrolled in an FCPS elementary school speak a language other than English at home.

During the 2020-21 school year, approximately 36.9 percent of FCPS students identified themselves as White; 27.4 percent Hispanic; 19.3 percent Asian; 9.9 percent African American; 6.1 percent two or more races; and 0.3 percent Native American.

Twenty six percent of FCPS students are projected to receive services for English learners (EL). Approximately 14.9 percent are projected to receive special education services. Thirty two percent of all FCPS students are eligible for the Federal Free and Reduced-Price Meals Program (FRM).

Located in Fairfax County, Virginia, FCPS is the most populous jurisdiction in Virginia and the metropolitan Washington, DC area, with more than one million residents. Over 60 percent of all county residents over 25 years of age have completed four years of college.

FCPS Curriculum:

The instructional program for FCPS is a comprehensive rigorous curriculum containing benchmarks outlined in the Virginia Standards of Learning (SOL).

Six high school academies offer technical and specialized courses not found at all high schools. Career and Technical Education (CTE), fine arts, and world languages courses are accessed by students from all high schools. CTE courses offer numerous credentialing opportunities for students who pass industry certification exams.

Graduation Requirements:

FCPS graduation requirements align to those of the Virginia Board of Education and may be found at the link below: <https://www.fcps.edu/academics/graduation-requirements-and-course-planning>.

FCPS has additional requirements for the standard diploma beyond those of the Virginia Board of Education. Students must earn three credits in science in three different lab areas and three credits in social studies for an FCPS standard diploma.

The web address of the **FCPS district postsecondary profile** can be found at <https://www.fcps.edu/about-fcps/postsecondary-profile>. It provides detailed information regarding attendance and grading & reporting during the Covid-19 closure for Spring 2020, Fall 2020 instruction, and grading policy changes for Spring 2021.

Grading System:

Grade point average (GPA) is calculated on the basis of all high school courses for which credit has been earned, attempted, and previously awarded. High school courses taken in middle school may be expunged from the high school transcript. The parent or guardian must submit a request within nine weeks of his/her child entering an FCPS high school.

A	(93-100)	= 4.0
A-	(90-92)	= 3.7
B+	(87-89)	= 3.3
B	(83-86)	= 3.0
B-	(80-82)	= 2.7
C+	(77-79)	= 2.3
C	(73-76)	= 2.0
C-	(70-72)	= 1.7
D+	(67-69)	= 1.3
D	(64-66)	= 1.0
F	(Below 64)	= 0.0

P = Pass
WP = Withdrawal Pass
WF = Withdrawal Fail
T = Audit (No Credit)
NM = No Mark (No Credit)

Students who take a year-long high school honors course in English, mathematics, science, or social studies or who take a level 4 or level 5 world language course are granted 0.5 added to their GPA calculation for each course taken. Students who take a year-long AP, IB, or dual-enrollment course are granted 1.0 added to their GPA calculation for each AP, IB, or dual-enrollment course taken.

****FCPS high schools do not rank students****

Disclosure of Student Disciplinary Infractions:

It is the student's responsibility to disclose discipline infractions to postsecondary institutions. FCPS does not disclose students' disciplinary information without express written consent from the parent or guardian or eligible student.

Accredited by the Virginia State Department of Education and Southern Association of Schools and Colleges