



GROWTH

- 115,070 = student enrollment on Oct. 30, 2020
- 8,936 = new students during the last 10 years
- 92 campuses (56 elementary schools, 19 middle schools, 12 high schools, 5 special program facilities)
- 44 new schools built since 2000 (27 elementary schools, 9 middle schools, 6 high schools, 2 special program facilities)
- 52 campuses at least 20 years old
- 3rd largest district in Texas; 2nd largest district in Region 4; 22nd largest district in the nation (*Niche.com* 2020)
- 17,808 first-time students in 2019-2020 (12,027 in grades 1-12; 5,781 in kindergarten, pre-kindergarten & early education)

DEMOGRAPHICS

- Ethnic breakdown:

Hispanic	White	African American	Asian	Multi-racial	Native American	Pacific Islander
45%	22%	19%	9%	3%	0.5%	0.1%

- 16,128 ESL/bilingual students
- 100 languages and dialects spoken by students
- 13 New Arrival Centers for non-English speaking students
- 35 elementary campuses with bilingual programs
- 55% economically disadvantaged
- 11,784 special education students

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

- 2020 seniors – SAT average score: Evidence-based Reading and Writing – 555; Math – 557
**If a student took the SAT more than once, the most recent score is summarized*
- 2020 seniors – National Merit Scholarship Program: 22 semifinalists, 69 commended
- 2020 seniors – 35 National Hispanic Scholars
- 2019-2020 dual credit course enrollment – 16,154; college hours earned – 50,724
- 2019-2020 Advanced Placement students – 8,486; class enrollment – 25,719

PARTNERSHIPS

- \$3,371,617 received in district and school donations by more than 573 business partners in 2019-2020
- \$71,000 received for Superintendent’s Fun Run sponsorships in 2019-2020
- \$393,050 received from advertising revenue (bus, stadium, hotel and employee discounts) in 2019-2020
- 57 schools had an adopt-a-school partnership with a business/organization in 2019-2020
- 4,962 volunteers documented 170,486 hours valued at \$4,363,556 in 2019-2020
- 825 mentors and 348 bus buddies assisted students in 2019-2020

BUSINESS AND FINANCE

- Tax rate:
 - Total tax rate of \$1.3555 for 2020; \$1.37 for 2019; \$1.44 for 2018
 - Maintenance & Operations (M&O) Tax rate at \$1.50, the maximum allowed by law, from 2002 through 2005; reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.354 in 2006; reduced to \$1.024 in 2007; increased to \$1.04 in 2008 and remained at \$1.04 throughout 2018; reduced to \$0.97 in 2019 and reduced to .9555 in 2020
- 20% Local Optional Homestead Exemption plus \$25,000 state exemption
- Bond referendums:
 - 2019: \$1.762 billion – the largest bond election in the district’s history
 - 2014 - \$1.209 billion; 2007 - \$806 million; 2004 - \$713.2 million
- Administrative expenditures account for only 1.8% of the operating budget; Among the lowest administrative cost ratio (3.86%) in the Gulf Coast region for more than a decade and one of the lowest in the state
 - Operating cost is \$8,412 per student - one of the lowest in Texas
- Accomplishments:
 - The Education Resource Group (ERG) ranked CFISD No. 4 in the state in its 2020 District Productivity Index, measuring academic performance and efficiency
 - Association of School Business Officials (ASBO) Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting for the past 25 years

- Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting for the past 24 years
- Fitch, Standard & Poor's, and Moody's bond ratings are AA
- Texas Comptroller's Leadership Circle Awards for financial transparency:
 - Highest possible distinction for all six years of program: "Platinum" (2014-2015); "Gold" (2010-2013)
 - "Superior Achievement" Schools FIRST (Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas) rating for 17 consecutive years
- Five-star rating for nine consecutive years for the Texas Smart Schools Initiative (formerly Financial Allocation Study for Texas, FAST)

HIGHLIGHTS

- Class of 2020:
 - 8,703 graduates
 - 43,477 guests attended CFISD graduation ceremonies at the Berry Center
 - 135,574 views of CFISD graduation ceremonies by livestreaming
- Academics:
 - 429 students qualified for the Texas Technology Student Association (TSA) State Conference
 - More than 135 students qualified for the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) state competition
 - FFA students raised more than \$600,000 for projects at the Livestock Show and Sale
 - Three Cypress Woods students placed in national AVP competition
 - Cy-Fair's Air Force JROTC qualified for the CyberPatriot XII National Finals Competition
 - Three juniors achieved the top ACT score
 - Cypress Woods students placed first overall at the HP *CodeWars* Championship
 - Bridgeland's Technology Student Association (TSA) architecture team placed fifth in the nation at the National TSA Conference
 - Camp Summit was named a District of Distinction award winner by District Administration magazine
 - New Arrival Center (NAC) program won prestigious Goldin Foundation for Excellence in Education Exemplary Award
- Fine Arts:
 - Bridgeland Band was named the Grand Champion at the Cypress Showcase Marching Festival
 - CFISD was designated as one of the 2020 Best Communities for Music Education by The National Association of Music Merchants (NAMM) Foundation
 - 13 theatre arts students from six high schools advanced to the State UIL Theatrical Design competition
 - CFISD was recognized by the Texas Art Education Association (TAEA) as the 2020 District of Distinction and is among the top 4 percent of districts in the state for outstanding leadership in visual arts education.
 - 48 art pieces advanced to the state Visual Arts Scholastic Event (VASE)
 - 49 high school musicians were named to the All-State ensembles through the Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA)
- Athletics:
 - Eight student athletic trainers were named to the Texas State Athletic Trainers' Association (TSATA) Academic All-State Team
 - 12 dance students representing all 12 high schools were selected to the All-State Dance Team for the 2020 Texas Dance Educators Association (TDEA) Convention
 - 31 wrestlers qualified for the UIL Wrestling State Tournament
 - 22 swimmers and divers were named to the Texas Interscholastic Swim Coaches Association (TISCA) All-State Team
 - Bridgeland girls' cross country team placed 8th overall in Class 6A at the UIL Cross Country State Championships
 - 8 swimmers and divers placed in the top 20 at the UIL Swimming and Diving Class 6A State Meet
- District:
 - CFISD was named the 2019-2020 Large Business of the Year by the Cy-Fair Houston Chamber of Commerce
 - CFISD was named a 2019 National Innovative District for sustaining excellence by the International Center for Leadership in Education (ICLE)
 - A record \$120,000 was raised for the Superintendent's Fun Run and Festival
- 22,784 students enrolled in summer school classes in 2020
- 11,353 hours in community use of facilities in 2019-2020
- 34,078,560 website total page views; 12,940,437 home page views in 2019-2020
- 4,960 students enrolled in before and after school care (Club Rewind) in 2019-2020

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