9th Grade Summer Bridge Program

The pilot program ran four weeks in June, four hours a day, four days a week. The District provided the same curriculum for the summer school support program (Summer Experience) so school sites could support Math and English content acquisition with students. In the summer of 2014, the District offered the program in five high schools (Cholla, Palo Verde, Pueblo, Santa Rita, and THMS) for a total of 443 enrolled students. In the summer of 2015, the District added three additional programs (Catalina, Rincon, and Sahuaro High School) and enrollment increased to 637 students. Students in the summer 2015 program were pre-tested prior to the beginning of the program and underwent a post-test to gauge the progress during the summer. At the time of this report's preparation, no results of these post tests were available for analysis. These indicators will give schools feedback on students at risk of a difficult transition for the 2015-16 school year.

2014-15 Freshman Academy Participation		
Race / Ethnicity	Number	Percentage
African American	37	5.80%
Hispanic	431	67.60%
Native American	24	3.80%
Asian	13	2.00%
Multi Racial	18	3%
White	114	18%
Total students	637	100%



For identified current 8th graders ONLY

With successful completion of Freshmen Academy, students will obtain a semester of an elective credit.



For more information please contact your middle school counselor or Cholla H.S. at 225-4000

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Freshmen Academy Cholla High Magnet School

June 1st – June 18th Monday – Thursday 8:00am - 12:00pm

Your child is cordially invited to attend our Freshmen Academy designed to welcome our young Chargers and help strengthen their skills in mathematics and language arts. We will support student learning through a variety of hands-on activities, engaging materials while building their note-taking and social skills in a high school setting.

Breakfast and lunch are available free-of-charge.

Daily Schedule

7:30-8:00 Breakfast
90 minutes Reading Block

90 minutes Math Block

60 minutes Study Skills/Orientation

12:00 Parent Pick-Up Begins

12:00-12:30 Lunch

12:30 Buses Leave

Transportation provided for eligible students

