

CARL JUNCTION HIGH SCHOOL

2024-25 SCHOOL PROFILE



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CARL JUNCTION UNLIMITED

Carl Junction Unlimited (CJU) Alternative School is a program for students in grades 10-12 who function more effectively in a non-traditional high school setting. The goal at CJU is for each student to complete the state requirements for graduation and become productive citizens. Students who attend CJU are required to complete the state minimum credit requirement (24 credits) in order to graduate.

COMMUNITY

Carl Junction, Missouri, spanning 5.47 square miles, is a community within the Joplin metropolitan statistical area. Carl Junction has an approximate population of 8,366. The public school district, accredited by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, consists of one high school and one junior high, as well as a separate elementary campus using a PreK-1, 2-3, and 4-6 configuration. The school system is located approximately 10 miles from Joplin, Missouri (estimated population 51,762). Enrollment is 943 students in grades 9-12, and each student is provided with a district-owned chrome book each year.

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION AS OF 2024

- Approximately 55.3% of CJHS graduates pursued formal postsecondary education.
- Free & Reduced Lunch Percentage: 37.9%
- Percentage of Graduates taking the ACT: 64.9%
- Average ACT Composite (2021-22): 21.3
- Average ACT Composite (2022-23): 21.6
- Percentage of Staff with Advanced Degrees: 60.9%
- Student to Teacher Ratio: 18:1

ADVANCED PLACEMENT & DUAL CREDIT OFFERINGS

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

- English Literature & Composition
- Biology
- Chemistry
- United States Government & Politics
- Physics 1
- Psychology
- 2-D Art & Design
- Drawing
- 3-D Art & Design

DUAL CREDIT

CROWDER COLLEGE

- Composition 101 & 102
- Elementary Statistics
- Algebra for Calculus
- Trigonometry
- Calculus I, Parts I & II
- US History I & II

MISSOURI STATE

- Fundamentals of Public Speaking
- Great Books & Instant Classics

MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY

- Intro to Teacher Education
- Biology 101

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The academic program is organized on a block schedule. Eight credits per semester is the maximum course load. Students take four 90-minute block classes per day. Each block meets every other day.

Grading System

Class rank and grade point average are unweighted, reported exactly, and based on grades in all courses taken in the eight-block school-year schedule, using a 4.0 scale.

A 4.0	C 2.0	The following marks are not used to compute GPA: P: Pass W: Withdrawn due to attendance
A- 3.667	C- 1.667	
B+ 3.333	D+ 1.333	
B 3.0	D 1.0	
C+ 2.333	D- 1.667	
F 0		

CEEB Code 260-505

- Language Arts (3.5)
- Oral Communications (.5)
- World Studies (1)
- American Government (1)
- American History (1)
- Personal Finance (.5)
- Mathematics (3)
- Science (3)
- Fine Art (1)
- Health (.5)
- Physical Education (1)
- Practical Art (.5)
- Electives (12.5)